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Don L. Scott, William J. Fondow, David C. Grantz and Peter Seifert

Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached?  Yes  No

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies)

Name: The Black Clawson Company

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Street Address: 605 Clark Street

P.O. Box 160

City: Middletown State: OH ZIP: 45042

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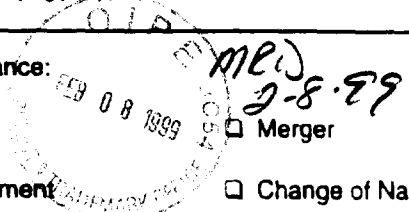
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REEL: 9748 FRAME: 0908

U.S. Patent No. 5,762,756

Issued: June 9, 1998

ASSIGNMENT

In consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00), and other good and valuable consideration, receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, we:

Don L. Scott, of 105 C Bavarian Drive, Middletown, Butler County, Ohio, 45044;

William J. Fondow, of 142 Euclid Street, Middletown, Butler County, Ohio, 45044;

David C. Grantz, of 1650 Darrtown Road, Hamilton, Butler County, Ohio, 45013; and

Peter Seifert, of 6705 Cloister Cliffs Drive, Middletown, Butler County, Ohio, 45042;

hereinafter called the Assignors, hereby sell, assign and transfer to:

Thermo Black Clawson Inc., a corporation of the State of Delaware, with a place of business at 605 Clark Street, P.O. Box 160, Middletown, Ohio 45042, hereinafter called the Assignee, and the successors, assigns and legal representatives of the Assignee;

our entire right, title and interest, in the United States of America and throughout the world, in the inventions and improvements which are the subject of United States Patent No. 5,762,756, issued June 9, 1998, entitled METHODS AND APPARATUS FOR PULPING AND DEINKING.

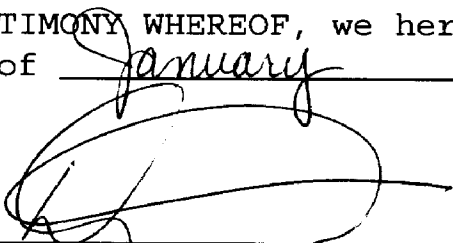
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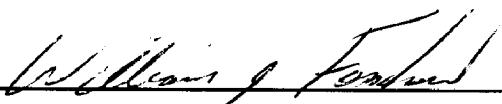
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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, we hereunto set our hand and seal this 7<sup>th</sup> day of January, 1998.

  
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Don L. Scott

  
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William J. Fondow

  
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David C. Grantz

*Peter Seifert*

Peter Seifert

State of Ohio )

County of Butler ) ss

On this 7<sup>th</sup> day of January, 1998,  
before me a Notary Public in and for the above County and State,  
personally appeared the above named Don L. Scott, William J.  
Fondow, David C. Grantz, and Peter Seifert, known to me to be the  
persons described herein, and acknowledged the execution of the  
foregoing assignment as a free act and deed for the purpose herein  
set forth.

*Barbara A Tankersley*  
Notary Public



**Barbara A. Tankersley**  
**Notary Public, State of Ohio**  
**My Commission Expires March 16, 2002**

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