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Area Code and Telephone Number

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PAMELA S. RATLIFF

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\$ 2090.00

Method of Payment:

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# 20-0821

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No

**Statement and Signature**

To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document. Charges to deposit account are authorized, as indicated herein.

PAMELA S. RATLIFF

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Signature

August 24, 2000

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TRADEMARKS OWNED BY BRUCE HARDWOOD FLOORING L.P.  
 ASSIGNED TO BRUCE HARDWOOD FLOORING L.L.C.

UNITED STATES TRADEMARKS

MARK (INT'L CLASS)	GOODS/SERVICES	SERIAL/REG. NUMBER
AMERICAN HOME SERIES (CL.19)	Wood flooring	1,802,740
ANDY ACORN (CL.19)	Wood flooring	2,002,112
ANDY ACORN & Design (CL.19) (a/k/a BRUCE & Design (CL.19))	Wood flooring	1,927,472
ANTELL (CL.19)	Wood flooring	1,584,167 <sup>1</sup>
BAYPORT (CL. 19)	Wood flooring	2,329,141
BRETON (CL.19)	Wood flooring	1,479,642
BROOKHOLLOW (CL. 19)	Wood flooring	2,326,281
BRUCE & Design (CL.20)	Oak flooring	266,804
BRUCE (CL.19)	Hardwood flooring, interior trim, lumber & dimension	377,520
BRUCE (CL.19)	Wood flooring	1,564,541

<sup>1</sup> Supplemental Register.

MARK (INT'L CLASS)	GOODS/SERVICES	SERIAL/REG. NUMBER
BRUCE (CL.27)	Covering for floors	2,115,966
BRUCE AMERICAN HOME SERIES & Design (No. 1) (CL.19)	Wood flooring	1,857,705
BRUCE AMERICAN HOME SERIES & Design (No. 2) (CL.19)	Wood flooring	1,857,704
BRUCE LIFETIME WARRANTY & Design (CL.19) (Trilingual)	Wood flooring	<sup>2</sup>
BRUCE LIFETIME LIMITED WARRANTY & Design (CL.19)	Wood flooring	<sup>3</sup>
BRUCE LIFETIME WARRANTY & Design (CL.19)	Wood flooring	1,990,903
CAMBRIDGE (CL.19)	Wood flooring	1,478,723
CARUTH (CL.19)	Wood flooring	1,696,951
CATHEDRAL (CL.19)	Wood flooring	1,570,954
CHARLEMONT (CL.19)	Wood flooring	1,585,680
CLAIRMONT (CL.19)	Wood flooring	1,492,258
CLEAN 'N' STRIP (CL.3)	Clean/wax removing prep for use on wooden floors	1,533,854

<sup>2</sup> Mis-Assigned Application

<sup>3</sup> No application filed.

MARK (INT'L CLASS)	GOODS/SERVICES	SERIAL/REG. NUMBER
COLOR COMPANION (CL. 20)	Point of purchase displays for wood flooring	2,278,079
COLOR JET INFUSION	Wood flooring	74/349,528 <sup>4</sup>
COUNTRY OAK (CL.19)	Wood flooring	1,586,772
CUMBERLAND (CL.19)	Parquet flooring	1,079,895
DAKOTA (CL. 19)	Wood flooring	2,329,145
DEBUT (CL.19)	Wood flooring	1,881,442
DEVON (CL.19)	Wood flooring	1,585,682
DOVER (CL. 19)	Wood flooring	2,324,216
DURALUSTER (CL.3)	Cleaning preparation for use on wood floors	1,811,793
FIRESIDE (CL.19)	Oak flooring	279,816
HAMPTON PLANK (CL.19)	Wood flooring	1,502,215
HANCOCK (CL.19)	Wood flooring	1,779,911 <sup>5</sup>
HARBORLIGHT (CL. 19)	Wood flooring	2,329,143
HARTFORD SQUARE (CL.19)	Wood flooring	1,479,641
HERITAGE SQUARE (CL.19)	Wood flooring	1,503,939

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<sup>4</sup> Abandoned.

<sup>5</sup> Supplemental Register.

MARK (INT'L CLASS)	GOODS/SERVICES	SERIAL/REG. NUMBER
HERRINGBLOK (CL.19)	Wood flooring	1,690,182 <sup>6</sup>
HERRINGSTRIP (CL.19)	Wood flooring	1,862,148
HOMESTEAD PLANK (CL.19)	Wood flooring	1,479,644
JACKSON SQUARE (CL.19)	Wood flooring	1,478,721
KENNEDALE (CL. 19)	Wood flooring	2,329,142
LECLAIRE (CL.19)	Wood flooring	1,585,683
LITE 'N' NATURAL (CL.3)	Floor wax	1,575,955
MADISON PLANK (CL.19)	Wood flooring	1,990,902
MAINSTREET (CLS. 19 and 27)	Wood flooring; hard surface coverings for floors for residential use	75/683,120
MANCHESTER (CL.19)	Wood flooring	1,585,684
MAPLE TREASURE (CL.19)	Wood flooring	2,166,490
MERIDIAN STONE (CL.19)	Wood flooring	1,864,287
MONTGOMERY (CL. 19)	Wood flooring	2,332,139
NATURAL CHOICE (CL.19)	Wood flooring	1,934,829
NATURAL REFLECTIONS (CL. 19)	Wood flooring	2,117,843

<sup>6</sup> Canceled.

