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NOTICE TO:

1. INVENTOR(S) SIGNING THIS APPLICATION
2. PERSONS ASSOCIATED WITH THIS APPLICATION

The Inventor(s) must read and approve the contents of this application, including the Declaration, before signing. A copy of the application is provided, the attorney docket number and title identifying the application, and/or serial number and filing date of the application, are listed on the Declaration.

Under 37, C.F.R. § 1.56, the inventor(s) and each individual substantively involved in the filing and prosecution of this patent application has a duty of candor and good faith in dealing with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office ("USPTO"), which includes a duty to disclose to the USPTO all information known to that individual to be material to patentability as described below. **NO valid patent will be granted where fraud on the USPTO was practiced or attempted or the duty of disclosure was violated through bad faith or intentional misconduct.** The USPTO encourages you to carefully examine all information that may affect patentability, such as prior publications, prior disclosures to others, prior sales and offers for sale, prior art cited in foreign search reports, and prior uses, to make sure that any material information is disclosed to the USPTO.

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In sum, if you know of any pertinent prior uses or publications, or any sales, or offers for sale of similar devices before this application is/was filed with the USPTO, you must let us know. You must let us know this information whether the prior uses, publications, sales or offers for sale were made by you or others, or whether they were made for your invention or another similar device. Further, if you know of prior work on the same or a similar invention by someone other than the inventor(s) signing, you must also disclose this information to us.

If you have any questions, please ask them now. Complete disclosure is not only required, but will increase the likelihood of obtaining enforceable patent protection.

The Declaration must be signed and dated by the inventor(s) in the spaces provided. Please return the signed Declaration to us for filing in the USPTO.

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SPECIFICATION AND INVENTORSHIP IDENTIFICATION

This assignment-declaration is directed to the subject matter which is claimed in the application entitled HOSE CONNECTOR, the specification of which having the above title and/or attorney docket number.

X is attached hereto, or as previously filed with the USPTO,
X was filed on March 26, 2019 as Appln. No. 29/685,080,

A. ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Rockler Companies, Inc. (hereinafter referred to as Assignee), a corporation organized and existing under the laws of Minnesota, and having offices at 4365 Willow Drive, Medina, MN 55340, United States, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to the above-identified invention(s), the application(s) and any and all Letters Patent(s) or similar legal protection, foreign or domestic, to be obtained therefor;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and adequacy of which is hereby acknowledged, we transfer to Assignee, its successors and assigns, our entire right, title and interest in and to the invention(s), the above-identified application(s), any provisional to which the benefit is claimed, all inventions and improvements which are disclosed in the patent applications, all divisional, continuing, substitute, renewal, reissue, and all other applications for Letters Patent(s) which have been or shall be filed in the United States on any of said inventions and/or improvements, all rights of priority resulting from the filing of the above-identified patent application(s), and all Letters Patent or similar legal protection issuing thereon; and we authorize the Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office to issue the Letters Patent or similar legal protection to the Assignee.

We authorize the Assignee, its successors and assigns, to insert in this instrument the filing date and serial number of the application when ascertained.

We authorize the Assignee, its successors and assigns, or anyone it may properly designate, to apply for Letters Patent or similar legal protection, in its own name if desired, in any and all countries.

We represent to the Assignee, its successors and assigns, that we have not and shall not execute any writing or do any act whatsoever conflicting with this Assignment. We, our executors or administrators, will at any time upon request, without additional consideration, but at the expense of the Assignee, its successors and assigns, execute such additional writings and do such additional acts as the Assignee, its successors and assigns, may deem desirable to perfect its enjoyment of this grant, and render all assistance in making application for and obtaining, maintaining, and enforcing the Letters Patent or similar legal protection on the invention in any and all countries.

Assignee hereby accepts this Assignment.

Assignor(s) and Assignee agree this Assignment is effective at least as early as the earliest identified application above.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Assignee and Assignor(s) have caused this Assignment to be executed.

B. DECLARATION

AUTHORIZATION TO PERMIT ACCESS TO APPLICATION BY PARTICIPATING OFFICE

If checked, the undersigned hereby grants the USPTO authority to provide the European Patent Office

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(EPO), the Japan Patent Office (JPO), the Korean Intellectual Property Office (KIPO), the World Intellectual Property Office (WIPO), and any other intellectual property offices in which a foreign application claiming priority to the above-identified patent application is filed access to the above-identified patent application. See 37 CFR 1.14(c) and (h). This box should not be checked if the applicant does not wish the EPO, JPO, KIPO, WIPO, or other intellectual property office in which a foreign application claiming priority to the above-identified patent application is filed to have access to the above-identified patent application.

In accordance with 37 CFR 1.14(h)(3), access will be provided to a copy of the above-identified patent application with respect to: 1) the above-identified patent application-as-filed; 2) any foreign application to which the above-identified patent application claims priority under 35 U.S.C. 119(a)-(d) if a copy of the foreign application that satisfies the certified copy requirement of 37 CFR 1.55 has been filed in the above-identified patent application; and 3) any U.S. application-as-filed from which benefit is sought in the above-identified patent application.

In accordance with 37 CFR 1.14(c), access may be provided to information concerning the date of filing the Authorization to Permit Access to Application by Participating Offices.

STATEMENTS

I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified application, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose to the United States Patent Office all information known to me to be material to patentability as defined in 37 C.F.R. 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-in-part.

If the above-identified application is to be or was filed on or after September 16, 2012:

I declare that the above-identified application was made or authorized to be made by me.

I believe 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.

If the above-identified application was filed before September 16, 2012:

I believe the inventor(s) named below to be the original and first inventor(s) of the subject matter which is claimed, and for which a patent is sought, on the subject matter which is claimed in the above-identified application.

I declare that all statements made herein that are of my own knowledge are true and that all statements that are made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under 18 U.S.C. § 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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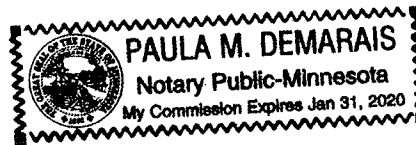
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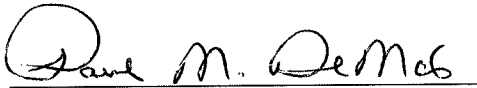

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Printed Name: Steve Krohmer

Title: Vice President, Product Development & Wholesale

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