01-26-1999 U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE HEET **FORM PTO-1594** Patent and Trademark Office (Flev. 6-93) OMB No. 0651-0011 (exp. 4/94) 100948841 Tab settings □ □ □ ' Patents and Trademarks: Please record the attached original documents or copy thereof. To the Honorable Commissioner 2. Name and address of receiving party(ies) 1. Name of conveying party(ies): Berol Corporation Empire Enterprises, Inc. Internal Address: ☐ Individual(s) ☐ Association Street Address: 2711 Washington Blvd. ☐ Limited Partnership ☐ General Partnership \_\_ State: \_\_IL \_\_ ZIP: 60104 City: Bellwood **□** Corporation-State (Tennessee) □ Individual(s) citizenship\_ Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? 

Yes 
No □ Association \_ General Partnership\_ 3. Nature of conveyance: □ Limited Partnership\_ ☑ Corporation-State Delaware Merger Merger Assignment ☐ Other □ Change of Name ☐ Security Agreement If assignee is not domicited in the United States, a domestic representative designation □ Other ☐ Yes 🕱 No (Designations must be a separate document from assignment) Execution Date: \_\_\_\_2/3/98 Additional name(s) & address(es) attached? 🗅 Yes 🕱 No Application number(s) or patent number(s): B. Trademark Registration No.(s) A. Trademark Application No.(s) See Exhibit A (attached) Additional numbers attached? CKYes O No 6. Total number of applications and 5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence registrations involved: ..... concerning document should be mailed: Richard J. McKenna Name: 7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41).....\$\_\_\_190.00 Internal Address: Foley & Lardner **T** Enclosed Authorized to be charged to deposit account Street Address: 777 E. Wisconsin Avenue 8. Deposit account number: State: <u>WI</u> ZIP: <u>53202</u> City: Milwaukee (Attach duplicate copy of this page if paying by deposit account) /26/1999 IMBLIYEN 00000040 1493069 DO NOT USE THIS SPACE Statement and signature. To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document. Signature Name of Rerson Signing Total number of pages including cover sheet, attachments, and document:



#### **EXHIBIT A**

## (Accompanies Recordation Form Cover Sheet for Merger of Empire Enterprises, Inc. Into Berol Corporation)

REG. NO.	TRADEMARK	OUR REF. NO.	Reg. Date
1,493,069	DAZZLERS	80933/215	June 21, 1988
878,665	HUSKY	80933/217	Oct. 14, 1969
812,200	PLAST-0-LED	80933/220	Aug. 2, 1966
890,910	STUDY	80933/222	May 12, 1970
890,911	TOPPER	80933/223	May 12, 1970
779,901	VISTA-DOME	80933/225	Nov. 10, 1964
1,037,431	E DESIGN	80933/266	Apr. 6, 1976

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## State of Delaware

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## Office of the Secretary of State

I, EDWARD J. FREEL, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THE ATTACHED IS A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY OF THE CERTIFICATE OF OWNERSHIP, WHICH MERGES:

"BEROL BLUE RIBBON CORP.", A KENTUCKY CORPORATION,
"EMPIRE ENTERPRISES, INC.", A TENNESSEE CORPORATION,

WITH AND INTO "BEROL CORPORATION" UNDER THE NAME OF "BEROL CORPORATION", A CORPORATION ORGANIZED AND EXISTING UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, AS RECEIVED AND FILED IN THIS OFFICE THE THIRD DAY OF FEBRUARY, A.D. 1998, AT 9 O'CLOCK A.M.



Edward J. Freel, Secretary of State

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#### CERTIFICATE OF OWNERSHIP AND MERGER

OF

# BEROL BLUE RIBBON CORP., A KENTUCKY CORPORATION AND EMPIRE ENTERPRISES, INC., A TENNESSEE CORPORATION

#### INTO

#### BEROL CORPORATION

#### It is hereby certified that:

- 1. Berol Corporation (hereinafter sometimes referred to as the "Corporation") is a business corporation of the State of Delaware.
- 2. The Corporation is the owner of all of the outstanding shares of stock of Berol Blue Ribbon Corp. ("Berol Ribbon"), a Kentucky corporation, and Empire Enterprises, Inc. ("Empire"), a Tennessee corporation.
- 3. The laws of the jurisdiction of organization of Berol Ribbon and Empire permit the merger of a business corporation of that jurisdiction with a business corporation of another jurisdiction.
- 4. The Corporation hereby merges Berol Ribbon and Empire into the Corporation.
- 5. The following is a copy of the resolutions adopted on 1997 by the Board of Directors of the Corporation to merge the said Berol Ribbon and Empire into the Corporation:

RESOLVED, that the board of directors of the Corporation deems it advisable and in the best interest of the Corporation to have Berol Blue Ribbon Corp., a Kentucky corporation, ("Berol Ribbon") and Empire Enterprises, Inc., a Tennessee corporation ("Empire"), both wholly owned subsidiaries of the Corporation, merged with and into the Corporation.

RESOLVED, that the issued shares of Berol Ribbon and Empire shall not be converted in any manner, but each said share which is issued at the effective time and date of the merger shall be surrendered and extinguished.

RESOLVED, that Berol Ribbon and Empire be merged into this Corporation, and that all of the estate, property, rights, privileges, powers, and franchises of Berol Ribbon and Empire be vested in, held and enjoyed by this Corporation as fully and entirely and without change or diminution as the same were before held and enjoyed by Berol Ribbon and Empire in their respective names.

RESOLVED, that this Corporation shall assume all of the obligations of Berol Ribbon and Empire.

RESOLVED, that this Corporation shall cause to be executed and filed and/or recorded the documents prescribed by the laws of the State of Delaware, the State of Kentucky, the State of Tennessee, and the laws of any other appropriate jurisdiction, and will cause to be performed all necessary acts within the jurisdiction of organization of Berol Ribbon, Empire, this Corporation and in any other appropriate jurisdiction.

Executed on December 20, 1997.

BEROL CORPORATION

By:

Dale L. Matschullat

Vice President - General Counsel

Attest:

Richard H. Wolff

Secretary

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**RECORDED: 01/19/1999**