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Name SOUTHERN COMPANY ENERGY SOLUTIONS, INC.

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Name PROTECTION ONE ALARM MONITORING, INC.

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Composed of \_\_\_\_\_

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Address (line 2) \_\_\_\_\_

Address (line 3) TOPEKA

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DAVID R. LUDWIG

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## TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT

**THIS TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT** (the "Assignment") is made and entered into as of the 3rd day of November, 2000, by and between **SOUTHERN COMPANY ENERGY SOLUTIONS, INC.**, (hereinafter referred to as "Assignor"), and **PROTECTION ONE ALARM MONITORING, INC.**, a Delaware Corporation (hereinafter referred to as "Assignee");

### W I T N E S S E T H

**WHEREAS**, Assignor has adopted, used and is the owner of the service marks, registrations therefor and good will represented by the marks set forth on the attached Schedule A (collectively the marks, registrations and good will are referred to hereinafter as the "Marks"); and

**WHEREAS**, Assignee and Assignor desire to enter into this Assignment to effect the transfer of the Marks to Assignee;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, for and in consideration of the premises and the mutual promises hereinafter set forth and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, Assignor and Assignee hereby agree as follows:

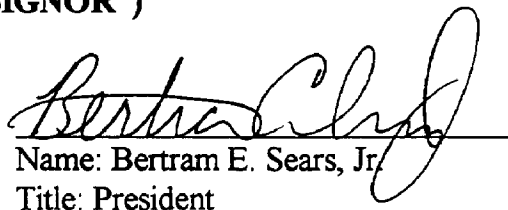
1. **Transfer and Assignment.** Assignor hereby transfers and assigns to Assignee all right, title and interest in and to the Marks, together with the underlying business identified by the Marks, along with the right to recover for damages and profits and other remedies for past infringements of the Marks.

2. **Further Documentation and Actions.** Assignor hereby agrees to execute and deliver to Assignee any further documents and instruments, and to do any and all further acts, deemed necessary by Assignee to vest in Assignee all right, title and interest in and to the Marks, and to enable such right, title and interest to be recorded in the United States Patent & Trademark Office and any other appropriate governmental authority or agency of the United States.

This 3rd day of November, 2000.

**SOUTHERN COMPANY ENERGY SOLUTIONS, INC.**  
**("ASSIGNOR")**

By:

  
Name: Bertram E. Sears, Jr.  
Title: President

**SCHEDULE A**

<b><u>Mark</u></b>	<b><u>Registration No.</u></b>	<b><u>Registration Date</u></b>
POWERCALL	2,113,360	November 18, 1997
POWERCALL	2,084,707	July 29, 1997
POWERCALL	1,880,917	February 28, 1995

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