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AFTER RECORDING RETURN TO:  
LONE STAR  
2599 - 74th STREET  
LUBBOCK, TEXAS 79423  
ATTN: GAYA PERKINS

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
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To the Director of the U. S. Patent and Trademark Office: Please record the attached documents or the new address(es) below

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1. Name of conveying party(ies):

Americot, Inc.

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

Citizenship (see guidelines)

Additional names of conveying parties attached?  Yes  No

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies)

Additional names, addresses, or citizenship attached?  Yes  No

Name: Amarillo National Bank Lone Star Lubbock LPO

Internal

Address:

Street Address: 410 S. Taylor

City: Amarillo

State: Texas

Country: USA

Zip: 79105

- Association
- General Partnership
- Limited Partnership
- Corporation
- Other

Citizenship United States  
If assignee is not domiciled in the United States, a domestic representative designation is attached:  Yes  No  
(Designations must be a separate document from assignment)

3. Nature of conveyance /Execution Date(s) :

Execution Date(s) May 24, 2007

- Assignment
- Security Agreement
- Other
- Merger
- Change of Name

4. Application number(s) or registration number(s) and identification or description of the Trademark.

A. Trademark Application No.(s)

78,475,985; 78/501561; 78/492138

B. Trademark Registration No.(s)

Pending; 3181680; 3178020

Additional sheet(s) attached?  Yes  No

C. Identification or Description of Trademark(s) (and Filing Date if Application or Registration Number is unknown):  
NEXGEN; NEXGEN (& design); THE NEXT GENERATION OF COTTON

5. Name & address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:

Name: Kirk Thomas

Internal Address:

Street Address: 2599 74th Street

City: Lubbock

State: TX Zip: 79423

Phone Number: 806-771-7717

Fax Number: 806-771-7716

Email Address:

6. Total number of applications and registrations involved: 3

7. Total fee (37 CFR 2.6(b)(6) & 3.41) \$ 90.00

- Authorized to be charged by credit card
- Authorized to be charged to deposit account
- Enclosed

8. Payment Information:

a. Credit Card Last 4 Numbers \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration Date \_\_\_\_\_

b. Deposit Account Number \_\_\_\_\_

Authorized User Name \_\_\_\_\_

9. Signature:

Signature

Date

Kirk Thomas, President

Name of Person Signing

Total number of pages including cover sheet, attachments, and document: 5/29/07

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## ASSIGNMENT FOR SECURITY (Patents and Trademarks)

WHEREAS, (Americot, Inc.), a Texas Corporation (herein referred to as "Assignor"), owns (i) the letters patent and/or applications for letters patent of the United States, including, without limitation, the inventions and improvements claimed therein, more particularly described on Schedule 1 annexed hereto as part hereof (the "Patents") and (ii) the trademarks listed on Schedule 2 annexed hereto as part hereof (the "Trademarks"); and

WHEREAS, Assignor is obligated to (Amarillo National Bank Lone Star Loan Production Office) (referred to herein as the "Assignee"), and Assignor has entered into a Security Agreement dated the date hereof (the "Agreement") in favor of Assignee; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Agreement, Assignor has assigned to Assignee and granted to Assignee a security interest in and mortgage on, all right, title and interest of Assignor in and to the Patents and Trademarks, together with any reissue, continuation, continuation-in-part, divisions, renewals or extension thereof, and all proceeds thereof, including, without limitation, all income, royalties, damages and payments now or hereafter due and/or payable under and with respect thereto, including, without limitation, damages and payments for past or future infringements thereof, the right to sue for past, present and future infringements thereof, and all rights corresponding thereto throughout the world (the "Collateral"), to secure the prompt payment, performance and observance of the Secured Obligations, as defined in Agreement.

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuation consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignor does hereby further assign unto Assignee and grant to Assignee a security interest in and mortgage interest on the Collateral to secure the prompt payment, performance and observance of the Secured Obligations.

Assignor does hereby further acknowledge and affirm that the rights and remedies of Assignee with respect to the assignment of, security interest in and mortgage on the Collateral made and granted hereby are more fully set forth in the Agreement, the terms and provisions of which are hereby incorporated herein by reference as if fully set forth herein.

Assignee's address is (2599 74th Street, Lubbock, TX 79423).

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Assignor has used this Assignment to be duly executed by its officer thereunto duly authorized as of the 25 day of May, 2007.

[Amarillo National Bank Lone Star LPO]

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name: Kirk Thomas  
Title: President

[Americot, Inc.]

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name: David H. Hicks  
Title: President

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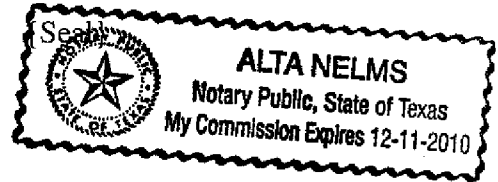
**ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**

STATE OF Texas

COUNTY OF Dunes

Subscribed and sworn to me this 13<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2007.

Alta Nelms  
Notary Public  
My commission expires:



**Schedule 2**

COUNTRY	TRADEMARK	STATUS	APP. NO.	REG. NO.
United States of America	NEXGEN	Pending	78,475,985	
United States of America	NEXGEN (& design)	Registered	78/501561	3181680
United States of America	THE NEXT GENERATION OF COTTON	Registered	78/492138	3178020