

TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT

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SUBMISSION TYPE:	NEW ASSIGNMENT
NATURE OF CONVEYANCE:	ASSIGNS THE ENTIRE INTEREST AND THE GOODWILL

CONVEYING PARTY DATA

Name	Formerly	Execution Date	Entity Type
Shepherd Caster Corporation		02/08/2000	CORPORATION: DELAWARE

RECEIVING PARTY DATA

Name:	Shepherd Hardware Products, LLC
Street Address:	6961 U.S. Highway 12
City:	Three Oaks
State/Country:	MICHIGAN
Postal Code:	49128
Entity Type:	Limited Liability Corporation: DELAWARE

PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 4

Property Type	Number
Serial Number:	75912000
Registration Number:	2632430
Registration Number:	2632431
Registration Number:	2632432

CORRESPONDENCE DATA

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ATTORNEY DOCKET NUMBER:

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NAME OF SUBMITTER:

Thomas W. Ryan

Total Attachments: 2

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NUNC PRO TUNC TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT

1. **WHEREAS**, Shepherd Caster Corporation, of 203 Kerth Street, St. Joseph, Michigan 49085, a corporation duly organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Delaware (hereinafter referred to as Assignor), is the owner of certain trademark registrations and applications in the United States; and

2. **WHEREAS**, the products produced and sold under trademarks embodied in the such trademarks are produced and sold by a sister company, Shepherd Hardware Products, LLC, of 6961 U.S. Highway 12, Three Oaks, Michigan 49128, a limited liability corporation duly organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Delaware (hereinafter referred to as Assignee); and

3. **WHEREAS**, Assignee is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest of Assignor in said trademark registrations and applications, together with any remaining portion of Assignor's business to which the marks pertain.

4. **NOW, THEREFORE**, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00 USD) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignor hereby agrees to, sell, assign and transfer unto Assignee, its successors and assigns, all of Assignor's right, title and interest throughout the world in and to said trademarks and said registrations and applications together with any portion of Assignor's business to which the marks pertain, including specifically, without limiting the generality of the foregoing, the following trademarks:

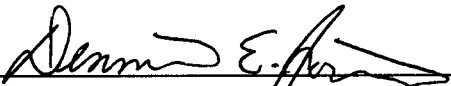
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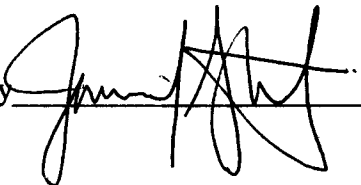
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United States	CASTER EXPRESS	2,632,430	October 8, 2002
United States	CASTER EXPRESS	2,632,431	October 8, 2002
United States	CAST-EX	2,632,432	October 8, 2002

5. **TO BE HELD AND ENJOYED BY** Assignee, its successors and assigns, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by Assignor had this assignment not been made, with all rights and privileges granted and secured thereby, including the right to sue and recover for any past infringement, effective *nunc pro tunc* from February 8, 2000.

6. **IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, Assignor has caused these presents to be executed *nunc pro tunc* by its officers hereunto duly authorized this 8th day of February, 2000.

**ASSIGNOR:
SHEPHERD CASTER CORPORATION**

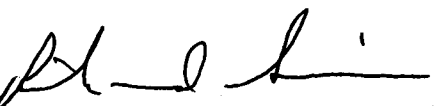
By: 
Name: DENNIS E. JONES
Title: PRESIDENT

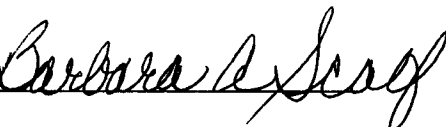
Notary 

JENNIFER STORTZ
Notary Public, Berrien County, Michigan
My Commission Expires July 8, 2001^e

Dated 5-2-03

**ASSIGNEE:
SHEPHERD HARDWARE PRODUCTS
LLC**

By: 
Name: Richard E. Simon
Title: Asst. Secy - Controller

Notary 

Dated June 6, 2003

BARBARA A. SCALF
Notary Public, Berrien County, Michigan
My Commission Expires May 28, 2005