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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, **Central Sprinkler Corporation**, a corporation of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, United States of America, having a post office address of 451 N. Cannon Avenue, Lansdale, PA, hereinafter generally referred to as "**ASSIGNOR**", is the owner of certain new and useful inventions for which United States Letters Patent No. 5,829,532 issued.

WHEREAS, Central Sprinkler Company, a Pennsylvania corporation, having a place of business at 451 N. Cannon Avenue, Lansdale, PA, hereinafter generally referred to as "ASSIGNEE" is desirous of acquiring said inventions and United States Letters Patent No. 5,,829,532.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar and other good and valuable executed consideration, the full receipt and sufficiency of all of which are hereby acknowledged, and intending to be legally bound hereby, Central Sprinkler Corporation, the undersigned ASSIGNOR, hereby agrees to sell, assign, transfer and convey and by these presents does sell, assign, transfer and convey unto the above-named ASSIGNEE, the whole and entire right, title and interest

> in and to said inventions and Letters Patent as described above and for the territory of the United States and its possessions and territories;

in and to the above Letters Patent and all United States Letters Patents which may be granted on said inventions including divisions, reissues, reexamination certificates and continuations; and

together with all claims for damages by reason of past infringement of said Letters Patent with the right to sue for and collect the same for its own use and behalf or for the use and behalf of its legal representatives;

said inventions and Letters Patents to be held and enjoyed by the above-named ASSIGNEE, for ASSIGNEE's own use and behalf, and for ASSIGNEE's legal representatives and assigns to the full end of the term or terms for which said Letters Patents have been granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by the undersigned ASSIGNOR had this assignment and sale not been made; and for the aforesaid consideration ASSIGNOR hereby covenants, agrees and undertakes to execute, whenever requested by the above-named ASSIGNEE, all

patent applications, assignments, lawful oaths and any other papers which ASSIGNEE may deem necessary or desirable for securing to ASSIGNEE or for maintaining for ASSIGNEE all the Letters Patents hereby assigned or agreed to be assigned; all without further compensation to the undersigned ASSIGNOR.

ASSIGNOR hereby covenants that no assignment, sale, agreement or encumbrance has been or will be made or entered into which would conflict with this Assignment.

Central Sprinkler Corporation

By: Title:

STATE OF <u>Pennsylvania</u>: : ss. COUNTY OF <u>Montgomery</u>:

Before me, a notary public in and for the State and County aforesaid, on this <u>38th</u> day of <u>December</u>, 1998, personally appeared <u>weyers</u>, <u>meyers</u>, who acknowledged to me that he is the <u>President</u> of Central Sprinkler Corporation, who executed the within Assignment on behalf of said corporation and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the purposes therein stated.

Joann M. Naulashu Jotary Public

My Commission Expires:

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