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**ASSIGNMENT**

**WHEREAS**, we, **KYLE ANDREW AYLOR**, residing at 26 J R Road NE, Cartersville, Georgia 30121 and **WESLEY COLEMAN TINCHER**, residing at 152 Charles Drive, Calhoun, Georgia 30701, have invented new and useful improvements in “**SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR APPLYING TENSION TO BACKING MATERIALS FOR TUFTED PRODUCTS**” for which a United States Patent Application was filed on January 5, 2018 and assigned Application No. 15/863,020; and

**WHEREAS**, **SHAW INDUSTRIES GROUP, INC.**, a Georgia corporation, whose address is 616 East Walnut Avenue, Dalton, Georgia 30722, is desirous of acquiring the entire interest in the same;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we, **KYLE ANDREW AYLOR** and **WESLEY COLEMAN TINCHER**, hereby do sell, assign and transfer unto said **SHAW INDUSTRIES GROUP, INC.** the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and application throughout the world, including, without limitation, any Letters Patent which may issue thereon, and any subsequent application claiming priority to the above-identified application, reissue, reexamination, divisional, continuation-in-part, extension or continuation thereof and all rights of priority under the Paris Convention arising from said application; the same for **SHAW INDUSTRIES GROUP, INC.**’s legal representatives and assigns, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by us had this assignment and sale not been made;

AND, we, hereby bind ourselves, our heirs, legal representatives, administrators and assigns properly to execute without further consideration any and all applications, petitions, oaths and assignments or other papers and instruments which may be necessary in order to carry into full force and effect, the sale, assignment, transfer and conveyance hereby made or intended to be made and generally do everything possible to aid **SHAW INDUSTRIES GROUP, INC.**, its legal representatives and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper protection for said invention in all countries throughout the world.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have executed this Assignment this 24 day of January, 2018.

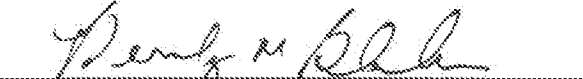
  
KYLE ANDREW AYLOR

(L.S.)

State of GEORGIA

County of BARTOW

On this 24 day of January, 2018, before me, a Notary Public came **Kyle Andrew Aylor**, to me known and known to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing assignment, and he/she duly acknowledged the same to be his/her free act and deed.

  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires: August 2, 2018

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have executed this Assignment this 24 day of

January, 2018.

Wesley Coleman Tincher (L.S.)  
WESLEY COLEMAN TINCHER

State of GEORGIA

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On this 24 day of January, 2018, before me, a Notary Public came **Wesley Coleman Tincher**, to me known and known to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing assignment, and he/she duly acknowledged the same to be his/her free act and deed.

Wesley Coleman Tincher  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires: August 2, 2018