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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office

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

1. Name of conveying party(ies):

Wico Corporation

1-13-03

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

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

3. Nature of conveyance:

- Assignment
- Security Agreement
- Other \_\_\_\_\_
- Merger
- Change of Name

Execution Date: 8/17/98

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies)

Name: Superior Holdings of America, Inc.

Internal

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: 5722 Dempster Street

City: Morton Grove State: IL Zip: 60053

- Individual(s) citizenship \_\_\_\_\_
- Association \_\_\_\_\_
- General Partnership \_\_\_\_\_
- Limited Partnership \_\_\_\_\_
- Corporation-State Illinois
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

If assignee is not domiciled in the United States, a domestic representative designation 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 registration number(s):

A. Trademark Application No.(s) \_\_\_\_\_

B. Trademark Registration No.(s) 996,355; 1,320,239;

1,222,886; 1,281,665; 1,281,718;

Additional number(s) attached  Yes  No

5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:

Name: Max Shaftal

Internal Address: Patzik, Frank & Samotny Ltd.

Street Address: 150 South Wacker Drive

Suite 900

City: Chicago State: IL Zip: 60606

6. Total number of applications and registrations involved: \_\_\_\_\_

10

7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41).....\$ \$265.00

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Max Shaftal

Name of Person Signing

Signature

1/03/2002

Date

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**Additional U.S. Trademark Registrations**  
**(Continued from Recordation Form Cover Sheet 4.B.)**

1,281,759  
1,302,811  
1,350,421  
1,515,790  
1,533,398

A S S I G N M E N T

WHEREAS, Wico Corporation, a Delaware corporation, having its principal place of business at Building C, 7847 North Caldwell Avenue, Niles, IL 60714-4508 (hereinafter "Assignor"), on May 1, 1997, executed an assignment of the U.S. utility patents identified in Schedule A attached hereto, the design patents identified in Schedule B attached hereto, the patent application identified in Schedule C attached hereto, the trademarks and the trademark registrations in the United States identified in Schedule D attached hereto, the goodwill symbolized by said trademarks, the copyright registrations identified in Schedule E attached hereto, the foreign patents identified in Schedule F attached hereto and the foreign trademark registrations identified in Schedule G attached hereto;

WHEREAS, said Assignment executed on May 1, 1997 inadvertently and incorrectly identified Wico Corporation as an Illinois corporation; and

WHEREAS, Superior Holdings of America, Inc., an Illinois corporation, having its principal place of business at 5722 Dempster Street, Morton Grove, IL 60053, acquired, as of May 1, 1997, the title to the patents, patent application, trademarks, trademark registrations and copyright registrations identified in Schedules A-G attached hereto and the goodwill symbolized by said trademarks;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, said

Wico Corporation, a Delaware corporation, sells, assigns, transfers and sets over to said Superior Holdings of America, Inc., an Illinois corporation, *nunc pro tunc* as of May 1, 1997, its entire interest in and to the patents, patent application, trademarks, trademark registrations and copyright registrations identified in Schedules A, B, C, D, E, F and G attached hereto, the goodwill symbolized by said trademarks, and any and all reissues of said patents, including the right to recover for past infringement, and authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States to issue patents from said application to said Wico Corporation.

Wico Corporation

By: *Thomas Moore*  
 Thomas Moore, Vice-President

STATE OF ILLINOIS        )  
                                   ) SS  
 COUNTY OF COOK         )

I, a Notary Public, in and for the County and State aforesaid do hereby certify that the above-named person who signed on behalf of Wico Corporation, is personally known to me, or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence, to be the person whose name is described in the foregoing instrument, and that he appeared before me this day in person, and acknowledged that he signed, sealed and delivered said instrument as his free and voluntary act and deed for the use and purposes therein set forth, and acknowledged that he had full authority to act on behalf of Wico Corporation.

