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Name Wells Lamont Corporation

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Composed of _____

Address (line 1) 6640 West Touhy Avenue

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Thomas W. Ryan

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August 7, 2000

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ASSIGNMENT OF TRADEMARK RIGHTS

THIS ASSIGNMENT is between MARMON HOLDINGS, INC., a Delaware corporation, having a place of business located at 225 West Washington, Suite 1900, Chicago, Illinois 60606 ("Assignor") and WELLS LAMONT CORPORATION, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, having a place of business located at 6640 W. Touhy Avenue, Niles, Illinois 60714 ("Assignee") and;

WHEREAS, Assignor is the owner of the entire right, title and interest in the trademarks and registrations and applications relating to the trademarks, as shown on the attached Schedule A ("Trademarks");

WHEREAS, Assignee desires to acquire all of Assignor's right, title, and interest in and to the Trademarks;

NOW, THEREFORE, in exchange for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, Assignor hereby assigns, transfers, and conveys to Assignee all of Assignor's entire right, title, and interest in and to the Trademarks, including, but not limited to the applications; all registrations resulting from such applications; the registrations; the renewal of such registrations; all goodwill associated therewith; any and all rights and entitlements associated therewith; all income, royalties, or other payments now or hereafter due or payable with respect to the Trademarks; and the right to sue for past, present and future infringements thereof and the right to recover damages or other payments for infringements thereof; all said right, title, and interest to be held and enjoyed by Assignee, for its own use and benefit and for the use and benefit of its successors, assigns, and other legal representatives.

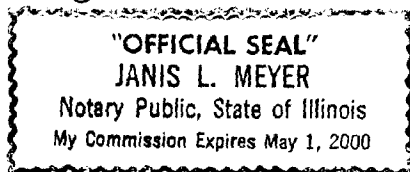
MARMON HOLDINGS, INC.

By: *R.C. Gluth*
R.C. Gluth
Its: Vice President

State of Illinois) SS.
County of Cook)

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 23rd day of APRIL, 1999.

Janis L. Meyer
NOTARY PUBLIC



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SCHEDULE A - U.S.A.

ASSIGNMENT FROM MARMON HOLDINGS, INC.
TO
WELLS LAMONT CORPORATION

REGISTRATIONS:

<u>Mark</u>	<u>Reg. No.</u>	<u>Reg. Date</u>
MEMBER OF THE MULE FAMILY	0380631	08/27/40
HANDY ANDY	0396332	07/07/42
LUMBERJACK	0406515	04/11/44
RUF-NEK	0516575	10/18/49
HANDY HANK	0526269	06/13/50
WHITE MULE (AND DESIGN)	0556154	03/18/52
HANDY MAN	0576315	06/23/53
RIP-SNORTER	0709082	12/27/60
TRUCKERS SPECIAL (AND DESIGN)	0710933	02/07/61
RIP-SNORTER (AND DESIGN)	0721638	09/19/61
WELLS LAMONT	0779958	11/10/64
HOB-NOB	0793684	08/03/65
SNOW-PAWS	0821672	01/03/67
LITTLE NEL	0824923	02/28/67
PROMARK	0913769	06/08/71
HOTFINGERS	0962089	06/26/73

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HANDY HANDS	1077523	11/15/77
TRIGGER-TOUCH	1160127	07/07/81
TUFFY	1168514	09/08/81
WELLS LAMONT STUBBORN ABOUT QUALITY...	1202810	07/27/82
PORTLAND ROSE (AND DESIGN)	1294508	09/11/84
GRIPPER	1405025	08/12/86
MOST VALUABLE HANDS	1435707	04/07/87
WATER PROOF (AND DESIGN)	1448611	07/21/87
WELLS LAMONT GRIPS	1483546	04/05/88
GRIPS APPEARANCE (AND DESIGN)	1536445	04/25/89
RAPPS	1566034	11/14/89
MASTERSHOT	1575142	01/02/90
DESIGN ONLY (MULE HEAD)	1585788	03/06/90
WELLS LAMONT	1602429	06/19/90
WELLS	1615796	10/02/90
GRIPS	1621293	11/06/90
GRIPS PLUS	1639170	03/26/91
KNUCKLE DESIGN	1653745	08/13/91
INSIDE TIPS	1677733	03/03/92

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DESIGN ONLY (MULE HEAD)	1682095	04/07/92
PROMARK	1689100	05/26/92
YOU & ME, KID	1706825	08/11/92
HOT MUSIC	1802760	11/02/93
MULES	1821463	02/15/94
GARDEN TIPS	1835533	05/10/94
HOTFINGERS	1841901	06/28/94
SUREGUARD	1849143	08/09/94
GARDENER'S CHOICE	1871976	01/03/95
GRIPS APPEARANCE ONLY	1874906	01/17/95
THE BACKDRAFT	1906616	07/18/95
CUT-TEC	1924481	10/03/95
TUFF-GUYS	1937718	11/28/95
WAREN	1963768	03/26/96
EXCEL (AND DESIGN)	2040981	02/25/97
ROSE TENDER	2096054	09/09/97
PUSH EASE	2131049	01/20/98
THE NET WORKS	2146744	03/24/98
WELLS LAMONT STUBBORN ABOUT QUALITY (AND MULE HEAD DESIGN)	2175777	07/21/98

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JACK-N-JENNY	279012	06/25/40
DESIGN ONLY (MULE HEAD)	388057	06/10/41
MISSOURI MULE	388726	07/08/41
MOE AND JOE	405159	01/11/44
WHITE MULE	539574	03/20/51
KNUCKLE DESIGN	923262	11/02/71

APPLICATIONS:

<u>Mark</u>	<u>Appl. No.</u>	<u>File Date</u>
EMETELLE	75/607945	12/18/98
KITCHEN-SAFE	75/460152	04/01/98
PUSH EASE FOR KIDS (AND DESIGN)	75/535636	08/12/98
WELDRITE	75/245289	02/21/97
WELLS LAMONT RAINBOW ELASTIC NET	75/311538	06/19/97

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Kathryn Walczak

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Kathryn Walczak

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August 7, 2000

(Date of Signature)