MORTGAGE

THIS MORTGAGE is made this 15th day of April, 1998, between the

Mortgagor,

PacMoore Products, Inc., an Illinois corporation, (herein "Borrower"),

and the Mortgagee,

98047110

STATE OF INDIANA
LAKE COUNTY
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LaSalle Bank N.A., whose address is 4800 Southwick Drive, Matteson, IL 60443, (herein "Lender").

WHEREAS, Borrower is indebted to Lender in the principal sum of TWO MILLION FOUR HUNDRED SIXTY-EIGHTTHOUSAND SIX HUNDRED SIXTY-TWO AND 19/100 (\$2,468,662.19), which indebtedness is evidenced by Borrower's Note dated April 15, 1998, (herein"Note"), providing for monthly installments of principal and interest, with the balance of all principal and interest, if not sooner paid, due and payable on the 15th day of April, 2003.

TO SECURE to Lender (a) the repayment of the indebtedness evidenced by the Note, with interest thereon, the payment of all other sums, with interest thereon, advanced herewith to protect the security of this Mortgage, and the performance of the covenants and agreements of Borrower herein contained, and (b) the repayment of any future advances, with interest thereon, made to Borrower by Lender pursuant to paragraph 21 hereof (herein "Future Advances"), Borrower does hereby mortgage, grant and convey to Lender all of Mortgagor's right, title and interest in and to the property described herein, in the County of Lake, State of Indiana:

That part of the Northeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section 5, Township 36 North, Range 9 West of the Second Principal Meridian, in Lake County, Indiana, lying East of the West Quarter thereof and South of Summer Street and West of a line commencing at the point of intersection of Summer Street and the West line of the 20 foot alley in Belaj's Addition; thence South 33 degrees 36 minutes west along said alley line to the southerly line of the alley in the above Addition; thence South 56 degrees 24 minutes East along said line 20.0 feet; thence South 33 degrees 48 minutes 30.0 feet; thence South 28 degrees 28 minutes East 506.26 feet to the northerly right of way line of the New York, Chicago and St. Louis Railroad.

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which is commonly known as 1844 Summer Street, Hammond, IN 46320, (herein Property Address"); and,

TOGETHER with all of Mortgagor's right, title and interest in and to all the improvements now or hereafter erected on the property, and all easements, rights, appurtenances, rents, royalties, mineral, oil and gas rights and profits, water, water rights and water stock, and all fixtures now or hereafter attached to the property, all of which, including replacements and additions thereto, shall be deemed to be and remain a part of the property covered by this Mortgage; and all of the foregoing, together with said property (or the leasehold estate if this Mortgage is on a leasehold) are herein referred to as the "Property").

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Borrower covenants that Borrower is lawfully seized of the estate hereby conveyed and has the right to mortgage, grant and convey the Property, and the Property is unencumbered, and that Borrower will warrant and defend generally the title to the Property against all claims and demands, subject to any declarations, easements or restrictions listed in a schedule of exceptions to coverage in any title insurance policy insuring Lender's interest in the Property.

UNIFORM COVENANTS. Borrower and Lender covenant and agree as follows:

- 1. <u>PAYMENT OF PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST</u>. Borrower shall promptly pay when due the principal of and interest on the indebtedness evidenced by the Note, prepayment and late charges as provided in the Note, and the principal of and interest on any Future Advances secured by this Mortgage.
- 2. TAXES AND INSURANCE. Borrower shall be responsible for the prompt payment of all real estate taxes, special assessments and insurance as these bills come due, and, if requested by Lender, Borrower shall furnish Lender with evidence of the payment thereof, if requested by Lender. Borrower shall pay all amounts properly owing in a manner required by applicable law.

In the event the Borrower fails to comply with the terms of this paragraph, the Lender may, at its sole option, require the Borrower to establish an escrow with the Lender and make monthly payments thereto in amounts reasonably estimated and specified by the Lender. Borrower may contest any real estate tax assessment in any appropriate manner.