Dated: 8/17/98

*Jerome Staszak*

(NOTARY SEAL)



Issued Utility Patents in the United States

<u>Patent No.</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Issue Date</u>
4128222	LEG ASSEMBLY FOR PINBALL GAME	12/05/78
4168067	POST FOR PINBALL GAME	09/18/79
4240634	ELASTIC BAND FOR PINBALL GAME	12/23/80
4324403	POST ASSEMBLY FOR PINBALL GAME	04/13/82
4331324	LIFT DEVICE FOR PINBALL GAME	05/25/82
4361827	VEHICLE ALARM SYSTEM	11/30/82
4362300	CAP FOR PINBALL GAME, ETC.	12/07/82
4382166	JOYSTICK WITH BUILT-IN FIRE BUTTON	05/03/83
4426081	DROP TARGET APPARATUS	01/17/84
4492830	JOYSTICK WITH SINGLE-LEAF SPRING SWITCH	01/08/85
4493992	ADAPTER CIRCUIT FOR TRACKBALL DEVICE	01/15/85
4505165	TRACKBALL DEVICE	03/19/85
4558609	JOYSTICK CONTROLLER WITH INTERCHANGEABLE HANDLES	12/17/85
5068498	JOYSTICK FOR MOUNTING ON DUAL-WIDTH PANELS	11/26/91
5406040	JOYSTICK WITH IMPROVED ACTUATOR	04/11/95

SCHEDULE A

SCHEDULE B

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Design Patents in the United States

<u>Patent No.</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Issue Date</u>
D269609	VIDEO GAME	07/05/83
D269608	VIDEO GAME CONTROL UNIT	07/05/83
D272921	CONTROL FOR A VIDEO GAME OR THE LIKE	03/06/84
D276247	CURSOR CONTROL	11/06/84
D278919	CONTROL FOR A VIDEO GAME OR THE LIKE	05/21/85
D279202	CONTROL FOR A VIDEO GAME OR THE LIKE	06/11/85
D279203	CONTROL FOR A VIDEO GAME OR THE LIKE	06/11/85
D281164	MOUSE	10/29/85
D285201	KEYBOARD INCLUDING TRACKBALL	08/19/86
D289306	TRACKBALL	04/14/87
D291318	COMBINATION TRACKBALL AND MOUSE	08/11/87
D291574	KEYBOARD INCLUDING TRACKBALL	08/25/87
D292927	MOUSE FOR CONTROLLING THE CURSOR ON COMPUTER DISPLAY SCREEN	11/24/87
D303405	JOYSTICK	09/12/89
D303815	JOYSTICK	10/03/89
D311218	JOYSTICK	10/09/90

SCHEDULE B

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Patent Application in the United States

<u>Serial No.</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Filing Date</u>
597946	BUBBLE BUTTON	02/07/96

SCHEDULE C

**TRADEMARK**  
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Trademark Registrations in the United States

<u>Reg. No.</u>	<u>Trademark</u>	<u>Reg. Date</u>
996355	WICO	10/22/74
1222886	WICO	01/04/83
1281665	FAMOUS RED BALL	06/12/84
1281718	THE BOSS	06/12/84
1281759	THE BOSS & DESIGN	06/12/84
1302811	COMPUTER COMMAND	10/30/84
1320239	WICO	02/19/85
1350421	WICO	07/23/85
1515790	THE SOURCE	12/06/88
1533398	WONDER RUBBER	04/04/89

