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This document serves as an Oath/Declaration (37 CFR 1.63).	

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## COMBINED DECLARATION AND ASSIGNMENT OF PATENT RIGHTS

WHEREAS, the below-named person (hereinafter referred to as "Assignor" or "Inventor") has made one or more new and useful inventions which are claimed, disclosed and/or described in the patent application identified in Section I. below (hereinafter collectively referred to as "the Invention");

WHEREAS, Thomas & Betts International LLC (hereinafter referred to as "Assignee") a legal entity organized under the laws of Wilmington, Delaware, desires to acquire the entire right, title and interest in, to and under the Invention and any and all United States, foreign and international patent applications and patents which claim, disclose and/or describe the Invention; and

NOW, THEREFORE, for good, valuable and sufficient consideration to the Assignor, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, Assignor and Assignee agree as follows:

### I. DECLARATION

As the below-named Inventor I hereby declare that:

This declaration is directed to the application entitled CABLE SUSPENSION ASSEMBLY which:

\_\_\_\_\_ is attached hereto, or

X was filed as U.S. Application No. 15/612,184 on June 2, 2017.

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.

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.

### II. ASSIGNMENT OF PATENT RIGHTS

#### A. Assignment of Patent Rights

Assignor hereby assigns and transfer to Assignee, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title, and interest in, to and under (i) the Invention, (ii) any and all U.S., foreign and international patent applications which claim, disclose or describe the Invention including, without limitation, the application identified in Section I. above, (iii) any and all continuations, continuations-in-part, divisionals, foreign counterparts, reexaminations, reissues, extensions and applications claiming the benefit of or priority to any of the foregoing, (iv) any and all rights to claim priority to any of the foregoing, and (v) any and all rights to bring an action under, receive and collect damages for infringement of and/or obtain injunctive relief for infringement of any of foregoing (hereinafter collectively referred to as "the Assigned Patent Rights").

Assignor acknowledges and agrees that the Assigned Patent Rights include any and all future applications not filed at the time of execution of this agreement which disclose, describe and/or claim subject matter of the Invention, or which claim priority to or the benefit of an application or patent which discloses, describes and/or claims subject matter of the Invention. With respect to such future applications, Assignor hereby authorizes Assignee, its counsel, or its agents to append information identifying such applications as an Exhibit A to this document at the discretion of Assignee, its attorneys, or its agents.

#### B. Agreement to Execute Additional Documents and Provide Further Assistance

Assignor agrees to execute any and all other documents necessary or desirable to document, memorialize or perfect Assignee's interest in the Assigned Patent Rights and to execute any and all

other documents and to provide any further assistance necessary or desirable for the procurement of patent rights on the above referenced invention in the United States and all foreign countries.

C. Binding, Complete and Enforceable Agreement

Assignor acknowledges that (i) this is an enforceable agreement; (ii) this agreement embodies the entire and only understanding between Assignor and Assignee with respect to the subject matter of this agreement; (iii) no oral explanation or oral information by either party hereto shall alter the meaning or interpretation of this agreement; and (iv) if any provision of this agreement is held to be unlawful or unenforceable, such provision shall be limited or eliminated to the minimum extent necessary so that the remainder of this agreement will continue in full force and effect and be enforceable.

D. Execution

This agreement may be executed in counterparts or duplicate originals, both of which shall be regarded as one and the same instrument, and which shall be the official and governing version in the interpretation of this agreement. This agreement may be executed by facsimile signatures or other electronic means and such signatures shall be deemed binding as if they were original signatures.

[Signature Pages Follow]

Signed and executed this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2018.

Charles E. Whipple  
Charles E. Whipple

STATE OF New York,  
COUNTY OF Onondaga ): SS

Before me, a Notary Public, in and for said County and State, personally appeared Charles E. Whipple, who, being first duly sworn upon his or her oath, acknowledged the execution of the foregoing "Combined Declaration and Assignment of Patent Rights" as his or her voluntary act and deed.

WITNESS my signature and Notarial Seal this 26<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2018.

[Signature]  
Notary Public

Printed: Theresa L Proctor

Resident of Onondaga County

My Commission Expires: \_\_\_\_\_

THERESA L. PROCTOR  
Notary Public, State of New York  
No. 01PR6345779  
Qualified in Oswego County  
Commission Expires August 1, 2020

Signed and executed this 8<sup>th</sup> day of OCTOBER, 2018.

Mark R. Drane  
Mark R. Drane

STATE OF TENNESSEE )  
 ) : SS  
COUNTY OF SHELBY )

Before me, a Notary Public, in and for said County and State, personally appeared Mark R. Drane, who, being first duly sworn upon his or her oath, acknowledged the execution of the foregoing "Combined Declaration and Assignment of Patent Rights" as his or her voluntary act and deed.

WITNESS my signature and Notarial Seal this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2018.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public

Printed: \_\_\_\_\_

Resident of \_\_\_\_\_ County

My Commission Expires: \_\_\_\_\_

Signed and executed this 12 day of September, 2018.

Andrew Cole  
Andrew Cole

STATE OF Mississippi )  
COUNTY OF DeSoto ) : SS

Before me, a Notary Public, in and for said County and State, personally appeared Andrew Cole, who, being first duly sworn upon his or her oath, acknowledged the execution of the foregoing "Combined Declaration and Assignment of Patent Rights" as his or her voluntary act and deed.

WITNESS my signature and Notarial Seal this 12<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2018.

Nicole Baynham  
Notary Public


Printed: Nicole Baynham

Resident of DeSoto County

My Commission Expires: March 3, 2020



Signed and executed this 19 day of SEPT, 2018.

  
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Joey Magno

STATE OF TN )  
 ) : SS  
COUNTY OF SHELBY )

Before me, a Notary Public, in and for said County and State, personally appeared Joey Magno, who, being first duly sworn upon his or her oath, acknowledged the execution of the foregoing "Combined Declaration and Assignment of Patent Rights" as his or her voluntary act and deed.

WITNESS my signature and Notarial Seal this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2018.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public

Printed: \_\_\_\_\_

Resident of \_\_\_\_\_ County

My Commission Expires: \_\_\_\_\_