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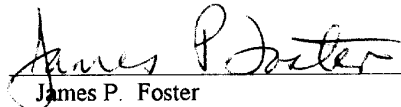
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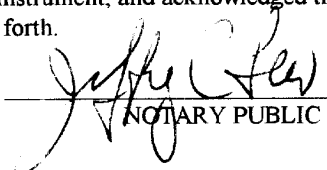
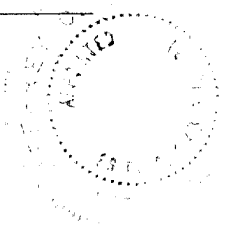
we are the true and first inventors of an invention relating to a **FLOATING AQUACULTURE APPARATUS** which is disclosed in an application for Letters Patent in the United States of America, executed on or about the 19th day of January, 1988; and, for valuable consideration, the receipt and adequacy of which is hereby acknowledged and in fulfillment of our pre-existing obligation of assignment, we hereby sell, assign and transfer unto PRINCETON ABALONE, INC. a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of California, in the United States of America and having its principal place of business at **371 Harvard Ave., Half Moon Bay, CA, 94019** hereinafter referred to as the assignee, the entire right, title, and interest in and to the aforesaid application for letters Patent, and any divisions, continuations, reissues, renewals and extensions thereof, including any priority rights derived from the aforesaid application for Letters Patent by virtue of the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property for any and all member countries of the aforesaid International Convention, and the entire right, title and interest in and to any and all of our inventions, whether joint or sole, disclosed in the aforesaid application for Letters Patent, and in and to any and all applications for Letters Patent for any such inventions in any country whatsoever, and in and to any and all patents and all extensions, renewals and reissues thereof or legal equivalent thereof, for any such inventions in any country whatsoever, with the sole right to file such applications in its name or ours, including the sole right to file such applications under the aforesaid International Convention, together with the sole right to have said patents granted in its name or ours and to enforce said patents and to sue for and recover profits and damages for any and all infringements thereof, and hereby agree, whenever requested, to communicate to said assignee, its successors, assigns, and legal representatives, any facts known to us respecting said invention, to testify in any legal proceeding, to execute all applications, papers or instruments necessary or required by said assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives to carry into effect any of the provisions of this instrument, and generally to do everything possible to aid said assignee, its successors, assigns, and legal representatives to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for said inventions in any and all countries. We further authorize our attorney to insert below[†] the serial number and filing date of the aforesaid United States application now identified as Attorney Docket No. 47093 after the same shall have been made known to him by the United States Patent and Trademark Office.

Signed and sealed this 19th day of January, 1998.

 (L.S.)
James P. Foster

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On this 19th day of January, 1998, before me personally appeared James P. Foster, personally known to me to be the individual described in, and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he/she executed the same of his/her own free will for the purposes therein set forth.


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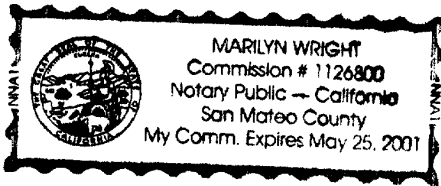
Signed and sealed this 22 day of January, 1998.

Jon Locke

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On this 22nd day of January, 1998, before me personally appeared Jon Locke, personally known to me to be the individual described in, and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he executed the same of his own free will for the purposes therein set forth.



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