- 3. APPLICATION OF PAYMENTS. Unless applicable law provides otherwise, all payments received by Lender under the Note and paragraphs 1 and 2 hereof shall be applied by Lender first in payment of amounts payable to Lender by Borrower under paragraph 2 hereof, then to late charges, then to interest payable on the Note, then to the principal of the Note, next to interest and principal of any Future Advances, and finally to payment of all costs, charges and attorney's fees incurred by Lender in the maintenance or enforcement of its rights hereunder.
- 4. <u>CHARGES: LIENS</u>. Borrower shall pay all taxes, assessments and other charges, fines and impositions attributable to the Property which may attain a priority over this Mortgage, and leasehold payments or ground rents, if any, in the manner provided under paragraph 2 hereof or, if not paid in such manner, by Borrower making payment, when due, directly to the payee thereof.

Borrower shall promptly furnish to Lender all notice of amounts due under this paragraph, and in the event Borrower shall make payment directly, Borrower shall promptly furnish to Lender receipts evidencing such payments.

Borrower shall promptly discharge any lien which has priority over this Mortgage; provided, that Borrower shall not be required to discharge any such lien so long as Borrower shall agree in writing to the payment of the obligation secured by such lien in a manner acceptable to Lender, or shall in good faith contest such lien by, or defend enforcement of such lien in, legal proceedings which operate to prevent the enforcement of the lien or forfeiture of the Property of any part thereof.

5. HAZARD INSURANCE. Borrower shall keep the improvements hereafter erected on the Property insured against loss by fire, hazards included within the term "extended coverage", and such other hazards as Lender may reasonably require and in such amounts and for such periods as Lender may reasonably require; provided, that Lender shall not require that the amount of such coverage exceed that amount of coverage required to pay the sums secured by this Mortgage.

The insurance carrier providing the insurance shall be chosen by Borrower subject to approval by Lender; provided, that such approval shall not be unreasonably withheld.

All premiums on insurance policies shall be paid in the manner provided under paragraph 2 hereof or, if not paid in such manner, by Borrower making payment, when due, directly to the insurance carrier.

All insurance policies and renewals thereof shall be in form reasonably acceptable to Lender and shall include a standard mortgage clause in favor of and in form reasonably acceptable to Lender.

Lender shall be given Certificates evidencing such insurance policies and renewals thereof, and Borrower shall give prompt notice to the insurance carrier and Lender.

Lender may make proof of loss if not made promptly by Borrower.

Unless Lender and Borrower otherwise agree in writing, insurance proceeds shall be applied to restoration or repair of the Property damaged, provided such restoration or repair is economically feasible and the security of this Mortgage is not thereby impaired.

If such restoration or repair is not economically feasible or if the security of this Mortgage would be impaired, the insurance proceeds shall be applied to the sums secured by this Mortgage, with the excess, if any, paid to Borrower is Document is the property of

If the Property is abandoned by Borrower, or if Borrower fails to respond to Lender within 30 days from the date notice is mailed by Lender to Borrower that the insurance carrier offers to settle a claim for insurance benefits, Lender is authorized to collect and apply the insurance proceeds at Lender's option either to restoration or repair of the Property or to the sums secured by this Mortgage.

Unless Lender and Borrower otherwise agree in writing, any such application of proceeds to principal shall not extend or postpone the due date of the monthly installments referred to in paragraphs 1 and 2 hereof or change the amount of such installments.

If under paragraph 18 hereof the Property is acquired by Lender, all right, title and interest of Borrower in and to any insurance policies and in and to the proceeds thereof resulting from damage to the Property prior to the sale or acquisition shall pass to the Lender to the extent of the sums secured by this Mortgage immediately prior to such sale or acquisition.

- 6. PRESERVATION AND MAINTENANCE OF PROPERTY; LEASEHOLDS; CONDOMINIUMS; PLANNED UNIT DEVELOPMENTS. Borrower shall keep the Property in good repair and shall not commit waste or permit impairment or deterioration of the Property and shall comply with the provisions of any lease if this Mortgage is on a leasehold.
- 7. PROTECTION OF LENDER'S SECURITY. If Borrower fails to perform the covenants and agreements contained in this Mortgage, or if any action or proceeding is commenced which materially affects Lender's interest in the Property, including, but not limited to, eminent domain, insolvency, code enforcement, or arrangements or proceedings involving a bankrupt or decedent, then Lender at Lender's option, upon not less than fifteen (15) days notice to Borrower, may make such appearances, disburse such sums and take such action as is necessary to protect Lender's interest, including, but not limited to, disbursement of reasonable attorney's fees and entry upon the Property to make repairs.