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Copyright Registrations

<u>Reg. No.</u>	<u>Copyright</u>	<u>Reg. Date</u>
TX1009861	1983 CATALOG	11/09/82
TX1135147	ENGINEERING MANUAL	06/10/83
TX1135180	GAMING CATALOG	06/10/83
TX1226147	1984 CATALOG	11/14/83
TX1439886	1985 CATALOG	10/01/84
TX1505610	SMARTCARD MANUAL	01/25/85
TX1527504	SMARTBOARD MANUAL	02/22/85
TX1558602	SMARTBOARD COMPUTER PROGRAM	01/16/86
TX1563157	PROGRAMMABLE CONTROLLER INTER*	01/22/85
TX2254587	1988 CATALOG	02/18/88
TX2486350	1989 CATALOG	01/17/89
TX2501450	1986 CATALOG	01/09/89
TX2505847	1987 CATALOG	02/10/89
TX2679578	PENN-RAY SUTRA 1989 CATALOG	11/02/89
TX2817176	1990 BOTTLING CATALOG	05/07/90
TX2824494	1990 GAMING CATALOG	05/08/90
TX2867802	1990 CATALOG	06/25/90
TX2955875	1991 CATALOG	11/16/90
TX3166052	PENN-RAY 1991 CATALOG	10/01/91
TX3206369	1992 CATALOG	12/09/91
TX333937	1980 CATALOG	09/24/79
TX3471201	1993 CATALOG	01/14/93
TX3700775	1994 VENDING SUPPLIES	12/09/93

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Copyright Registrations

<u>Reg. No.</u>	<u>Copyright</u>	<u>Reg. Date</u>
TX3763663	1994 CATALOG	12/01/93
TX3842827	1995 CATALOG	10/31/94
TX3921909	1995 VENDING SUPPLIES	10/31/94
TX579372	1981 CATALOG	11/10/80
TX787249	1982 CATALOG	10/21/81

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Foreign Patents

<u>Country</u>	<u>Patent No.</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Issue Date</u>
Benelux	10302	VIDEO GAME CONTROL UNIT	12/21/82
Canada	1192285	TRACKBALL DEVICE	08/20/85
Canada	1182157	JOYSTICK WITH BUILT-IN FIRE BUTTON	02/05/85
Canada	1192246	MODULAR JOYSTICK CONTROLLER	08/20/85
Germany	MR29904	JOYSTICK	06/03/88
France	824448	VIDEO GAME CONTROL UNIT	12/21/82
France	883795	JOYSTICK	06/10/88
Italy	53722	JOYSTICK	03/22/90
Italy	34425	VIDEO GAME CONTROL UNIT	10/10/85
Sweden	45425	JOYSTICK	04/05/89
United Kingdom	1010405	VIDEO GAME CONTROL UNIT	12/02/83
United Kingdom	1050881	JOYSTICK	05/11/89

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Foreign Trademark Registrations

<u>Country</u>	<u>Trademark</u>	<u>Reg. No.</u>	<u>Reg. Date</u>
Australia	WICO	A398201	07/14/87
Benelux	WICO	396313	08/01/84
Canada	WICO	282677	08/26/83
Canada	ERGOSTICK	369472	06/15/90
France	ERGOSTICK	1507323	09/13/88
Germany West	ERGOSTICK	1148916	11/02/89
Ireland	WICO	109619	06/18/85
Italy	WICO	458421	12/09/86
Japan	WICO	2044251	04/26/88
Japan	ERGOSTICK	2366643	12/25/91
South Africa	WICO	83/7702	10/12/84
Switzerland	WICO	319254	12/31/82
Taiwan	WICO	177658	04/16/82
United Kingdom	WICO	1148636	01/19/83

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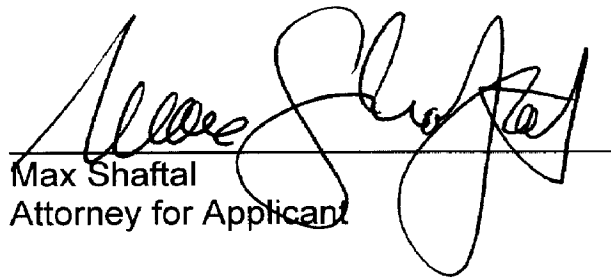
<b>IN RE REGISTRATIONS OF:</b>	Wico Corporation	<b>ASSIGNMENT</b>
<b>ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.:</b>	1786-009	
<b>REG. NOS.:</b>	996,355 et al.	
<b>REGISTRATION DATE:</b>	October 22, 1974	
<b>MARKS:</b>	WICO et al.	

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