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ASSIGNMENT OF RIGHTS

WHEREAS, I, Brian N. Ball, having an address of 386 Broad Street, San Luis Obispo, CA 93405, US, have co-invented certain new and useful improvements disclosed in a U.S. Provisional Patent Application titled "Aluminum Copper Wrap Wire for Musical Instruments," having Serial No. 61/909,195, filed on November 26, 2013 (the "Provisional Patent Application"), and whereas I am now the owner of the rights in the improvements and the Provisional Patent Application;

AND WHEREAS, Ernie Ball, Inc., a California corporation (hereinafter, together with any successors, legal representatives or assigns thereof, called "Assignee"), having an address of 151 Suburban Road, San Luis Obispo, CA 93401, US, wants to acquire the entire right, title, and interest in and to said improvements and the Provisional Patent Application;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I have sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over to Assignee the entire right, title and interest in and to said improvements and the Provisional Patent Application, and all non-provisional patent applications claiming priority from the Provisional Patent Application, and all divisions, substitutions, continuations and continuations-in-part of such non-provisional patent applications, and all United States Letters Patents which may be granted thereon, and all reissues and extensions thereof, and all priority rights under the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property for every member country, and all applications for patents (including related rights such as utility-model registrations, inventor's certificates, and the like) heretofore or hereafter filed for said improvements in any foreign countries, and all patents (including all extensions, renewals and reissues thereof) granted for said improvements in any foreign countries; and I hereby authorize and request the United States Commissioner for Patents and Trademarks, and any officials of foreign countries whose duty it is to issue patents on applications as aforesaid, to issue all patents for said improvements to Assignee in accordance with the terms of this assignment;

AND I HEREBY covenant that I have full right to convey the entire interest herein assigned, and that I have not executed, and will not execute, any agreement in conflict herewith;

AND I HEREBY further covenant and agree that I will communicate to Assignee any facts known to me respecting said improvements, and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all necessary U.S. and foreign patent documents, make all rightful oaths and generally do everything possible to aid Assignee to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for said improvements in all counties.

/	WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand this	_day of
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	Brian N. Ball	

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ASSIGNMENT OF RIGHTS

WHEREAS, I, James C. Harrington, having an address of 35751 Gateway Drive, Unit C306, Palm Desert, CA 92211, US, have co-invented certain new and useful improvements disclosed in a U.S. Provisional Patent Application titled "Aluminum Copper Wrap Wire for Musical Instruments," having Serial No. 61/909,195, filed on November 26, 2013 (the "Provisional Patent Application"), and whereas I am now the owner of the rights in the improvements and the Provisional Patent Application;

AND WHEREAS, Ernie Ball, Inc., a California corporation (hereinafter, together with any successors, legal representatives or assigns thereof, called "Assignee"), having an address of 151 Suburban Road, San Luis Obispo, CA 93401, US, wants to acquire the entire right, title, and interest in and to said improvements and the Provisional Patent Application;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I have sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over to Assignee the entire right, title and interest in and to said improvements and the Provisional Patent Application, and all non-provisional patent applications claiming priority from the Provisional Patent Application, and all divisions, substitutions, continuations and continuations-in-part of such non-provisional patent applications, and all United States Letters Patents which may be granted thereon, and all reissues and extensions thereof, and all priority rights under the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property for every member country, and all applications for patents (including related rights such as utility-model registrations, inventor's certificates, and the like) heretofore or hereafter filed for said improvements in any foreign countries, and all patents (including all extensions, renewals and reissues thereof) granted for said improvements in any foreign countries; and I hereby authorize and request the United States Commissioner for Patents and Trademarks, and any officials of foreign countries whose duty it is to issue patents on applications as aforesaid, to issue all patents for said improvements to Assignee in accordance with the terms of this assignment;

AND I HEREBY covenant that I have full right to convey the entire interest herein assigned, and that I have not executed, and will not execute, any agreement in conflict herewith;

AND I HEREBY further covenant and agree that I will communicate to Assignee any facts known to me respecting said improvements, and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all necessary U.S. and foreign patent documents, make all rightful oaths and generally do everything possible to aid Assignee to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for said improvements in all counties.

IN TESTIMONEY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand this 3rd day of December, 2013.

RECORDED: 01/08/2014

James C. Harrington

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