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MARK (INT'L CLASS)	GOODS/SERVICES	SERIAL/REG. NUMBER
NORTHSHORE (CL. 19)	Wood flooring	2,329,144
OAKMONT (CL.19)	Wood flooring	1,497,751
OCEANSIDE (CL.19)	Wood flooring	2,150,820
OCEANSIDE PLANK (CL.19)	Wood flooring	74/519,537 <sup>7</sup>
PERMION (CL. 19)	Flooring finish	75/862,405
PREMIER (CL.19)	Wood flooring	75/028,755
RANCH PLANK (CL.19)	Flooring	586,650
REGENCY (CL.19)	Wood flooring	1,478,722
REUNION FEATURE STRIP (CL.19)	Wood flooring	1,587,847
REUNION PLANK (CL.19)	Wood flooring	1,479,643
RIDGEWOOD (CL.19)	Wood flooring	1,982,587
SANFORD (CL.19)	Wood flooring	74/711,814 <sup>8</sup>
SHILOH (CL.19)	Wood flooring	2,049,835
SIERRA PLANK (CL.19)	Wood flooring	1,502,216
SONATA (CL.19)	Wood flooring	1,953,482

<sup>7</sup> Abandoned.

<sup>8</sup> Abandoned.

MARK (INT'L CLASS)	GOODS/SERVICES	SERIAL/REG. NUMBER
SONATA STONE	Wood flooring	74/350,123 <sup>9</sup>
SORRENTO (CL.19)	Wood flooring	1,585,685
SPRINGDALE (CL. 19)	Wood flooring	2,326,279
STERLING (CL.19)	Wood flooring	1,585,686
STERLING ENCORE PLANK (CL.19)	Wood flooring	1,587,848
STERLING PRESTIGE PLANK (CL.19)	Wood flooring	1,587,849
STONE (CL.19)	Wood flooring	1,508,149
SUMMERSIDE (CL. 19)	Wood flooring	2,326,280
SUMMIT HILL (CL. 19)	Wood flooring	2,359,786
TAVERN (CL.19)	Oak flooring	279,815
TPC KITCHEN DESIGN CENTER (CL.42)	Retail store services in the field of kitchen cabinets and bathroom vanities	1,779,887
TRAFFIC ZONE (CL.27)	Covering for floors	2,114,052
TRAFFIC ZONE & DESIGN (CL.27)	Covering for floors	2,115,965
VILLA NOVA PLANK (CL.19)	Wood flooring	1,296,257

<sup>9</sup> Abandoned.

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MARK (INT'L CLASS)	GOODS/SERVICES	SERIAL/REG. NUMBER
VILLAGE PLANK (CL.19)	Random width plank flooring of multi-ply construction	1,079,894
WEAR-MASTER (CL. 3)	Wood floor cleaning preparations	1,852,842
WEAR MASTER (CL. 19)	Wood flooring	1,834,641
WESTMINSTER (CL.19)	Wood flooring	1,478,720
WINDWARD (CL.19)	Wood flooring	1,585,687

TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT AGREEMENT

This Trademark Assignment Agreement (this "Agreement"), effective as of July 5, 2000, (the "Effective Date"), is made by and between Bruce Hardwood Flooring L.P., a Texas limited partnership ("Assignor"), and Bruce Hardwood Flooring LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("Assignee").

W I T N E S E T H:

WHEREAS, Assignor has adopted and used and in certain cases registered or applied for registration of the trademarks listed on Exhibit A to this Agreement in connection with the goods listed thereon (the "Marks");

WHEREAS, Assignor has agreed to merge with and into Assignee as a result of which Assignee will acquire all of Assignor's right, title, and interest in and to the Marks, both registered and common law, the goodwill of the business symbolized thereby, and the right to recover damages and profits for past infringement thereof; and

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the premises and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the parties agree as follows:


1. Effective as of the Effective Date, Assignor hereby assigns, transfers and conveys unto Assignee all of Assignor's right, title and interest in and to the Marks, both registered and common law, the goodwill of the business symbolized thereby, and the right to recover damages and profits for past infringement thereof.

2. This Agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the United States of America and of the State of Texas.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Assignor has caused its duly authorized representative to execute this Assignment effective as of the date first above written.

BRUCE HARDWOOD FLOORING L.P.  
a Texas limited partnership

By: BHFG Corp., its General Partner

By:   
E. Dwain Plaster, President