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TRADEMARK SECURITY AGREEMENT

WHEREAS, JOHNSON & HOFFMAN MANUFACTURING CORPORATION, a New York corporation ("Grantor") owns the registrations and Trademark applications listed on Schedule 1 annexed hereto, and is a party to the Trademark licenses listed on Schedule 1 annexed hereto;

WHEREAS, AMERICAN ENGINEERED COMPONENTS INC., a Delaware corporation ("Borrower"), has entered into a Credit Agreement dated as of April 23, 1999 (as the same may be amended, restated, supplemented or otherwise modified from time to time, the "Credit Agreement"), with ANTARES CAPITAL CORPORATION, as agent ("Agent") for the benefit of all financial institutions that from time to time become lenders under the Credit Agreement (collectively, the "Lenders") and as a Lender, and the other Lenders, providing for extensions of credit and other financial accommodations to be made to Borrower by Lenders;

WHEREAS, pursuant to the terms of a Guaranty dated as of the date hereof (as the same may be amended, restated, supplemented or otherwise modified from time to time, the "Guaranty"), by Grantor in favor of Agent and the Lenders, Grantor has guaranteed the "Obligations" (as defined in the Credit Agreement); and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the terms of a Security Agreement dated as of April 23, 1999 (as the same may be amended, restated, supplemented or otherwise modified from time to time, the "Security Agreement"), among Grantor and Agent (in such capacity, "Grantee"), Grantor has granted to Grantee for the benefit of Lenders a security interest in substantially all the assets of Grantor including a security interest in all right, title and interest of Grantor in, to and under all now owned and hereafter acquired "Trademarks" (as defined in the Security Agreement), Trademark registrations, Trademark applications and Trademark licenses, together with the goodwill of the business symbolized by Grantor's Trademarks, and all proceeds thereof, to secure the payment of the "Liabilities" (as defined in the Security Agreement);

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, as collateral security for the prompt payment in full when due (whether at stated maturity, by acceleration or otherwise) of the Liabilities, Grantor does hereby grant to Agent, for the benefit of Lenders, a continuing security interest in all of Grantor's right, title and interest in, to and under the following (all of the following items or types of property being herein collectively referred to as the "Trademark Collateral"), whether presently existing or hereafter created or acquired:

(1) each Trademark, Trademark registration and Trademark application, including, without limitation, the Trademarks, Trademark registrations (together with any reissues, continuations or extensions thereof) and Trademark applications referred to in Schedule $\underline{1}$ annexed hereto, and all of the goodwill of the business connected with the use of, and symbolized by, each Trademark, Trademark registration and Trademark application;

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- (2) each Trademark license and all of the goodwill of the business connected with the use of, and symbolized by, each Trademark license; and
- (3) all products and proceeds of the foregoing, including, without limitation, any claim by Grantor against third parties for past, present or future (a) infringement or dilution of any Trademark or Trademark registration including, without limitation, the Trademarks and Trademark registrations referred to in <u>Schedule 1</u> annexed hereto, the Trademark registrations issued with respect to the Trademark applications referred to in <u>Schedule 1</u> and the Trademarks licensed under any Trademark license, or (b) injury to the goodwill associated with any Trademark, Trademark registration or Trademark licensed under any Trademark license; but excluding from Trademark Collateral any "intent to use" Trademark registration or application to the extent that the granting of a security interest therein is prohibited by applicable law.

Grantor hereby acknowledges and affirms that the rights and remedies of Agent and the Lenders with respect to the security interest in the Trademark Collateral made and granted hereby are more fully set forth in the Security Agreement, the terms and provisions of which are incorporated by reference herein as if fully set forth herein.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Grantor has caused this Trademark Security Agreement to be duly executed by its duly authorized officer on this 23 day of April, 1999.

JOHNSON & HOFFMAN MANUFACTURING CORPORATION,

a New York corporation

Name: LAWRENCE W.

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ANTARES CAPITAL CORPORATION,

a Delaware corporation, as Agent

Name: David

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Trademark Licenses

Non-exclusive License Agreements between Grantor, Transmatic Mfg. Co. and Lubbers Associates dated December 23, 1997 (one agreement for each of the Grantor's Carle Place, New York and Lancaster, Pennsylvania locations).

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Dear Sir:

I enclose for processing the requisite trademark and patent cover sheets with attached Agreements and the appropriate filing fee of \$65.00. Please cause this security agreement to be recorded and forward to the undersigned the acknowledgment of the same. If you have any questions regarding the enclosed, please feel free to contact me collect at 312/876-7629.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

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Very truly yours,

Elizabeth J. Burns,

Paralegal

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