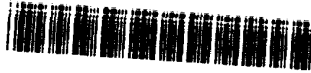


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APPLICANT: Jessie Chattin  
SERIAL NUMBER: 08/810,603  
FILED: February 28, 1997  
FOR: HYDRAULIC TRANSMISSION FOR BICYCLES  
GROUP ART UNIT: 3106  
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ASSIGNMENT

IN CONSIDERATION OF good and valuable consideration,  
receipt of which is hereby acknowledged,

INVENTOR: Jessie Chattin,  
a citizen of the United States of America,  
residing at 7201 S. 49th Avenue  
Tampa, Florida 33619

(hereinafter referred to as "Assignor")

does hereby sell, transfer, set over and assign unto Chattin Hydro-Cycle, Inc., a corporation of the State of Florida, United States of America, having a mailing address of 112 South Armenia Avenue, Tampa, Florida 33609, United States of America (hereinafter referred to as "Assignee"), its successors, assigns, nominees, or other legal representatives, all of my entire right, title and interest, in all countries throughout the world, including the rights to claim convention priority, in and to any and all improvements disclosed in the invention entitled:

HYDRAULIC TRANSMISSION FOR BICYCLES

described in United States Patent Application Serial Number 08/810,603, filed February 28, 1997, and in and to all letters patent to be obtained for said invention by the above application and by any other patent application filed on said invention, whether or not claiming convention priority thereon, and any continuation, division, renewal, or substitute thereof, and as to letters patent any reissue or re-examination thereof, and request all officials of any country or countries whose duty it is to

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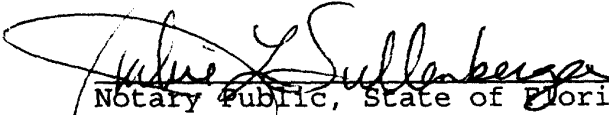
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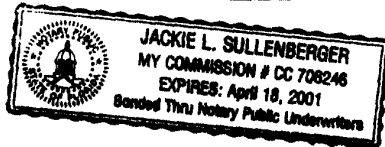
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or parties controls or has the power to control both.

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By: *Joan Chastin*

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