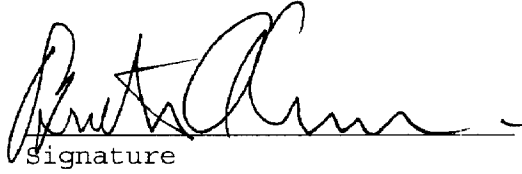


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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, The Burns & Russell Company of Baltimore City (D.B.A. -- The Burns & Russell Co. and hereinafter "ASSIGNOR"), a corporation of Maryland having offices at P.O. Box 6063, Baltimore, Maryland 21231 is the owner of U.S. Trademark Registration No. 1,856,479 for SPECTRA;

AND WHEREAS, Southeast Capital Corporation (hereinafter "ASSIGNEE"), a corporation of Maryland, having offices at 7 West Allegheny Avenue, Towson, Maryland 21204 is desirous of acquiring said trademark and registration therefor;

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of five U.S. dollars and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNOR by these presents does sell, assign and transfer unto ASSIGNEE all right, title, and interest throughout the world in and to said trademark and said trademark registration therefor, together with the goodwill of the business symbolized by said trademark and registration.

AND ASSIGNOR hereby requests the U.S. Director of Patents and Trademarks and the officials of all trademark offices throughout the world to issue said trademark registration to ASSIGNEE;

ASSIGNOR covenants with said ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns, and legal representatives, that the rights and property herein conveyed are free and clear of any encumbrance, and that they have the full right to convey the same as herein expressed.

The undersigned hereby grants the firm of Pollock, Vande Sande & Amernick, 1990 M Street, N.W., Suite 800, P.O. Box 19088, Washington, DC 20036, the power to insert on this assignment any further identification which may be necessary or desirable in order to comply with the rules of the United States Patent and Trademark Office for recordation of this document.

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