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THIS PATENT ASSIGNMENT is made effective as of the <u>13TH</u> day of <u>OCTOBER 2014</u> ("Effective Date"). Capitalized terms used and not otherwise defined herein have the meanings respectively ascribed to them in the Asset Purchase Agreement dated as of October 13, 2014, by and between Assigner and Assignee (the "Purchase Agreement").

RECITALS

WHEREAS, Inventor (defined below) is selling to Assignee (defined below) certain assets and liabilities with respect to its deck fastener and clip business (the "Business") in connection with the Purchase Agreement;

WHEREAS, <u>Kevin Wadsworth, also known as Kevin R. Wadsworth, Sr.</u>, (hereinafter "Inventor"), having an address of 5520 West Stones Crossing Road, Greenwood, Indiana 48143, owns the entire right, title and interest in and to the inventions disclosed in the Patents, Patent Application(s), and Invention Disclosures and in and to all embodiments of the inventions, heretofore conceived, made or discovered, each as identified in EXHIBIT A (collectively hereinafter referred to as "Inventions").

WHEREAS, <u>SIMPSON STRONG-TIE COMPANY, INC.</u>, a California corporation, having a place of business at 5956 West Las Positas Blvd., Pleasanton, California 94588, (hereinafter "Assignce"), is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said Inventions, and in and to all embodiments of the inventions, heretofore conceived, made or discovered, whether jointly or severally, by the inventor(s) of said Inventions, and in and to any and all patents, inventor's certificates and other forms of protection (hereinafter "Patent(s)") thereon granted in the United States, foreign countries, or under any international convention, agreement, protocol, or treaty.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of good and valuable consideration acknowledged by said Inventor to have been received in full from said Assignce:

1. Said Inventor, in accordance with the terms of the Purchase Agreement, does hereby assign, transfer and convey unto said Assignee the entire right, title and interest: (a) in and to said Inventions, including the right to claim priority to said Inventions; (b) in and to all rights to all United States and corresponding non-United States patent applications and Patent(s), including those filed under the Paris Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, The Patent Cooperation Treaty or otherwise; (c) in and to any and all applications filed and any and all Patent(s) granted on said Inventions in the United States. in any foreign country, or under any international convention, agreement, protocol, or treaty, including each and every application filed and any and all Patent(s) granted on any application which is a divisional, substitution, continuation, or continuation-in-part of any of said Application(s); and (d) in and to each and every reissue, reexamination, or extensions of any of said Patent(s).

2. The terms and covenants of this assignment shall inure to the benefit of said Assignee, its successors, assigns and other legal representatives, and shall be binding upon said Inventor, his respective heirs, legal representatives and assigns.

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3. Said Inventor hereby warrants and represents that he has not entered and will not enter

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into any assignment, contract, or understanding in conflict herewith.

Said Inventor hereby requests that any Patent(s) issuing in the United States, foreign 5. countries, or under any international convention, agreement, protocol, or treaty, be issued in the name of the Assignee, or its successors and assigns, for the sole use of said Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, said Inventor(s) have executed and delivered this instrument to said Assignee with an Effective Date as first written above.

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EXHIBIT A

U.S. Patent	8,256,614 B1 issued September 4, 2012 Application No. 11/527,282 filed September 25, 2006 Inventor: Kevin R. Wadsworth Sr. Title: <i>INTERCONNECTED AND ON-SITE SEVERABLE</i> <i>DECK CLIPS WITH COOPERATING INSTALLATION</i> <i>TOOL FOR JOINING TWO ADJACENT DECKING</i> <i>PLANKS TO AN UNDERLYING SUPPORT</i> <i>STRUCTURE</i>
U.S. Publication	2011/0123290 A1 published May 26, 2011 Application No. 12/592,495 filed November 25, 2009 Inventor: Kevin Wadsworth Title: <i>GANGABLE COMPOSITE CLIP FOR</i> <i>ATTACHING DECKING AND METHOD FOR MAKING</i>
U.S. Publication	2014/0186109 A1 published July 3, 2014 Application No. 13/999,255 filed February 3, 2014 Inventor: Kevin Wadsworth Title: <i>METHOD FOR MAKING A GANGABLE</i> <i>COMPOSITE CLIP FOR ATTACHING DECKING</i> Claiming priority to Application No. 12/592,495 filed November 25, 2009
Invention Disclosure	FENCE FASTENER
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