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<u>ASSIGNMENT</u>

WHEREAS, We, Harlan John Bartel, Brian L. Nebel and Royce A. Steinert

hereby declare that we are the original inventors of the invention relating to OPERATOR

PROTECTION APPARATUS WITH AN OVER-CENTER LINKAGE for which we have made

application for Letters Patent of the United States, Serial No. 15/418,402, filed January 27, 2017;

and

Excel Industries, Inc., a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of

Kansas and having its principal place of business at 200 South Ridge Road, County of Harvey,

and State of Kansas, 67062-8808, is desirous of acquiring an interest in, to and under said

invention, said application and any and all Letters Patent which may be granted for or upon said

invention in the United States of America and all countries foreign thereto;

NOW, THEREFORE, to all whom it may concern, be it known that for good and

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

Harlan John Bartel, Brian L. Nebel and Royce A. Steinert, have sold, assigned and transferred,

and by these presents do sell, assign and transfer unto said Excel Industries, Inc. the full and

exclusive right, title and interest, throughout the world, in, to and under said invention as fully

set forth and described in the above-identified application; in, to and under said application; in,

to and under any and all refilings, divisions and continuations of said application; in, to and

under any and all Letters Patent of the United States of America which may issue from said

application, refilings, divisions and continuations; in, to and under any and all reissues of said

Letters Patent of the United States of America; in, to and under any and all applications for

Letters Patent upon said invention which may hereafter be filed in any and all countries foreign

to the United States of America; in, to and under any and all refilings, divisions and

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EXECUTED this _______, 20_18.

Harlan John Bartel

STATE OF KS: ss. COUNTY OF Harvey:

Before me personally appeared Harlan John Bartel, to me known to be the person described in, and who executed the foregoing instrument, and he duly acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth, on the day and year aforesaid.

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My Commission Expires:

10/16/20

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