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IN CONSIDERATION of the sum of One dollar (\$1.00) to us in hand paid by Delaware Capital Formation, Inc., a Delaware corporation, with its offices located at 1403 Foulk Road, Suite 102, Wilmington, Delaware 19803-2755, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we, Tranter, inc., a Michigan corporation, with its offices located at 1054 Claussen Road, Augusta, Georgia 30907 do hereby assign, sell and transfer unto the said Delaware Capital Formation, Inc., its successors and assigns, nunc pro tunc as of January 1, 1998, the entire right, title and interest, in and to the following patents of the United States of America (USA), Canada and Japan:

<u>Country</u>	<u>Patent No</u>	<u>Issue Date</u>	<u>Title</u>
USA	4,905,758	3/6/90	Plate Heat Exchanger
USA	4,995,455	2/26/91	Plate Heat Exchanger with Glueless Gaskets
USA	5,070,939	12/10/91	Plate Heat Exchanger
USA	5,469,914	11/28/95	All-Welded Plated Heat Exchanger
USA	5,487,424	1/30/96	Double-Wall Welded Plate Heat Exchanger
Canada	2008034	12/14/93	Plate Heat Exchanger
Canada	2045269	7/26/94	Plate Heat Exchanger
Canada	2104905	6/4/96	All-Welded Plated Heat Exchanger

Japan 2025128 2/26/96 Plate Heat Exchanger with
Glueless Gaskets
Japan 2522871 5/31/96 Plate Heat Exchanger

Tranter, inc.

By: Donald N. McLeod

Its: Donald N. McLeod, Secretary

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ss:

County of Columbia

On this 4th day of January, 1999, before me, a Notary Public in and for said County, personally appeared Donald N. McLeod, to me known to be the person who executed the above instrument and acknowledged that he signed the same on behalf of Tranter, inc., and that he was authorized to do so.

Suzanne S. Vest
Notary Public, State of Georgia
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My comm. expires: Notary Public, Columbia County, Georgia
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