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WHEREAS, we, Robert Miller and Anthony Delucia, both citizens of the United States,

residing respectively at 134 Chestnut Woods Lane, Columbia, South Carolina 29212, and 1232

Blackville Court, Gaston, South Carolina 29053, hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNORS", are

the inventors of certain inventions or improvements for RAIL VEHICLE FOR USE IN THE

COLLECTION AND DISTRIBUTION OF RAILROAD CROSSTIES for which an application

for Letter Patent of the United States was filed on May 4, 1998, under U.S. Patent Application

SN 09/072,586; and

WHEREAS, Harsco Technologies Corporation, a corporation of Minnesota, having a

principal place of business at 415 N. Main Street, Fairmount, Minnesota 56031, hereinafter

referred to as "ASSIGNEE", is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and

to the said inventions or improvements and in and to said application, and in, to and under any

and all Letters Patent which may be granted on or as a result thereof:

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) to us in

hand paid by said ASSIGNEE, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which

is hereby acknowledged, we, the said ASSIGNORS, have sold, assigned, transferred and set

over, and by these presents do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over, to said ASSIGNEE,

our entire right, title and interest in and to said inventions or improvements and said application

and any and all continuations, divisions, and renewals of and substitutes for said application, and

in, to and under any and all Letters Patent which may be granted on or as a result thereof in the

United States and its possessions and territories and in all foreign countries, and any reissue or

reissues or extension or extensions of said Letters Patent, the same to be held and enjoyed by

said ASSIGNEE, its heirs, assigns, nominees or legal representatives, to the full end of the term

or terms for which said Letters Patent respectively may be granted, reissued or extended, as

fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by us had this assignment, sale

and transfer not have been made.

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AND we hereby covenant that we have full right to convey our entire interest herein assigned, and that we have not executed and will not execute any agreement in conflict herewith, and we further covenant and agree that we will, each time request is made and without undue delay, execute and deliver all such papers as may be necessary or desirable to perfect the title to said inventions or improvements, said application and said Letters Patent in said ASSIGNEE, its heirs, assigns, nominees, or legal representatives, and we agree to communicate to said ASSIGNEE, or to its nominees all known facts respecting said inventions or improvements, said application and said Letters Patent, to testify in any legal proceedings, to sign all lawful papers, to execute all disclaimers and divisional, continuing, and reissue applications, to make all rightful oaths, and generally to do everything possible to aid said ASSIGNEE, its heirs, assigns, nominees and legal representatives to obtain and enforce for its own benefit proper patent protection for said inventions or improvements in the United States and its possessions and territories and in all foreign countries;

AND we hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States to issue to said ASSIGNEE, the entire right, title and interest, in and to any and all Letters Patent for said inventions or improvements, including any and all Letters Patent of the United States which may be issued and granted on or as a result of the application aforesaid, in accordance with the terms of this assignment.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hand and seal.

Date: MAY 4 / 98

ROBERT MINLER

Date: MAY 5/98

ANTHONY DELUCIA

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