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### RECORDATION FORM COVER SHEET TRADEMARKS ONLY

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):  
Sweepster, L.L.C.

Individual(s)                       Association  
 General Partnership               Limited Partnership  
 Corporation-State  
 Other MI limited liability company

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

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies)  
Name: Sweepster Attachments, LLC  
Internal Address:  
Address:  
Street Address: 5825 Council Street NE  
City: Cedar Rapids State: IA Zip: 52402

Individual(s) citizenship  
 Association  
 General Partnership  
 Limited Partnership  
 Corporation-State  
 Other DE limited liability company

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

3. Nature of conveyance:  
 Assignment                       Merger  
 Security Agreement               Change of Name  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

Execution Date: 02/25/2005

4. Application number(s) or registration number(s):  
 A. Trademark Application No.(s) n/a

B. Trademark Registration No.(s) 1,358,881

Additional number(s) attached  Yes  No

5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:  
 Name: Penelope S. Johnson  
 Internal Address: Katten Muchin Zavis Rosenman  
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6. Total number of applications and registrations involved: 7

7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41) \$ 190.00  
 Enclosed  
 Authorized to be charged to deposit account

8. Deposit account number:

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9. Signature.  
 Penelope S. Johnson                      *Penelope S. Johnson*                      03/02/2005  
 Name of Person Signing                      Signature                      Date

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**Additional Registration Numbers:**

1,670,976  
1,951,936  
2,236,245  
2,429,653  
2,549,551  
1,450,367

## TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT

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**03/18/2005**  
**900021545**

SUBMISSION TYPE:	CORRECTIVE ASSIGNMENT
NATURE OF CONVEYANCE:	Corrective Assignment to correct the incorrectly listed assignee previously recorded on Reel 003039 Frame 636. Assignor(s) hereby confirms the correct assignee to be Sweepster Attachments, LLC.

## CONVEYING PARTY DATA

Name	Formerly	Execution Date	Entity Type
Sweepster, L.L.C.		02/25/2005	Limited Liability Company: MICHIGAN

## RECEIVING PARTY DATA

Name:	Sweepster Attachments, LLC
Street Address:	5825 Council Street NE
City:	Cedar Rapids
State/Country:	IOWA
Postal Code:	52402
Entity Type:	Limited Liability Company: DELAWARE

## PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 7

Property Type	Number	Word Mark
Registration Number:	1358881	FARMER'S FACTORY CO.
Registration Number:	1670976	FFC
Registration Number:	1951936	PREPARATOR
Registration Number:	2236245	AUTORAKE
Registration Number:	2429653	FFC CYCLONE BROOMS
Registration Number:	2549551	F F C
Registration Number:	1450367	SWEEPSTER

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Signature:	/pja/
Date:	03/18/2005

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SUBMISSION TYPE:	NEW ASSIGNMENT		
NATURE OF CONVEYANCE:	Assignment		
<b>CONVEYING PARTY DATA</b>			
<b>Name</b>	<b>Formerly</b>	<b>Execution Date</b>	<b>Entity Type</b>
Sweepster, LLC		02/25/2005	Limited Liability Company: MICHIGAN
<b>RECEIVING PARTY DATA</b>			
<b>Name:</b>	Antares Capital Corporation, as Agent		
<b>Street Address:</b>	311 South Wacker Drive		
<b>Internal Address:</b>	Suite 4400		
<b>City:</b>	Chicago		
<b>State/Country:</b>	ILLINOIS		
<b>Postal Code:</b>	60606		
<b>Entity Type:</b>	CORPORATION: DELAWARE		
<b>PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 7</b>			
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**ASSIGNMENT OF REGISTERED TRADEMARKS**

WHEREAS, Sweepster, L.L.C., (Assignor), a Michigan corporation, having its principal offices at 2800 N. Zeeb Road, Dexter, Michigan 48130 has adopted, used, is using and is the owner of the following trademark now registered in the United States Patent and Trademark Office:

<u>Trademark</u>	<u>Registration No.</u>	<u>Date of Registration</u>
FARMER'S FACTORY CO. & DESIGN	1,358,881	September 10, 1985
FFC & DESIGN	1,670,976	January 7, 1992
PREPARATOR (STYLIZED)	1,951,936	January 23, 1996
AUTORAKE	2,236,245	March 30, 1999
CYCLONE BROOMS	2,429,653	February 20, 2001
FFC	2,549,551	March 19, 2002
SWEEPSTER	1,450,367	August 4, 1987

and the following trademark now registered in the Canadian Patent and Trademark Office:

<u>Trademark</u>	<u>Registration No.</u>	<u>Date of Registration</u>
FFC & DESIGN	TMA590010	September 17, 2003


WHEREAS, Sweepster Attachments, LLC, (Assignee), a Delaware limited liability company, having its principal place of business at 5825 Council Street NE, Cedar Rapids, Iowa 52402 is desirous of acquiring said registered trademark;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignor hereby assigns to Assignee, and its successors in interest, all right, title and interest in and to said trademark, together with the goodwill of the business symbolized by said trademark and registration thereof, and including all common-law and other rights in said trademark, all claims, demands and causes for action, both at law and in equity, that Assignor may have, or may hereinafter acquire, on account of any infringement of said trademark and the

registration thereof prior to the date hereof, and does hereby empower Assignee, and its successors in interest, to sue for and collect the same, to its and their own and absolute use.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned, being duly authorized and acting on behalf of Assignor, does hereby execute this assignment to take effect on the 25<sup>th</sup> day of FEBRUARY, 2005.

Sweepster, L.L.C.

  
By: Gerard H. Spencer  
Title: Chief Financial Officer