Any amounts disbursed by Lender pursuant to this paragraph 7, with interest thereon, shall become additional indebtedness of Borrower secured by this Mortgage.

Unless Borrower and Lender agree to other terms of payment, such amounts shall be payable upon notice from Lender to Borrower requesting payment thereof, and shall bear interest from the date of disbursement at the rate payable from time to time on outstanding principal under the Note unless payment of interest at such rate would be contrary to applicable law, in which event such amounts shall bear interest at the highest rate permissible under applicable law.

Nothing contained in this paragraph 7 shall require Lender to incur any expense or take any action hereunder.

- 8. <u>INSPECTION</u>. Lender may make or cause to be made reasonable entries upon and inspections of the Property, provided that Lender shall give Borrower notice prior to any such inspection specifying reasonable cause therefor related to Lender's interest in the Property.
- 9. <u>CONDEMNATION</u>. The proceeds of any award or claim for damages, direct or consequential, in connection with any condemnation or other taking of the Property, or part thereof, or for conveyance in lieu of condemnation, are hereby assigned and shall be paid to Lender.

In the event of a total taking of the Property, the proceeds shall be applied to the sums secured by this Mortgage, with the excess, if any, paid to Borrower.

In the event of a partial taking of the property, unless Borrower and Lender otherwise agree in writing, there shall be applied to the sums secured by this Mortgage such proportion of the proceeds as is equal to that proportion which the amount of the sums secured by this Mortgage immediately prior to the date of taking bears to the fair market value of the Property immediately prior to the date of taking, with the balance of the proceeds paid to Borrower.

If the Property is abandoned by Borrower, or if, after notice by Lender to Borrower that the condemnor offers to make an award or settle a claim for damages, Borrower fails to respond to Lender within 30 days after the date such notice is mailed, Lender is authorized to collect and apply the proceeds, at Lender's option, either to restoration or repair of the Property or to the sums secured by this Mortgage.

Unless Lender and Borrower otherwise agree in writing, any such application of proceeds to principal shall not extend or postpone the due date of the monthly installments referred to in paragraphs 1 and 2 hereof or change the amount of such installments.

10. <u>BORROWER NOT RELEASED</u>. Extension of the time for payment or modification of amortization of the sums secured by this Mortgage granted by Lender to any successor in interest of Borrower shall not operate to release, in any manner, the liability of the original Borrower and Borrower's successors in interest.

Lender shall not be required to commence proceedings against such successor or refuse to extend time for payment or otherwise modify amortization of the sums secured by this Mortgage by reason of any demand made by the original Borrower and Borrower's successors in interest.

11. FORBEARANCE BY LENDER NOT A WAIVER. Any forbearance by Lender in exercising any right or remedy hereunder, or otherwise afforded by applicable law, shall not be a waiver of or preclude the exercise of any such right or remedy.

The procurement of insurance or the payment of taxes or other liens or charges by Lender shall not be a waiver of Lender's right to accelerate the maturity of the indebtedness secured by this Mortgage.

- 12. <u>REMEDIES CUMULATIVE</u>. All remedies provided in this Mortgage are distinct and cumulative to any other right or remedy under this Mortgage or afforded by law or equity, and may be exercised concurrently, independently or successively.
- 13. <u>SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS BOUND</u>; <u>JOINT AND SEVERAL LIABILITY</u>; <u>CAPTIONS</u>. The covenants and agreements herein contained shall bind, and the rights hereunder shall insure to, the respective successors and assigns of Lender and Borrower, subject to the provisions of paragraph 17 hereof.

All covenants and agreements of Borrower shall be joint and several.

The captions and headings of the paragraphs of this Mortgage are for convenience only and are not to be used to interpret or define the provisions hereof.

