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RE



U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
Patent and Trademark Office

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Docket No.: 981.005US1

To the Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks:

Please record the attached original documents or copy thereof.

1. Name of conveying party(ies):

Name: Industrial Devices Corporation

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies):

Automation Solutions International  
Street Address: 64 Digital Drive

- Individuals
- General Partnership
- Corporation-California
- Other
- Association
- Limited Partnership

City: Novato State: CA ZIP: 94949

- Individual(s) citizenship
- Association
- General Partnership
- Limited Partnership
- Corporation-State
- Other Limited Liability Company-Delaware

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

3. Nature of conveyance:

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

If assignee is not domiciled in the United States, a domestic representative designation is attached:  
 Yes  No  
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Additional name(s) & address(es) attached?  Yes  No

Execution Date: December 1999

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

A. Trademark Application No.(s)

B. Trademark registration No.(s) 2196585

Additional numbers attached?  Yes  No

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

Name: Frank S. Farrell

Address: Schwegman, Lundberg & Woessner, P.A.  
1600 TCF Tower  
121 South 8th Street  
Minneapolis, MN 55402

6. Total number of applications and patents involved: 1

7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41): \$ 40.00

- Enclosed
- Authorized to be charged to deposit account

8. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayments to our Deposit account number: 19-0743

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Frank S. Farrell  
Name of Person Signing

*Frank S. Farrell*  
Signature

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**TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT**

WHEREAS, Industrial Devices Corporation, a California corporation (the "Assignor"), the address of which is 3925 Cypress Drive, Petaluma, California 94954, is the record owner of the following United States Trademark:

**NEXT STEP**

**Registration N. 2196585**

WHEREAS, AutomationSolutions International, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("Assignee"), the address of which is 775 Baywood Drive, Suite 308, Petaluma, California 94954, is desirous of acquiring all right, title and interest in and to the mark NEXT STEP, Registration No. 2196585 (the "Assigned Mark");

NOW THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignor hereby sells, assigns, transfers and conveys unto the Assignee, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest of such Assignor in and to the Assigned Mark, together with the goodwill and incidents of the business associated with the Assigned Mark.

EXECUTED at Petaluma, California, this 17<sup>th</sup> day of December 1999

Industrial Devices Corporation

By:



Alan J. Statz, President