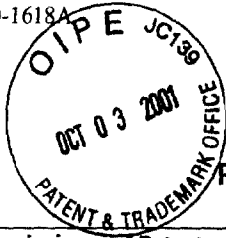


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Name TDC Filter Manufacturing, Inc.

Execution Date  
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- Individual  General Partnership  Limited Partnership  Corporation  Association
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Name Harris Trust and Savings Bank

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

Address (line 1) 111 West Monroe Street

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

Address (line 3) Chicago

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Area Code and Telephone Number

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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.

Andrea Serdiuk  
Name of Person Signing

*Andrea Serdiuk*  
Signature

9/29/01  
Date Signed

**SCHEDULE A-1  
TO TRADEMARK COLLATERAL AGREEMENT**

**REGISTERED TRADEMARKS  
AND TRADEMARK APPLICATIONS**

**FEDERAL TRADEMARK REGISTRATIONS**

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PleatKeeper	1,720,100	10/01/97
We Take the Dust Out of Industry	1,744,417	01/05/93
EFC	1,835,173	05/10/94
Pleat Plus	2,250,278	06/01/99

**PENDING FEDERAL TRADEMARK APPLICATIONS**

MARK	SERIAL NO.	FILED
None.		



## TRADEMARK COLLATERAL AGREEMENT

This 28th day of September, 2001, TDC Filter Manufacturing, Inc., a Delaware corporation ("*Debtor*") with its principal place of business and mailing address at 7720 Lehigh Avenue, Niles, Illinois 60714 in consideration of ten dollars (\$10.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, assigns, mortgages and pledges to Harris Trust and Savings Bank, an Illinois banking corporation with its mailing address at 111 West Monroe Street, Chicago, Illinois 60690 ("*Harris*"), acting as collateral agent hereunder for the Secured Creditors identified and defined in the Security Agreement described below (Harris acting as such collateral agent and any successor or successors to Harris acting in such capacity being hereinafter referred to as the "*Agent*"), and grants to Agent a continuing security interest in, the following property:

(i) Each trademark, trademark registration and trademark application listed on Schedule A-1 hereto, and all of the goodwill of the business connected with the use of, and symbolized by, each such trademark, trademark registration and trademark application; and

(ii) Each trademark license listed on Schedule A-2 hereto and all royalties and other sums due or to become due under or in respect of each such trademark license, together with the right to sue for and collect all such royalties and other sums; and

(iii) All proceeds of the foregoing, including without limitation any claim by Debtor against third parties for damages by reason of past, present or future infringement of any trademark or trademark registration listed on Schedule A-1 hereto or of any trademark licensed under a trademark license listed on Schedule A-2 or by reason of injury to the goodwill associated with any such trademark, trademark registration or trademark license, in each case together with the right to sue for and collect said damages;

to secure performance of all Obligations as set out in that certain Security Agreement bearing even date herewith between Debtor, certain other debtors identified therein and Agent (the "*Security Agreement*").

Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, this Trademark Collateral Agreement shall not operate as a sale, transfer, conveyance or other assignment to Agent of any applications by Debtor for a Trademark based on an intent to use the same if and so long as such application is pending without a Statement of Use having been filed and accepted (such pending applications which are based on intent to use being hereinafter referred to collectively as "*Intent-To-Use Applications*"), but rather, if and so long as Debtor's Intent-To-Use Application is pending without a Statement of Use having been filed and accepted, then this Trademark Collateral Agreement shall operate only to create a security interest for collateral purposes in favor of Agent on such Intent-To-Use Application as collateral security for the Obligations. When a Statement of Use is filed and accepted by the Trademark Office, then that application shall cease to be partly exempted from this Agreement.

Debtor does hereby further acknowledge and affirm that the rights and remedies of Agent with respect to the assignment, mortgage, pledge and security interest in the trademarks, trademark registrations, trademark applications and trademark licenses made and granted hereby are more fully set forth in the Security Agreement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Debtor has caused this Trademark Collateral Agreement to be duly executed as of the date and year last above written.

TDC FILTER MANUFACTURING, INC.

By Michael D. Bennett  
Name Michael D. Bennett  
Title VP

HARRIS TRUST AND SAVINGS BANK, as Agent

By \_\_\_\_\_  
Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Title \_\_\_\_\_

Debtor does hereby further acknowledge and affirm that the rights and remedies of Agent with respect to the assignment, mortgage, pledge and security interest in the trademarks, trademark registrations, trademark applications and trademark licenses made and granted hereby are more fully set forth in the Security Agreement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Debtor has caused this Trademark Collateral Agreement to be duly executed as of the date and year last above written.

TDC FILTER MANUFACTURING, INC.

By \_\_\_\_\_  
Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Title \_\_\_\_\_

HARRIS TRUST AND SAVINGS BANK, as Agent

By Leon E Meyer  
Name Leon E Meyer  
Title Vice President

STATE OF ILLINOIS )  
 ) SS  
COUNTY OF COOK )

I, Linda S. Sora a Notary Public in and for said County, in the State aforesaid, do hereby certify that Michael D. Bennett, VP of TDC Filter Manufacturing, Inc., a Delaware corporation, who is personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument as such VP, appeared before me this day in person and acknowledged that he signed and delivered the said instrument as his own free and voluntary act and as the free and voluntary act and deed of said corporation for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

Given under my hand and notarial seal, this 27th day of September, 2001.



Notary Public

Linda S. Sora

(Type or Print Name)

My Commission Expires:

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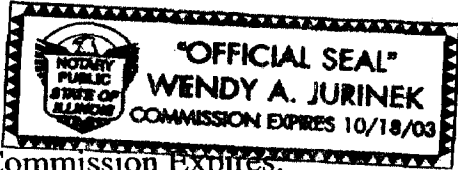
STATE OF ILLINOIS )  
 ) SS  
COUNTY OF COOK )

I, Wendy A. Jurinek, a Notary Public in and for said County, in the State aforesaid, do hereby certify that Len Meyer, Vice President of Harris Trust and Savings Bank, an Illinois banking corporation, who is personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument as such Vice President, appeared before me this day in person and acknowledged that he signed and delivered the said instrument as his own free and voluntary act and as the free and voluntary act and deed of said corporation for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

Given under my hand and notarial seal, this 28th day of September, 2001.

Wendy Jurinek  
Notary Public

(NOTARIAL SEAL)



My Commission Expires:

Wendy A. Jurinek  
(Type or Print Name)

October 18, 2003



**SCHEDULE A-2  
TO TRADEMARK COLLATERAL AGREEMENT**

**TRADEMARK LICENSES**

None.