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ASSIGNMENT FOR UNFILED APPLICATION FOR UNITED STATES PATENT

WHEREAS, Thomas Ray Hardy, of 310 Tellico Road, Canton, GA 30115 (U.S.A.), Kenneth Loudermilk, of 385 Falling Creek Bend, Duluth, GA 30097 (U.S.A.), Hans Riegel, of Viernheimer Str. 10, 47608 Geldern (Germany), Michael Fey, of Bruchhauserweg 6, 40723 Hilden (Germany), and Thomas Sefker, of Geschwister-Scholl Str. 14, 47506 Neukirchen-Vhryn (Germany),

hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNORS, have invented and own a certain invention entitled UNDERFLOOR AIR DIFFUSER ASSEMBLY for which application for Letters Patent of the United States has been executed on even dates herewith,

WHEREAS, Gebruder Trox GmbH, a German corporation having a principle place of business at Heinrich-Trox-Platz, Postfach 12 63, 4133 Neukirchen-Vluyn (Germany),

hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE, is desirous of acquiring the full interest in, to and under said invention, and in, to and under Letters Patent or similar legal protection to be obtained therefor in the United States and in any and all foreign countries.

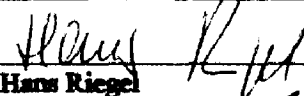

NOW, THEREFORE, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Be it known that in consideration of the payment by ASSIGNEE to ASSIGNORS of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00), the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, and for other good and valuable consideration, ASSIGNORS hereby sell, assign and transfer to ASSIGNEE the full and exclusive right, title and interest to said invention in the United States and its territorial possessions and in all foreign countries and to all Letters Patent or similar legal protection in the United States and its territorial possessions and in any and all foreign countries to be obtained for said invention by said application or any continuation, division or reissue thereof or any legal equivalent thereof in a foreign country for the full term or terms for which the same may be granted.

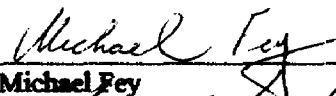

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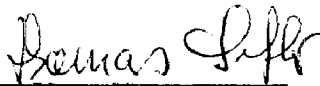
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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Messrs Riegel, Fey and Sefker have hereunto set their hands and seals this 10TH day of December, 1998, and

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Messrs Hardy and Loudermilk have hereunto set their hands and seals this 4TH day of DECEMBER, 1998.


Hans Riegel

Thomas Ray Hardy


Michael Fey

Kenneth Loudermilk


Thomas Sefker