

07-27-2001

Form PTO-1594  
(Rev. 03/01)  
OMB No. 0651-0027 (exp. 5/31/2002)

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office



101790935

original documents or copy thereof.

To The Honorable Commissioner of

1. Name of conveying party(ies):  
American Electronic Sign Company - *WZ*

- Individuals(s)                       Association
- General Partnership               Limited Partnership
- Corporation-State Washington
- Other

Additional names of conveying party(ies) attached?     Yes     No

3. Nature of Conveyance:

- Assignment                               Merger
- Security Agreement                   Change of Name
- Other: Document previously recorded at Reel 002225/Frame 0387 contained an error in the Trademark Registration No. 1,959,071. Document re-recorded to correct error on stated reel.

Execution Date: November 29, 2000

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies):

Name: Minnesota Mining and Manufacturing Company  
Internal Address:  
Street Address: 3M Center, 2501 Hudson Road  
City: St. Paul    State: Minnesota    Zip: 55144

- Individual(s) citizenship
- Association
- General Partnership
- Limited Partnership
- Corporation-State Delaware
- Other

If assignee is not domiciled in the United States, a domestic representative designation is attached:     Yes     No  
(Designations must be a separate document from assignment)  
Additional names of receiving party(ies) attached?     Yes     No

4. Application number(s) or registration number(s):

A. Trademark Application No.(s)

B. Trademark Registration No.(s)

1,929,071

Additional number(s) attached?     Yes     No

5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:

Name: Michelle M. Michel  
Internal Address: OIPC, Bldg. 220-11W-01

Street Address: 3M Center, 2501 Hudson Road  
City: St. Paul    State: Minnesota    Zip: 55144

6. Total number of applications and registrations involved:                      1

7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41)                      \$40.00

- Enclosed
- Authorized to be charged to deposit account

8. Deposit Account Number:

13-3723

(Attach duplicate copy of this page if paying by deposit account)

**DO NOT USE THIS SPACE**

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.*

Michelle M. Michel  
Name of Person Signing

*Michelle M Michel*  
Signature

7-16-01  
Date

Total number of pages including cover sheet, attachments, and document:    10  
Mail documents to be recorded with required cover sheet information to:  
Commissioner for Patents & Trademarks, Box Assignments,  
Washington, DC 20231

**TRADEMARK**  
**REEL: 002334 FRAME: 0490**

01-30-2001

FORM PTO-1618A  
Expires 06/30/99  
OMB 0651-0027



101598522

U.S. Department of Commerce  
Patent and Trademark Office  
TRADEMARK

1.12.01

### RECORDATION FORM COVER SHEET TRADEMARKS ONLY

TO: The Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks: Please record the attached original document(s) or copy(ies).

#### Submission Type

- New
- Resubmission (Non-Recordation)  
Document ID # \_\_\_\_\_
- Correction of PTO Error  
Reel # \_\_\_\_\_ Frame # \_\_\_\_\_
- Corrective Document  
Reel # \_\_\_\_\_ Frame # \_\_\_\_\_

#### Conveyance Type

- Assignment
- License
- Security Agreement
- Nunc Pro Tunc Assignment  
Effective Date  
Month Day Year  
\_\_\_\_\_
- Merger
- Change of Name
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

#### Conveying Party

Mark if additional names of conveying parties attached

Name American Electronic Sign Company

Execution Date  
Month Day Year  
11/29/00

Formerly \_\_\_\_\_

- Individual
- General Partnership
- Limited Partnership
- Corporation
- Association

Other \_\_\_\_\_

Citizenship/State of Incorporation/Organization State of Washington

#### Receiving Party

Mark if additional names of receiving parties attached

Name Minnesota Mining and Manufacturing Company

DBA/AKA/TA 3M

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

Address (line 1) 3M Center

Address (line 2) 2501 Hudson Road

Address (line 3) Saint Paul Minnesota 55144  
City State/Country Zip Code

- Individual
- General Partnership
- Limited Partnership
- Corporation
- Association
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

If document to be recorded is an assignment and the receiving party is not domiciled in the United States, an appointment of a domestic representative should be attached. (Designation must be a separate document from Assignment.)

Citizenship/State of Incorporation/Organization State of Delaware

01/29/2001 GTOM11 00000219 133723 74493748

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY

01 FC:481 40.00 CH  
02 FC:482 225.00 CH

Public burden reporting for this collection of information is estimated to average approximately 30 minutes per Cover Sheet to be recorded, including time for reviewing the document and gathering the data needed to complete the Cover Sheet. Send comments regarding this burden estimate to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, Chief Information Officer, Washington, D.C. 20231 and to the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget, Paperwork Reduction Project (0651-0027), Washington, D.C. 20503. See OMB Information Collection Budget Package 0651-0027, Patent and Trademark Assignment Practice. DO NOT SEND REQUESTS TO RECORD ASSIGNMENT DOCUMENTS TO THIS ADDRESS.

Mail documents to be recorded with required cover sheet(s) information to:  
Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Box Assignments, Washington, D.C. 20231

TRADEMARK  
REEL: 002334 FRAME: 0491

**Domestic Representative Name and Address**

Enter for the first Receiving Party only.

Name

Address (line 1)

Address (line 2)

Address (line 3)

Address (line 4)

**Correspondent Name and Address**

Area Code and Telephone Number

Name

Address (line 1)

Address (line 2)

Address (line 3)

Address (line 4)

**Pages**

Enter the total number of pages of the attached conveyance document including any attachments.

