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1. Name of conveying party(ies):
Wachovia Bank, National Association

- [ ] Individual(s)
- [x] Association
- [ ] General Partnership
- [ ] Limited Partnership
- [ ] Corporation-State
- [ ] Other

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

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies)
Name: Pleasants Hardware Company
Internal Address:
Street Address: 1010 Northwest Boulevard
City: Winston-Salem State: NC Zip: 27101

- [ ] Individual(s) citizenship
- [ ] Association
- [ ] General Partnership
- [ ] Limited Partnership
- [x] Corporation-State North Carolina
- [ ] Other

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

3. Nature of conveyance:

- [x] Assignment
- [ ] Merger
- [ ] Security Agreement
- [ ] Change of Name
- [ ] Other

Execution Date: 4/10/2003

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

A. Trademark Application No.(s)

B. Trademark Registration No.(s) 1,929,086 2,060,232; 1,769,022; 2,287,820

Additional number(s) attached [ ] Yes [x] No

5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:
Name: Deneen Sanders, Paralegal
Internal Address: Goldberg, Kohn, et. al.
Street Address: 55 East Monroe Street
Suite 3700
City: Chicago State: IL Zip: 60603

6. Total number of applications and registrations involved: 4

7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41).....$ 115-00

- [x] Enclosed
- [ ] Authorized to be charged to deposit account

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9. Signature.

Deneen Sanders — Name of Person Signing
Signature
April 17, 2003 — Date

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TRADEMARK TRANSFER AND ASSIGNMENT

FOR VALUE RECEIVED, the undersigned, **WACHOVIA BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION**, a national banking association ("Assignor"), does hereby sell, assign, transfer and convey to **PLEASANTS HARDWARE COMPANY**, a North Carolina corporation ("Assignee"), without any representation or warranty by, or recourse to, Assignor, all right, title and interest of Assignor in and to the trademark applications and trademarks listed on Schedule A attached hereto, arising under that certain Trademark Security Agreement, dated January 8, 1999, between Assignee and Assignor (as at any time amended, the "Trademark Security Agreement"), recorded January 13, 1999, on Reel No. 1842, Frame 0162, United States Patent and Trademark Office, together with the goodwill of the business symbolized by the marks.

This Assignment is intended to operate as a release of all liens and security interests conveyed by Assignee to Assignor pursuant to the terms of that certain Trademark Security Agreement, and to reassign to Assignee all of Assignor's right, title, and interest acquired pursuant to the terms of such Trademark Agreement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Assignor has caused this Agreement to be signed and sealed by its duly authorized officers, on April 10, 2003.

WACHOVIA BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION

By: Jeanette K. Mulders

Title: Director

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STATE OF GA)
)
COUNTY OF Fulton)

BEFORE ME, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for the county aforesaid, on this 10 day of April, 2003, personally appeared Jeanette K. Childress to me known personally, and who, being by me duly sworn, deposes and says that she is the Director of Wachovia Bank, National Association, a national banking association, and that said instrument was signed by her on behalf of said bank by authority of its Board of Directors, and said Director acknowledged said instrument to be the free act and deed of said bank.

Shelley R. Shaw
Notary Public
Executed on _____
My Commission Expires:

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[NOTARIAL SEAL]

Shelley R. Shaw
Notary Public-Fulton County, Georgia
My Commission Expires 6-11-06

SCHEDULE A

1. United States Trademark Registration Number 1,929,086, dated October 24, 1995.

2. United States Trademark Registration Number 2,060,232, dated May 13, 1997.

3. United States Trademark Registration Number 1,769,022, dated May 4, 1993.

4. United States Trademark Registration Number 2,287,820, dated October 19, 1999 (Application Serial Number 75/548,743, filed September 4, 1998).