### TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT

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SUBMISSION TYPE:	NEW ASSIGNMENT

NATURE OF CONVEYANCE: SECURITY INTEREST

### **CONVEYING PARTY DATA**

Name	Formerly	Execution Date	Entity Type
National City Bank		10/01/2009	CORPORATION: OHIO

#### **RECEIVING PARTY DATA**

Name:	NS Finance LLC
Street Address:	2200 Overlook Road
City:	Cleveland
State/Country:	оню
Postal Code:	44106
Entity Type:	LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY: OHIO

#### PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 3

Property Type	Number	Word Mark
Registration Number:	1986108	SWIVEL STRAIGHT
Registration Number:	1545408	LITES-UP
Registration Number:	2242420	EZ UP

### **CORRESPONDENCE DATA**

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Signature:	/richard perez/
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#### ASSIGNMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST

THIS ASSIGNMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ("Assignment") is made and entered into as of the \( \sumset \frac{57}{} \) day of October, 2009 by and between NATIONAL CITY BANK having a principal place of business in Cleveland, Ohio ("NCB") and NS FINANCE LLC, an Ohio limited liability company having a mailing address of 2200 Overlook Road, Cleveland, Ohio 44106 ("NS").

WHEREAS The Provident Bank, an Ohio banking corporation, formerly having an office at 1111 Superior Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio 44114 ("Provident") obtained in a Patent and Trademark Security Agreement ("Security Agreement") dated February 28, 2002 a security interest in each of the patents listed in Exhibit A and in each of the trademarks listed in Exhibit B (collectively, the "Security Interests") by a grant thereof from Emerald Innovations, LLC an Ohio limited liability company ("Emerald"), the Security Agreement being recorded at the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on July 15, 2002 at Reel/Frame 013077/0206.

WHEREAS NCB is the successor in interest to the Security Agreement and Security Interests by merger of Provident into NCB, the merger being evidenced by the Certificate of Merger attached as Exhibit C filed with the Secretary of State of Ohio on March 16, 2005.

WHEREAS NCB and NS entered into an agreement for the Assignment of Loan and Security Agreement and Related Documents ("Assignment of Loan") on September 1, 2009 wherein NCB granted, assigned and transferred to NS all of NCB's right, title and interest in, to and under that certain Loan and Security Agreement ("Loan Agreement") dated as of February 28, 2002, as amended, executed by Emerald, and Provident (now known as NCB), and all security instruments executed in connection therewith in accordance with, pursuant to and upon the terms and conditions of that certain Loan Sale Agreement executed by and between NCB and NS.

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Assignment of Loan, NCB desires to assign the Security Interests to NS, and NS is desirous of receiving the Security Interests.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the promises and mutual covenants contained in this Assignment and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, NCB and NS hereby agree as follows:

- 1. <u>Assignment</u>. NCB assigns, transfers, and conveys, without recourse and with no warranties or representations except as may be expressly made in the Assignment of Loan, to NS, its successors, assigns, and legal representatives any and all of NCB's rights, title, and interest in and to the Security Interests, including without limitation any and all of NCB's rights, title, and interest in and to the Security Interests arising after February 28, 2002.
- 2. Governing Law. This Assignment shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the United States of America and of the State of Ohio.
- 3. <u>Successors and Assign</u>. This Assignment shall inure to the benefit of and be binding on the successors and assigns of NCB and NS.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused these presents to be executed by its duly authorized representative, as of this \(\sigma^{57}\) day of October, 2009.

NATIONAL CITY BANK

By: H. Cliff
Name: Kainchine Oliffel
Its: Vice President
Date: 10/1/2009

STATE OF OHIO

SS.

COUNTY OF CUYAHOGA)

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 1st day of OHOPE, 2009, by Katherine Liffel, the Vice President of NATIONAL CITY BANK, who acknowledged that he/she did sign the foregoing instrument and that the same is his/her free act and deed, in the foregoing capacity, and the free act and deed of such national banking association.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my notarial seal, on the day and year last aforesaid.