14. NOTICE. All notices required to be given under this Agreement shall be given in writing, may be sent by telefacsimilie, and shall be effective when actually delivered or when deposited with a nationally recognized overnight courier or deposited in the United States mail, first class, postage prepaid, addressed to the party to whom the notice is to be given at the address shown above. Any party may change its address for notices under this Agreement by giving formal written notice to the other parties, specifying that the purpose of the notice is to change the party's address. To the extent permitted by applicable law, if there is more than one Borrower, notice to any Borrower will constitute notice to all Borrowers. For notice purposes, Borrower will keep Lender informed at all times of Borrower's current address(es).

Any notice provided for in this Mortgage shall be deemed to have been given to Borrower or Lender when given in the manner designated herein.

- 15. BORROWER'S COPY. Borrower shall be furnished a conformed copy of the Note and of this Mortgage at the time of execution or after recordation hereof.
- 16. TRANSFER OF THE PROPERTY: ASSUMPTION. If all or any part of the Property or an interest therein is sold or transferred by Borrower without Lender's prior written consent, excluding (a) the creation of a lien or encumbrance subordinate to this Mortgage, (b) the creation of a purchase money security interest for household appliances, (c) a transfer by devise, descent or by operation of law upon the death of a joint tenant or (d) the grant of any leasehold interest of three years or less not containing an option to purchase, Lender may, at Lender's option, declare all the sums secured by this Mortgage to be immediately due and payable.

Lender shall have waived such option to accelerate if, prior to the sale or transfer, Lender and the person to whom the Property is to be sold or transferred reach agreement in writing that the credit of such person is satisfactory to Lender and that the interest payable on the sums secured by this Mortgage shall be at such rate as Lender shall request.

If Lender has waived the option to accelerate provided in this paragraph 16, and if Borrower's successor in interest has executed a written assumption agreement accepted in writing by Lender, Lender shall release Borrower from all obligations under this Mortgage and the Note.

' If Lender exercises such option to accelerate, Lender shall mail Borrower notice of acceleration in accordance with paragraph 14 hereof.

Such notice shall provide a period of not less than 30 days from the date the notice is mailed within which Borrower may pay the sums declared due.

If Borrower fails to pay such sums prior to the expiration of such period, Lender may, without further notice or demand on Borrower, invoke any remedies permitted by paragraph 18 hereof.

Hazardous Substances. Borrower shall not cause or permit the presence, use, disposal, storage, or release of any Hazardous Substances on or in the Property, except in accordance with applicable law. Borrower shall not do, nor allow anyone else to do, anything affecting the Property that is in violation of any Environmental Law. The preceding two sentences shall not apply to the presence, use, or storage on the Property of small quantities of Hazardous Substances that are generally recognized to be appropriate to normal business uses and to maintenance of the Property.

Borrower shall promptly give Lender written notice of any investigation, claim, demand, lawsuit or other action by any governmental or regulatory agency or private party involving the Property and any Hazardous Substance or Environmental Law of which Borrower has actual knowledge. If Borrower learns, or is notified by any governmental or regulatory authority, that any removal or other remediation of any Hazardous Substance affecting the Property is necessary, Borrower shall promptly take all necessary remedial actions in accordance with Environmental Law.

As used in this Paragraph 17, "Hazardous Substances" are those substances defined as toxic or hazardous substances by Environmental Law and the following substances: gasoline, kerosene, other flammable or toxic petroleum products, toxic pesticides and herbicides, volatile solvents, materials containing asbestos or formaldehyde, and radioactive materials. As used in this Paragraph 17, "Environmental Law" means federal laws and laws of the jurisdiction where the Property is located that relate to health, safety or environmental protection.

NON-UNIFORM COVENANTS. Borrower and Lender further covenant and agree as follows:

18. ACCELERATION: REMEDIES. Except as provided in Paragraph 16 hereof, upon Borrower's breach of any covenant or agreement of Borrower in this Mortgage, including the covenants to pay when due any sums secured by this Mortgage, Lender prior to acceleration shall mail notice to Borrower as provided in paragraph 14 hereof specifying: (1) the breach; (2) the action required to cure such breach; (3) a date, not less than 30 days from the date the notice is mailed by Borrower, by which such breach must be cured; and (4) that failure to cure such breach on or before the date specified in the notice may result in acceleration of the sums secured by this Mortgage, foreclosure by judicial proceeding and sale of the Property.

