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To the Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks: Please record the attached original documents or copy inhereof.

1. Name of conveying party(ies):
Comerica Bank

Individual(s) Association
 General Partnership Limited Partnership
 Corporation-State
 Other _____

Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? Yes No

3. Nature of conveyance:
 Assignment Merger
 Security Agreement Change of Name
 Other Release of Security Interest

Execution Date: March 26, 1999

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies)
Name: Industrial & Automotive Fasteners, Inc.
Internal Address: _____
Street Address: 900 Victors Way
City: Ann Arbor State: MI ZIP: 48108

Individual(s) citizenship _____
 Association _____
 General Partnership _____
 Limited Partnership _____
 Corporation-State Michigan
 Other _____

If assignee is not domiciled in the United States, a domestic representative designator is attached: Yes No
(Designations must be a separate document from assignment)
Additional name(s) & address(es) attached? Yes No

4. Application number(s) or patent number(s):

A. Trademark Application No.(s) _____

B. Trademark Registration No.(s)
1,791,270

Additional numbers attached? Yes No

5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:
Name: Laura Konrath
Internal Address: Winston & Strawn
33rd Floor
Street Address: 35 West Wacker Drive
City: Chicago State: IL ZIP: 60601

6. Total number of applications and registrations involved: 1

7. Total fee (CFR 101.11).....\$ 40.00
 Enclosed
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8. Deposit account number:
N/A
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9. 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.

Laura Konrath
Name of Person Signing

Signature

4/1/99
Date

ASSIGNMENT AND RELEASE

WHEREAS, Comerica Bank (hereinafter "Commercia") of Detroit, Michigan is the owner by assignment from Industrial & Automotive Fasteners, Inc. ("IAF") of a security interest in the following U.S. Patents and U.S. Trademark Registrations (the "U.S. Patent and Trademark Rights"):

U.S. Patent No. 4,775,272
U.S. Patent No. 4,818,835
U.S. Patent No. 4,850,776
U.S. Patent No. 4,955,773
U.S. Patent No. 5,302,069
U.S. Patent No. 5,520,445
U.S. Trademark Reg. No. 1,791,270; and

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of one dollar and other valuable and legally sufficient considerations, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged by Comerica, Comerica does hereby release said security interest and reassign its rights in and to said U.S. Patent and Trademark Rights to IAF.

COMERICA BANK

By: Cynthia B. Jones

Name: Cynthia B. Jones

Title: Vice President

Dated: March 26, 1999

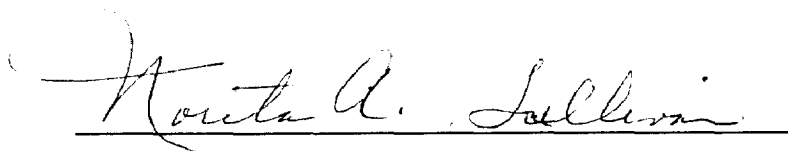
STATE OF MICHIGAN)

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COUNTY OF WAYNE)

I, Norita Sullivan, a Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid, do hereby certify that Cynthia B. Jones, personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, appeared before me this day in person and acknowledge that (s)he signed, sealed and delivered the said instrument as his/her free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunder set my hand and Notarial Seal this 26th day of March, 1999.



Notary Public

NORITA A. SULLIVAN
Notary Public, Wayne County, MI
My Commission Expires July 20, 2001

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My Commission Expires: 7/20/01