Notary Public

My commission expires: UUne 110, 2013

Maria Pinizzotto

Netary Public, State of
My Comm. Exp.
June 16, 2013

# EXHIBIT A

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Patent No.	THUE	Issue Date	Evnivos
360,116	Tree Reservoir	July 11 1995	Inly 11 2000
365,169	Light Support Stake	Dec. 12, 1995	Dec 17 2009
368,674	Molded Tree Stand	April 9, 1996	Anril 9 2010
376,973	Gutter Clip	Dec. 31, 1996	Dec 31 2010
377,844	Light Support Stake	Feb. 4, 1997	Feb 4 2011
378,439	Light Support Stake	Mar. 11, 1997	Mar. 11, 2011
408,319	Decorative Light Tree	April 20, 1999	April 20, 2013
414,291	Combination Clip For	Sept. 21, 1999	Sept. 21, 2013
	Decorative Lights	·	
417,612	Mini Light Support Clip	Dec. 14, 1999	Dec. 14, 2013
429,660	Reconfigurable Decorative	Aug. 22, 2000	Aug 22, 2014
	Sculpture	)	
435,684	Tube Light Surface Clip	Dec. 26, 2000	Dec. 26, 2014
436,218	Tube Light Stake	Jan. 9, 2001	Jan. 9, 2015
442,850	Window Wreath Hanger	May 29, 2001	May 29, 2015
444,730	Reconfigurable Decorative	July 10, 2001	July 10, 2015
	Sculpture		
451,007	Tube Light Siding Hook	Nov. 27, 2001	Nov. 27, 2015
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Patent No.	Title	Description	Issue Date	Expires
5,110,078	Decorative Light Support Assembly	Adapted to releasably support a decorative bulb and socket assembly on windows and other planar surfaces	May 5, 1992	May 28, 2011
6,094,859	Tree Stand	Comprises a receptacle and two-piece base. Receptacle is placed over trunk of tree and then inserted into top portion of base. Top portion is moveable with respect to bottom portion	Aug. 1, 2000	May 28, 2013
6,132,063	Apparatus For Arranging Decorative Lights	Spiral shaped frame with a plurality of openings for holding lights. Frame provides means for concealing wires.	Oct. 17, 2000	Nov. 10, 2018
6,139,168	Decorative Tree-Like Illuminated Display System	Frame comprised of spiral strips that are coplanar in unassembled position and form a conical Christmas tree shape in assembled position	Oct. 31, 2000	Jan. 22, 2019
6,203,166	Reconfigurable Decorative Star Apparatus	Apparatus assumes star shape in display position, and collapses via hinges to a rectangular storage position	Mar. 20, 2001	Oct. 19, 2019
6,227,365	Molded Product Display System	System provides for an array of interconnected, tearably releasable plastic parts facilitating ease and effectiveness of display	May 8, 2001	Mar. 21, 2020
6,286,804	Molded Pentagonal Tree Stand		Sept. 11, 2001	May 16, 2020
6,325,344	Window Wreath Hanger	Triangular molded plastic hanger with suction cups on two corners to allow the device to be attached to smooth support surfaces like windows	Dec. 4, 2001	Feb. 8, 2020

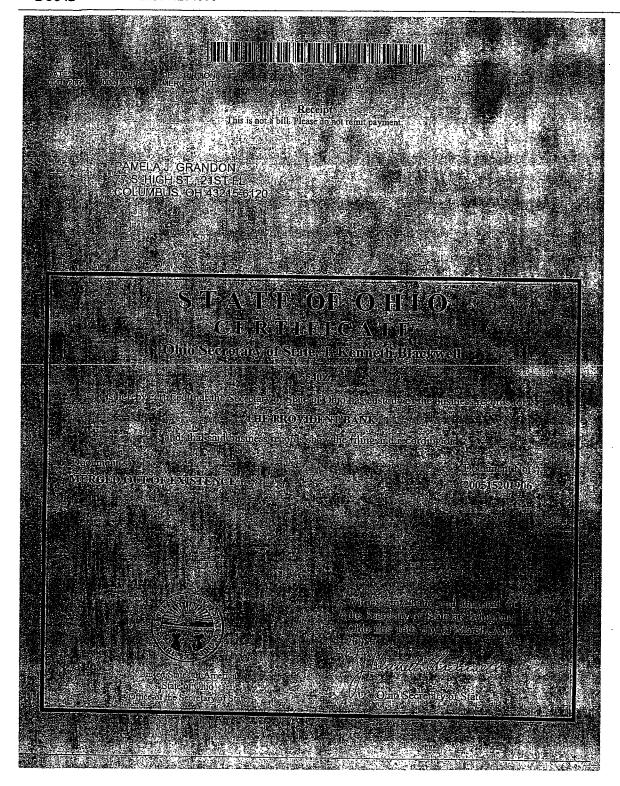
# **EXHIBIT B**

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Trademark	Registration Number
Swivel Straight	1,986,108
Lites Up GPG	1,545,408
EZ Up and Design	2,242,420

# EXHIBIT C

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### **CERTIFICATE OF MERGER**

(For Domestic or Foreign, Profit or Non-Profit)
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In accordance with the requirements of Ohio law, the undersigned corporations, banks, savings banks, savings and loan, limited liability companies, limited partnerships and/or partnerships with limited liability, desiring to effect a merger, set forth the following facts:

SURVIVING ENTITY  A. The name of the entity surviving the merger is:  National City Bank	C C
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(Complete only if name of surviving entity is changing through the merger)	<del></del>
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Domestic (Ohio) Non-Profit Corporation, charter number	
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Domestic (Ohio) Limited Liability Company, with registration number	
Foreign (Non-Ohio) Limited Liability Company organized under the laws of the state/country of and registered to do business in the State of Ohio under registration number	
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Domestic (Ohio) Limited Partnership, with registration number	
Foreign (Non-Ohlo) Limited Partnership organized under the laws of the state/country of and registered to do business in the state of Ohlo under registration number	<del></del>

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# STATE OF OHIO DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE DIVISION OF FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT The Provident Bank, Cincinnati, Ohio, merged with and into National City Bank, Cleveland Ohio, in accordance with the laws of this state and the United States, as set forth in the attached certificate of merger and certification by the Office of the Comptroller of the Currency.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands this 15th day of March, 2005.

Michael O. Roark

Deputy Superintendent for Banks

F. Scott O'Donnell

Superintendent of Financial Institutions

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Asot. Secretary of	The Provident Bank
that this affidavit is made in compliance with section	1701.84 of the ORC:
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