The notice shall further inform Borrower of the right to reinstate after acceleration and the right to assert in the foreclosure proceeding the non-existence of a default or any other defense of Borrower to acceleration and foreclosure.

If the breach is not cured on or before the date specified in the notice, Lender at Lender's option may declare all of the sums secured by this Mortgage to be immediately due and payable without further demand and may foreclose this Mortgage by judicial proceeding.

Lender shall be entitled to collect in such proceeding all expenses of foreclosure, including, but not limited to, reasonable attorney's fees, and costs of documentary evidence, abstracts and title reports.

19. BORROWER'S RIGHT TO REINSTATE. Notwithstanding Lender's acceleration of the sums secured by this Mortgage, Borrower shall have the right to have any proceedings begun by Lender to enforce this Mortgage discontinued at any time prior to entry of a judgment enforcing this Mortgage if: (a) Borrower pays Lender all sums which would be then due under this Mortgage, the Note and notes security Future Advances, if any, had no acceleration occurred; (b) Borrower cures all breaches of any other covenants or agreements of Borrower contained in this Mortgage; (c) Borrower pays all reasonable expenses incurred by Lender in enforcing the covenants and agreements of Borrower contained in this Mortgage and in enforcing Lender's remedies as provided in paragraph 18 hereof, including, but not limited to, reasonable attorney's fees; and (d) Borrower takes such action as Lender may reasonable require to assure that the lien of this Mortgage, Lender's interest in the property and Borrower's obligation to pay the sums secured by this Mortgage shall continue unimpaired.

Upon such payment and cure by Borrower, this Mortgage and the obligations secured hereby shall remain in full force and effect as if no acceleration had occurred.

20. <u>ASSIGNMENT OF RENTS; APPOINTMENT OF RECEIVER; LENDER IN POSSESSION</u>. As additional security hereunder, Borrower hereby assigns to Lender the rents of the Property, provided that Borrower shall, prior to acceleration under paragraph 18 hereof or abandonment of Property, have the right to collect and retain such rents as they become due and payable.

Upon acceleration under paragraph 18 hereof or abandonment of the Property, and at any time prior to the expiration of any period of redemption following judicial sale, Lender, in person, by agent or by judicially appointed receiver, shall be entitled to enter upon, take possession of and manage the Property and to collect the rents of the Property including those past due.

All rents collected by Lender or the receiver shall be applied first to payment of the costs of management of the Property and collection of rents, including, but not limited to receiver's fees, premiums of receiver's bonds and reasonable attorney's fees, and then to the sums secured by this Mortgage.

Lender and the receiver shall be liable to account only for those rents actually received.

21. <u>FUTURE ADVANCES</u>. Upon request of Borrower, Lender, at Lender's option prior to release of this Mortgage, may make Future Advances to Borrower in an aggregate amount not to exceed Fifty Thousand and No/100 (\$50,000.00) Dollars.

Such Future Advances, with interest thereon, shall be secured by this Mortgage when evidenced by promissory notes stating that said notes are secured hereby.

- 22. <u>RELEASE</u>. Upon payment of all sums secured by this Mortgage, Lender shall release this Mortgage without charge to Borrower. Borrower shall pay all costs of recordation, if any.
- 23. WAIVER OF HOMESTEAD. Borrower hereby waives all right of homestead exemption in this Property.

24. <u>WAIVER OF REDEMPTION</u>. The Borrower hereby acknowledges that this is a business loan and hereby waives any right of redemption it may have by statute or common law in the event a foreclosure action is instituted.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Borrower has executed this Mortgage.

BORROWER:

PacMoore Products, Inc.

STATE OF IL

COUNTY OF COOK

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THE UNDERSIGNED, a Notary Public in and for said county and state, do hereby certify that which is an expression of the same persons whose names are subscribed to the foregoing instrument, appeared before me this day in person, and acknowledged that they signed and delivered the said instrument as their free and voluntary act, and the free and voluntary act of said PacMoore Products, Inc. for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND OFFICIAL seal, this 28 day of April, 1998

"OFFICIAL SEAL"

JOANNE L. REINSMA

NOTARY PUBLIC, STATE OF ILLINOIS

MY COMMISSION EXPIRES 3/21/2001

Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

3-21-2001

THIS INSTRUMENT PREPARED BY:

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