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# ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, we, the undersigned inventors, have invented certain inventions and improvements disclosed in a utility patent application entitled "Methods for Tufting a Carpet Product," which was filed with the U.S. Patent & Trademark Office on July 26, 2011 and assigned serial no. 13/190,635.

For good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, we the undersigned inventors hereby:

1) Agree to sell, assign, transfer, and convey, and hereby do sell, assign, transfer, and convey, to Interface, Inc., a corporation of the State of Georgia having a principal place of business at 2859 Paces Ferry Road, Suite 2000, Atlanta, Georgia 30309 (hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNEE"), the entire right, title, and interest in and to (a) any intellectual property (including without limitation any innovation, information, invention, discovery, product, process, work, or design) disclosed, embodied, affixed, shown, or claimed in the abovereferenced patent application, implicitly or explicitly; (b) the above-referenced patent application, any application based in whole or in part upon the above-referenced patent application (including without limitation any continuation, continuation-in-part, reissue, reexamination, or non-U.S. patent application based in whole or in part on the abovereferenced patent application); and (c) any Patent (including without limitation U.S. and non-U.S. patents, utility models, industrial designs, divisionals, reissues, and reexaminations) that is granted or issued upon, or that claims priority to, any and all applications under (b) of this paragraph or that discloses or claims intellectual property under (a) of this paragraph, in whole or in part.

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- 3) Agree to execute all papers and documents, including, without limitation, applications, declarations, oaths, petitions, and other papers, and, entirely at the ASSIGNEE'S expense, perform any acts which are necessary in connection with the prosecution of patent applications or intellectual property under paragraph 1 and/or the enforcement of patents or other rights resulting from such applications or intellectual property.
- 4) Agree that the terms covenants and conditions of this assignment shall inure to the benefit of the ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns and other legal representative, and shall be binding upon the inventors, as well as the inventor's heirs, legal representatives, and assigns.
- 5) Warrant and represent that we have not entered, and will not enter into, any assignment, contract, or understanding that conflicts with this assignment.

Signed on the dates indicated beside our signatures.

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