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

To the Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks: Please record the attached original documents or copy thereof.

1. Name of conveying party(ies):  
The Eastern Company 10/10/01

Individual(s)       Association  
 General Partnership       Limited Partnership  
 Corporation-Connecticut  
 Other:

Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached?       Yes  
 No

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies):  
Name: Rule Industries, Inc.  
Internal Address:  
Street Address: 1 Kondelin Road  
Cape Ann Industrial Park  
City: Gloucester  
State: Massachusetts      Zip: 01930

Individual(s) citizenship: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Association: \_\_\_\_\_  
 General Partnership: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Limited Partnership: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Corporation-State: Massachusetts  
 Other: \_\_\_\_\_

If assignee is not domiciled in the United States, a domestic representative designation is attached:       Yes  
(Designations must be a separate document from assignment)       No  
Additional name(s) & address(es) attached?       Yes       No

3. Nature of Conveyance:  
 Assignment       Merger  
 Security Agreement       Change of Name  
 Other:  
Execution Date: August 15, 1983

4. Application Number(s) or Registration Number(s):

A. Trademark Application No.(s):  
Additional numbers attached?       Yes       No

B. Trademark Registration No.(s):  
738,590      738,591      738,592  
738,594

5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:  
Name: William E. Powell III  
DICKSTEIN SHAPIRO MORIN & OSHINSKY  
LLP  
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6. Total Number of applications and registrations involved: 4

7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41) \$ 115.00  
 Enclosed  
 Authorized to be charged to Deposit Account

8. Deposit account number:  
04-1073  
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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.*

William E. Powell      *W.E. Powell*      October 9, 2001  
Name of Person Signing      Signature      Date

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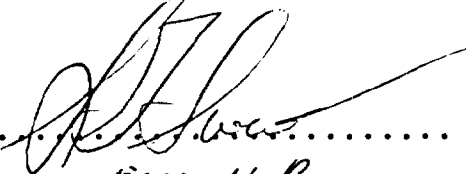
WHEREAS, The Eastern Company (hereinafter referred to as "EASTERN"), a Connecticut corporation having a place of business at 112-T Bridge Street, Naugatuck, Connecticut 06770, has adopted and used in its business trademarks for which it has filed applications for registration in the United States Patent and Trademark Office, said trademarks and said applications for registration being identified in Schedule A hereof;

WHEREAS, EASTERN is the registrant of certain United States Trademark Registrations for trademarks, said Registrations and said trademarks being identified in Schedule B hereof;


WHEREAS, Rule Industries, Incorporated (hereinafter referred to as "RULE"), a Massachusetts corporation having a place of business at Cape Ann Industrial Park, Gloucester, Massachusetts 01930, is desirous of acquiring said trademarks, said applications for registration and said Trademark Registrations:

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of and in exchange for the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, EASTERN does hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over to RULE the entire right, title and interest in and to said trademarks, said applications for registration and said Trademark Registrations, together with the good will of the business in connection with which said trademarks are used, and the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks is requested to issue the certificates of registration for the trademarks of Schedule A hereof to said RULE.

THE EASTERN COMPANY

By  .....  
Exec. U. P.

Dated: ... 12/13/83 .....

Attest:  .....

(Corporate Seal)

Schedule A

Application for Registration

<u>Serial No.</u>	<u>Mark</u>	<u>Filing Date</u>
392,944	COMPETITOR	September 29, 1982
392,945	CORSAIR II	September 29, 1982
392,946	CHALLENGER	September 29, 1982
406,242	HI-SPEED	December 16, 1982
406,243	STANDARD	December 16, 1982

Schedule BUnited States Trademark  
Registration No.MarkOriginal  
Registration Date

504,310	DANFORTH	November 30, 1948
656,242	SHEARPIN	December 24, 1957
657,643	HI-TENSILE	January 28, 1958
709,002	DANFORTH	December 27, 1960
714,717	DANFORTH	May 2, 1961
737,870	CORSAIR	September 18, 1962
738,590	CONSTELLATION	October 2, 1962
738,591	EXPRESS	October 2, 1962
738,592	COMMANDER	October 2, 1962
738,594	WHITE + Design	October 2, 1962
755,036	KELVIN-WHITE	August 20, 1963
758,086	LODESTAR	October 8, 1963
795,049	SURE-RING	August 31, 1965
802,672	ARIES	January 25, 1966
804,642	DW Design	March 1, 1966
860,523	ORION	November 19, 1968
877,647	DANFORTH	September 30, 1969
898,584	STANDARD	September 15, 1970
921,546	VAPALARM	October 5, 1971
1,021,958	POLYAXIAL	October 7, 1975
1,085,943	WHITE	February 21, 1978
1,089,110	DANFORTH	April 11, 1978
1,156,082	THE WORLD'S MOST TRUSTED	June 2, 1981

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