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DEED OF ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS,

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Matthew Wayne Siddall 45 Worthington Lane Weaverville, North Carolina 28787	Christopher Kelly McCoy 20 West Lakota Drive Candler, North Carolina 28715

(hereinafter "Assignors") has invented certain new and useful improvements and/or designs (hereinafter "Invention"), for a full description of which reference is here made to a patent application entitled:

**ADJUSTABLE BRACKET DEVICE FOR SELECTIVELY
MOUNTING RAIN GUTTERS ON BUILDINGS**

(hereinafter "Application") filed or to be filed with the U.S. Patent & Trademark Office, and for which Assignors hereby authorizes and requests Assignee to fill in the following blanks specifying the serial number and filing date for said application identified above (but Assignee's failure to do so shall have no bearing whatsoever upon the validity or legal effect of this Assignment):

Serial Number: _____

Filed on: _____; and

WHEREAS,

W.P. HICKMAN COMPANY
9 Hickman Drive
Asheville, North Carolina 28813

(hereinafter "Assignee") is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in, to, and under the Invention and the Application, and in, to, and under any and all patents

that may be obtained for the Invention, together with all foreign rights corresponding thereto;

NOW, THEREFORE, to all whom it may concern, be it known that, for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00), and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignors have agreed to sell, assign, transfer and convey, and by these presents do hereby sell, assign, transfer and convey, unto Assignee the entire right, title, and interest in, to and under:

- The Invention and the Application;
- Any patent of the United States of America that may be obtained for the Invention;
- Any corresponding applications for patent of the Invention in any and all foreign countries; and
- Any reissue, extension, renewal, substitution, confirmation, division, continuation and the like of any of the foregoing (hereinafter collectively "Invention Rights").

FURTHERMORE,

Assignors hereby covenants and agrees, and binds any and all heirs, administrators, legal representatives, and assigns, to assist and cooperate with Assignee in the preparation and prosecution of any application included within the Invention Rights and in the prosecution or defense of any interference, opposition, or other proceeding that may arise in connection with any application or patent included within the Invention Rights and, further, to execute and deliver to Assignee any and all additional petitions, oaths, assignments, or other papers or instruments that may be requested by Assignee for the purpose of implementing the terms of this Agreement.

Assignors hereby authorizes and empowers Assignee to invoke and claim for any application or patent included within the Invention Rights the benefit of any rights to which Assignors might be entitled under International law or under the laws of any particular foreign country, and to invoke and claim such rights without further written or oral authorization from Assignors.

Assignors hereby consents and agrees that a copy of this Assignment shall be deemed a full legal and formal equivalent of any assignment, consent to file, or like document that may be required in any particular foreign country for any purpose and, more particularly, in proof of the right of Assignee to claim the aforesaid benefit of the right of priority.

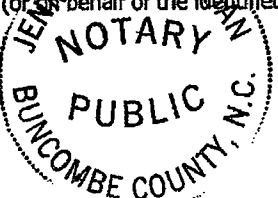
Assignors covenants and agrees that this Assignment and all the terms thereof shall inure to the benefit of the successors, assigns, legal representatives, or nominees of Assignee, without further written or oral authorization from Assignors.

Finally, Assignors hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States Patent and Trademark Office to issue any patent included within the Inventions Rights to Assignee.

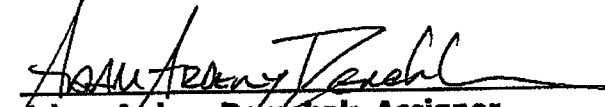
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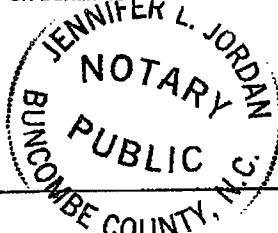
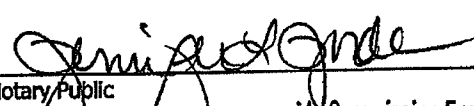
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Robert Donald LeClare, Assignor

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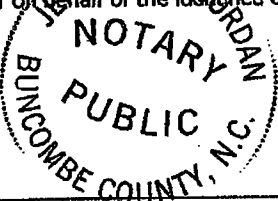
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Stacy Dewayne Cagle
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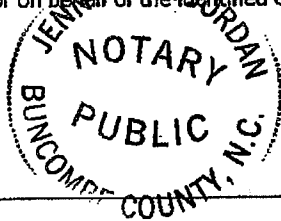
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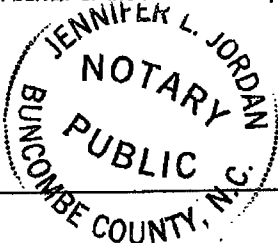
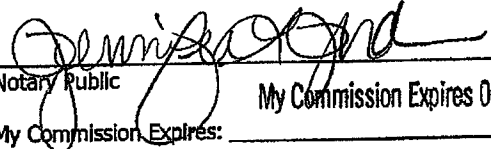


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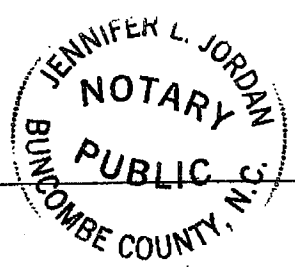

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