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**ASSIGNMENT OF RIGHTS**

WHEREAS, Roy Hicks, IV, an individual residing at 614 W. Main Street, Unit 301, Durham, North Carolina 27701, United States of America (the "ASSIGNOR"), is the inventor of the one or more new and useful inventions or improvements described in United States Patent Number 9,451,682 (Application Serial Number 13/751,438), issued on or about September 20, 2016, with the title:

LIGHT BULB SYSTEM FOR PROVIDING A WALL OR LAMP  
FIXTURE SWITCH WITH DIMMER CAPABILITY  
(the "Patent")

WHEREAS, Pith Technology Inc., a North Carolina corporation, having a principal place of business at 614 W. Main Street, Unit 301, Durham, North Carolina 27701 (together with any successors, assigns, legal representatives of assignee or to any number of iterations of successors and assigns, collectively, the "ASSIGNEE"), is desirous of acquiring all rights, title, and interests in and to the above-identified Patent and patent application(s) and memorializing the transfer of the entire right, title and interest therein for ASSIGNEE:

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The ASSIGNOR hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner for Patents of the United States Patent and Trademark Office, and any officials of foreign or other patent systems whose duty it is to issue patents or related rights on applications as referenced above to issue any patents or document conveying rights arising from any of the above-identified Patents or patent application(s) to ASSIGNEE in accordance with the terms of this assignment for ASSIGNEE's sole use and behalf, to the full end of the term for which any patent may be granted.

as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by each ASSIGNOR had this assignment and sale not been made.

The ASSIGNOR hereby grants to ASSIGNEE the right to file applications in any or all countries or regional systems on any of the conveyed intellectual property in the name of each ASSIGNOR, in the name of the ASSIGNEE, or otherwise, as ASSIGNEE may deem advisable.

The ASSIGNOR agrees that upon request of ASSIGNEE, and without further remuneration, to execute any and all papers desired by ASSIGNEE, for full protection and title in and to the improvements hereby transferred including any and all papers desired by ASSIGNEE for the filing and granting of foreign applications and the perfecting of title thereto in ASSIGNEE.

The ASSIGNOR hereby covenants and agrees to: communicate to ASSIGNEE any facts known to that ASSIGNOR respecting said improvements; provide relevant prior art material as required by law; testify in any legal proceeding; sign all lawful papers; execute all divisional, continuation, continuation-in-part, substitute and reissue applications; make all rightful oaths or declarations; and generally do everything possible to obtain, maintain, and enforce proper legal protection for said improvements in all countries, regions, or systems.

The ASSIGNOR hereby further covenants and agrees that each ASSIGNOR has the full right to convey the entire interest herein assigned, and each ASSIGNOR has not and will not execute any agreement in conflict herewith.

The ASSIGNOR agrees that if any provision of this Assignment shall for any reason be held to be invalid or unenforceable, such decision shall not affect, impair or invalidate the remainder of this Assignment but shall be confined in its operation to the provision of this Assignment directly involved in the controversy in which the decision was rendered. The invalid or unenforceable provision shall be reformed so that each ASSIGNOR shall have the obligation to perform reasonably in the alternative to give the ASSIGNEE the benefit of its bargain. In the event the invalid or unenforceable provision cannot be reformed, the other provisions or applications of this Assignment shall be given full effect, and the invalid or unenforceable provision shall be deemed struck.

5-3-18  
Date

Roy Hicks, IV  
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STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA )  
COUNTY OF WAKE )

On this 8<sup>th</sup> day of MAY, 2018, before the undersigned, a Notary Public for the State of North Carolina, personally appeared Roy Hicks, IV, known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person whose name is subscribed to the above assignment, and acknowledged that he executed the same.

John P. McNeill  
John P. McNeill, Notary Public

My Commission Expires on 1/28/2019

