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COMBINED ASSIGNMENT AND DECLARATION OF PATENT APPLICATION

Assignment of Patent Application

Whereas, we, Eric J. Stanifer, having an address at 14267 Old Pine Lane, Mishawaka, IN

46545, United States of America; and Richard W. McCoy, having an address at 51159 Deer Path

Drive, Granger, IN 46530, United States of America, hereinafter referred to as "Assignors," have

invented, a new and useful invention, entitled "REMOVABLE SECURING CHAIN

ATTACHMENT ASSEMBLY" for which U.S. Patent Application was filed on December 11, 2014,

having Attorney Docket No.: 18801-01069 and Application Serial No.: 14/567,539; which is a

continuation of U.S. Patent Application filed on October 25, 2012, having Attorney Docket No.:

18801-01034 and Application Serial No.: 13/660,903; and Provisional Patent Application filed on

October 25, 2011, having Attorney Docket No.: 18801-01005 and Application Serial No.:

61/628,135; and any subsequent applications filed in connection with the above invention (the

"Patent").

Whereas, Cequent Performance Products, Inc., a Delaware corporation, having an address at

47912 Halyard Drive, Suite 100, Plymouth, MI 48170, hereinafter referred to as "Assignee," is

desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said Patent;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of ten dollars (\$10.00), and other good and

valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, we, the

Assignors, by these presents do sell, assign and transfer unto Assignee, its successors and assigns,

the full and exclusive right to the Patent and all letters patent of foreign countries which may be or

have been issued on the invention disclosed in the Patent, all divisions, reissues, and continuations

thereof, and all inventions disclosed therein, together with all claims for damages by reason of past

or future infringement, with the right to sue for and collect the same for the use and benefit of

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Assignors warrant that they are the exclusive owners of the entire legal and equitable interest in the Patent and the invention disclosed therein, free and clear of all liens and encumbrances; and that they have full power, authority, and capacity to make this Assignment to Assignee. Assignors covenant and agree, for themselves and for their successors and assigns that, at Assignee's request, Assignors will cause to be executed and delivered any applications, affidavits, assignments, and other instruments as may be deemed necessary or desirable by Assignee to secure for or vest in Assignee, its successors or assigns, all right, title, and interest in and to any application, patent, or other right or property covered by this assignment, including the right to apply for and obtain patents in foreign countries under the provisions of the International Convention; and Assignors hereby request and authorize the United States Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any and all United States patents granted on the Patent to Assignee as owner of the entire right, title, and interest in and to the same, and authorizes appropriately empowered officials of foreign countries to issue any letters patent granted on the Patent to Assignee as owner of the entire right, title, and interest in and to the same.

<u>Declaration (37 Cfr 1.63) For Utility Or Design Application Using An Application Data</u> <u>Sheet (37 Cfr 1.76)</u>

Title of Invention: REMOVABLE SECURING CHAIN ATTACHMENT ASSEMBLY

As the below named inventor, I hereby declare that this declaration is directed to the attached application.

The above-identified application was made or authorized to be made by me.

I believe that I am the original inventor or an original joint inventor of a claimed invention in the application.

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"REMOVABLE SECURING CHAIN ATTACHMENT ASSEMBLY"

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified

specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose to the United States Patent and Trademark Office all

information known to me to be material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR §1.56, including for

continuation-in-part applications, material information which became available between the filing

date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of the continuation

application.

I hereby acknowledge that any willful false statement made in this declaration is punishable

under 18 U.S.C. 1001 by fine or imprisonment of not more than five (5) years, or both.

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