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ASSIGNMENT made by **JAMES R. MICHLER**, W5718 County Road H, Phillips, Wisconsin 54555 to **MARQUIP, INC.**, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Wisconsin and located and doing business at North Airport Road, Phillips, Wisconsin 54555 U.S.A.

IN CONSIDERATION of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable considerations, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, said **JAMES R. MICHLER** hereby sells, assigns and transfers to said **MARQUIP, INC.**, its successors and assigns, his entire right, title and interest in:

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set forth in his application for United States Letters Patent therefor, executed on even date herewith and in and to said application and any divisions or continuations thereof, and any Letters Patent obtained for the said invention in the United States and foreign countries, or issuing out of said application or any such division or continuation thereof, and any reissues or extensions of any such Letters Patent.

The Commissioner of Patents is hereby authorized and requested to issue Letters Patent for said invention to said **MARQUIP, INC.**, as assignee of the entire right, title and interest therein.

And, the said **JAMES R. MICHLER** hereby covenants that he has full right to convey his entire right, title and interest in said invention, and that he has not executed and will not execute any agreement in conflict herewith.

And he further covenants that he will, at any time, upon request, execute and deliver any and all papers that may be necessary or desirable to perfect the title in said **MARQUIP, INC.**, to said invention or any Letters Patent that may be granted therefor, and if said **MARQUIP, INC.** or its assignee, desire to make a substitute, divisional or continuation application for said invention, or to secure a reissue or extension of said Letters Patent, to file a disclaimer relating thereto, or an application for a corresponding patent in any foreign country, that he will upon request, sign all papers, make all rightful oaths, and do all lawful

