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U.S. Patent & TMOfc/TM Mail Rcp1 Dt. #47 OMB No. 0651-0011 (exp. 4/94) 101109040 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): 2. Name and address of receiving party(ies): Batts, Inc. Name: Next Generations, Inc. [] Individual []Association Internal Address: [] General Partnership [] Limited Partnership [X] Corporation-State - Michigan [] Other \_ Street Address: 8540 Jewell Road Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? []Yes []No City: Comstock Park State: MI ZIP: 49321 3. Nature of conveyance: [] Individual(s) citizenship \_\_\_ [] Association [X] Assignment [] Merger [] General Partnership \_\_\_\_ [] Security Agreement [] Change of Name [] Limited Partnership Other \_ [X] Corporation-State Michigan [] Other \_ If assignee is not domiciled in the United States, a domestic representative Execution Date: June 11, 1999 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 trademark number(s): A. Trademark Application No.(s) B. Trademark Registration No.(s) 2,169,960 Additional numbers attached? [] Yes [X] No 6. Total number of applications and registrations involved: 1 5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed: Name: John A. Bacon 7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41): .....\$ 40.00 Internal Address: Baker & McKenzie Suite 3500 [X] Enclosed [] Authorized to be charged to deposit account Street Address: 130 East Randolph Drive 8. Deposit account number: City: Chicago State: IL ZIP: 60601 8/04/1999 NTHAI1 00000193 2169960 DO NOT USE THIS SPACE 40.00 OP 01 FC:481 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. John A. Bacon Name of Person Signing

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## **SCHEDULE**

<u>Trademark</u> <u>Reg. No.</u> <u>Reg. Date</u>

GENERATIONS 2,169,960 June 30, 1998

## **DEED OF ASSIGNMENT**

WHEREAS, Batts, Inc. ("Batts"), a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Michigan, with an address of 200 Franklin Street, Zeeland, Michigan 49464, has used and is the owner of the trademark set forth in the attached Schedule which is registered in the United States Patent and Trademark Office as set forth in the Schedule.

WHEREAS, Next Generations, Inc. ("Next Generations"), a company organized and existing under the laws of Michigan, located at 8540 Jewell Road, Comstock Park, Michigan 49321, is desirous of acquiring said mark and the registration thereof;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Batts does hereby assign unto the said Next Generations all right, title and interest in and to the said mark, together with the goodwill of the business symbolized by the mark and the above identified registration thereof, and all causes of action, rights of recovery and claims for damages or other relief nunc pro tunc effective May 28, 1999.

BATTS, INC.

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Name: Donald F. MORYAN
Title: Vice President.

Executed this 11 day of JUNE . 1999.

Subscribed to and sworn before me this 11 day of JUNE \_ , 1999.

Wike M. Dix

My Commission Expires: <u>October 18, 2001</u>

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