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Internal Address: _____

Street Address: 1105 Market Street

City: Wilmington State: DE ZIP: 19801

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ASSIGNMENT AND AGREEMENT

FOR VALUE RECEIVED, I, Louis D. Benasutti, a citizen of the United States and residing at 145 E. Routzong Dr., Fairborn, Ohio 45324, hereby sell, assign and transfer to ITT Manufacturing Enterprises, Inc. a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware and having a principle place of business at 1105 North Market Street, Wilmington, Delaware 19801 as assignee, and its successors, assigns and legal representatives, the entire right, title and interest for the United States of America and all countries in and to certain inventions relating to

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which are described in the specification in an application, executed by me on the 19 day of August, 1998 (and I hereby authorize my attorneys, authorized to prosecute the application, to here insert the filing date and serial number of the application, as soon as it is known, Serial No. _____, filed _____) and all the rights and privileges under any United States Letters Patent and all foreign Letters Patent that may be granted therefor.

I request that any and all United States and foreign patents for the inventions be issued to the assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, or to such nominees as it may designate.

I agree that, when requested, I will, without charge to the assignee but at its expense, sign all papers, take all rightful oaths, and do all acts which may be necessary, desirable or convenient for securing and maintaining patents for the inventions in any and all countries, and for vesting title thereto in the assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives or nominees.

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I hereby consent that a copy of this assignment shall be deemed a full legal and formal equivalent of any assignment, consent to file or like document which may be required in any country for any purpose and more particularly in proof of the right of the assignee or nominee to claim the aforesaid benefit of the right of priority provided by the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, as amended, or by any convention which may henceforth be substituted for it.

I covenant with the assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, that the rights and property herein conveyed are free and clear of any incumbrance, and that I have full right to convey the same as herein expressed.

Signed at Kettering, Ohio
this 19 day of August, 1998

Inventor Louis D. Benasutti
Louis D. Benasutti

Signed in our presence and acknowledged to be an assignment of the invention hereinabove referred to.

Witness Julie M. Desory Date 8-22-98

Witness Joseph H. Knauth Date 8-19-98