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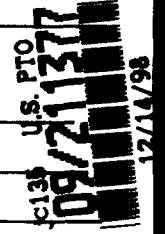
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**ASSIGNMENT OF INVENTION**

WHEREAS, I, RONALD F. DAVIES residing at 1 Mannis Road, Queensbury, New York 12804 have invented certain new and useful improvements in:

**STRIPPED SPENT SILVER CATALYST AND NOVEL USES THEREOF**

for which I am making application for Letters Patent in United States; and for which the specification was executed by me on the same date I executed this Assignment.

AND WHEREAS, AMES GOLDSMITH CORPORATION having a business address of 21 Roger Street, Glen Falls, New York 12801 a business organized pursuant to the laws of the State of New York is desirous of acquiring all interest in said invention, and application.

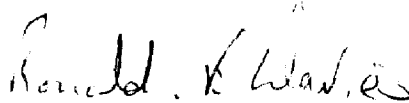
NOW THIS INDENTURE WITNESSETH, that for the sum of One Dollar, and other valuable consideration to me in hand paid, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, I hereby assign, sell and transfer unto the said AMES GOLDSMITH CORPORATION the entire right, title and interest in said invention, said application, including any divisions and continuations thereof, and in and to any and all Letters Patent of the United States, which may be granted for said invention, and in and to any priority rights, convention rights, and other benefits accruing or to accrue to me with respect to the filing of applications for patents or securing of patents in the United States and countries foreign thereto.

I hereby authorize and request the Assistant Commissioner for Patents to issue the said United States Letters Patent to said AMES GOLDSMITH CORPORATION as the Assignee of the whole right, title and interest thereto.

And I further agree to execute all necessary and lawful future documents, including assignments in favor of AMES GOLDSMITH

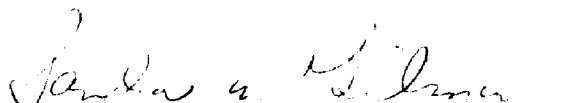
CORPORATION or its designee as AMES GOLDSMITH CORPORATION or its assignee may from time-to-time present to me in order to perfect title in said invention, modifications and improvements in said invention, applications and Letters Patent of the United States and countries foreign thereto.

And I further agree to sign and properly execute such necessary and lawful papers for application for foreign patents, for filing subdivisions of said application for patent, and or, for obtaining any reissue or reissues of any future Letters Patent which may be granted for my aforesaid invention, as the assignee thereof shall hereafter require and prepare at its own expense.

  
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RONALD F. DAVIES

STATE OF NEW YORK     )  
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COUNTY OF *Warren*

On this 11 day of December in the year of 1998, before me, RONALD F. DAVIES personally appeared and to me known to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and who acknowledged that he executed the same.

  
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Notary Public

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