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**ASSIGNMENT OF WORLDWIDE RIGHTS**

**WHEREAS**, I, A. Mark Mandeville, a citizen of the United States, as Assignor, have made an invention entitled

**A POCKET CLIP FOR A TOOL**

as described in a patent application for U.S. Letters Patent bearing U.S. Serial No. 18/162,109 which was filed in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on January 31, 2023.

**WHEREAS**, Microtech Knives, Inc., a corporation registered in Pennsylvania, and having an address of 321 Fanning Fields Road, Mills River, NC 28759, as Assignee, is desirous of securing the entire right, title, and interest in and to this invention in all countries throughout the world and in and to the application for United States Letters Patent on this invention and the Letters Patent to be issued upon this application.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, be it known that for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, I, as Assignor, have assigned, transferred, and set over, and do hereby assign, transfer, and set over unto the Assignee my entire right, title, and interest throughout the world in and to the invention and application described above and all patents and copyrights which may be granted thereon, including any confirmation, divisional, continuation, continuation-in-part, reissue, or substitute application which may be filed on said invention, inventions, or improvements in the United States or in any foreign country. I hereby authorize and request the United States Patent and Trademark Office and any official of any foreign country whose duty it is to issue patents or copyrights on applications as described above to issue all patents or copyrights for this invention to Assignee, its successors and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this Assignment.

I HEREBY covenant that I have the full right to convey the interest assigned by this Assignment, and I have not executed and will not execute any agreement in conflict with this Assignment.

I HEREBY further covenant and agree that I will, without further consideration, communicate with Assignee, its successors and assigns, any facts known to me respecting this invention, testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers when called upon to do so, execute and deliver any and all papers that may be necessary or desirable to perfect the title of this invention in said Assignee, its successors and assigns, execute all divisional, continuation, and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths, and generally do everything possible to aid Assignee, its successors and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper patent or copyright protection for this invention in the United States and any foreign country, it being understood that any expense incident to the execution of such papers shall be borne by the Assignee, its successors and assigns.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Assignor has executed this document on the date indicated below.

  
A. Mark Mandeville

Date: JAN 31, 2023