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TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT AGREEMENT

This Trademark Assignment Agreement (this "Agreement"), effective as of September 30, 1997, (the "Effective Date") is made by and between HFCG Corp., a Delaware corporation ("Assignor"), and Hartco Hardwood Flooring, L.P., a Delaware limited partnership ("Assignee").

W I T N E S E T H:

WHEREAS, Assignor has adopted, used and registered the trademark listed on Exhibit A to this Agreement in connection with the goods listed thereon (the "Mark");

WHEREAS, effective September 30, 1997, Assignor agreed to assign and Assignee agreed to acquire all of Assignor's right, title, and interest in and to the Mark, both registered and common law, the goodwill of the business symbolized thereby, and the right to recover damages and profits for past infringement thereof;

WHEREAS, due to a ministerial error, the assignment of the Mark was not recorded at the time of the assignment; and


NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the premises and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the parties agree as follows:

1. Effective as of September 30, 1997, Assignor hereby assigns, transfers and conveys unto Assignee all of Assignor's right, title and interest in and to the Mark, both registered and common law, the goodwill of the business symbolized thereby, and the right to recover damages and profits for past infringement thereof.

2. This Agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the United States of America and of the State of Texas.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Assignor has caused its duly authorized representative to execute this Assignment effective as of the date first above written.

HFCG CORP.

By: 
Name: E. Dwain Plaster
Title: President

STATE OF TEXAS §
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COUNTY OF DALLAS §

On this day, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public, duly commissioned, qualified and acting, the within named E. Duain Plaster, who stated that he was the President of HFCG Corp., a Delaware corporation, and was duly authorized in his capacity to execute the foregoing instrument for and in the name and behalf of said corporation, and further stated that and acknowledged that he had so signed, executed and delivered said foregoing instrument for consideration, uses and purposes therein mentioned and set forth.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and official seal on this 17th day of December, 1999.

Angela L. Alston
Notary Public

My Commission Expires:
9-30-2002

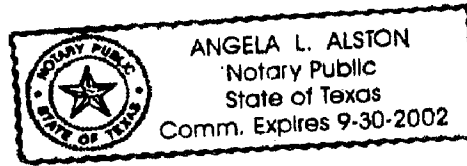


EXHIBIT A TO
TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT AGREEMENT

HFCG CORP.
UNITED STATES TRADEMARK

MARK (INT'L CLASS)	GOODS/SERVICES	SERIAL/REG. NUMBER	FILE DATE
HARTGUARD (CL. 2)	Polyurethane finish for hardwood flooring.	1,738,882	7/16/91