#

**Trademark Application Number(s) or Registration Number(s)**

Mark if additional numbers attached

Enter either the Trademark Application Number or the Registration Number (DO NOT ENTER BOTH numbers for the same property).

Trademark Application Number(s)			Registration Number(s)		
<input type="text" value="74493748"/>	<input type="text" value="76079958"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text" value="1880468"/>	<input type="text" value="1942026"/>	<input type="text"/>
<input type="text" value="76079365"/>	<input type="text" value="76079366"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text" value="1861717"/>	<input type="text" value="1892029"/>	<input type="text"/>
<input type="text" value="76079364"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text" value="1959071"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

**Number of Properties**

Enter the total number of properties involved.

#

**Fee Amount**

Fee Amount for Properties Listed (37 CFR 3.41):

\$

Method of Payment:

Enclosed  Deposit Account

Deposit Account

(Enter for payment by deposit account or if additional fees can be charged to the account.)

Deposit Account Number:

#

Authorization to charge additional fees:

Yes  No

**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. Charges to deposit account are authorized, as indicated herein.

Michelle M. Michel  
Name of Person Signing

Michelle M Michel  
Signature

1-4-01  
Date Signed

UNITED STATES TRADEMARK AND SERVICE MARK REGISTRATION AND APPLICATION ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, AMERICAN ELECTRONIC SIGN COMPANY, a corporation of the State of Washington, 3808 North Sullivan Road, Spokane Industrial Park, Bldg. 10, Spokane, Washington, 99216-1670, has adopted, used and is using the following registered marks and mark applications listed in attached Schedule A;

WHEREAS, MINNESOTA MINING AND MANUFACTURING COMPANY, a.k.a. 3M, a corporation of the State of Delaware, 3M Center, Saint Paul, Minnesota 55144, is desirous of acquiring the said registered marks and mark applications thereof;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, said AMERICAN ELECTRONIC SIGN COMPANY does hereby assign unto the said MINNESOTA MINING AND MANUFACTURING COMPANY all right, title and interest in and to the said registered marks and mark applications, together with the good will of the business symbolized by the registered marks and mark applications.

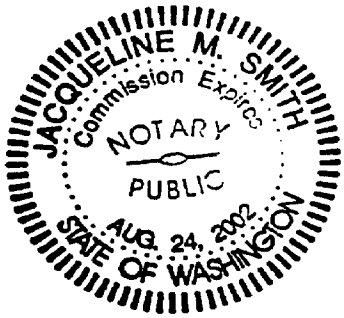
AMERICAN ELECTRONIC SIGN COMPANY

By: Luke P. Williams

Title: Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer

STATE OF WASHINGTON )  
 ) ss.  
COUNTY OF Spokane )

On this 29 day of November, 2000, before me appeared Luke G. Williams, the person who signed this instrument, who acknowledged that s/he signed it as a free act on behalf of AMERICAN ELECTRONIC SIGN COMPANY with authority to do so.



Jacqueline M. Smith  
Notary [stamp]

SCHEDULE A  
 TRADEMARKS AND SERVICE MARKS BEING ASSIGNED  
 FROM AMERICAN ELECTRONIC SIGN COMPANY  
 TO MINNESOTA MINING AND MANUFACTURING COMPANY

Mark	Serial No.	Registration No.	Filing/Issue Date
Star/Ribbon Logo (Design Only)	74-493,314	1,880,468	2/28/95
AESCO	74-470,193	1,861,717	11/8/94
AMERICAN ELECTRONIC SIGN	74-493,748		2/23/94
AOPAI AMERICAN ON-PREMISE ADVERTISING INSTITUTE	75-759,689		7/26/99
DIAMOND BRITE	74-470,140	1,959,071	10/24/95
DIAMOND BRITE (and design)	74-470,185	1,942,026	12/19/95
GUARDIAN	76-079,365		6/26/00
SOLARTRONIC	74-491,664	1,892,029	5/2/95
TRANSTAR	76-079,364		6/28/00
TRILUX	76-079,958		5/28/00
UNILUX	76-079,366		6/28/00



SCHEDULE A  
 TRADEMARKS AND SERVICE MARKS BEING ASSIGNED  
 FROM AMERICAN ELECTRONIC SIGN COMPANY  
 TO MINNESOTA MINING AND MANUFACTURING COMPANY

Mark	Serial No.	Registration No.	Filing/Issue Date
Star/Ribbon Logo (Design Only)	74-493,314	1,880,468	2/28/95
AESCO	74-470,193	1,861,717	11/8/94
AMERICAN ELECTRONIC SIGN	74-493,748		2/23/94
AOPAI AMERICAN ON-PREMISE ADVERTISING INSTITUTE	75-759,689	<del>1,929,071</del> <sup>MMM</sup>	7/26/99
DIAMOND BRITE	74-470,140	<del>1,959,071</del>	10/24/95
DIAMOND BRITE (and design)	74-470,185	1,942,026	12/19/95
GUARDIAN	76-079,365		6/26/00
SOLARTRONIC	74-491,664	1,892,029	5/2/95
TRANSTAR	76-079,364		6/28/00
TRILUX	76-079,958		5/28/00
UNILUX	76-079,366		6/28/00