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Dear Sir:

Please record the attached original document(s) or copy thereof as follows:

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Conveying Party: TAD McGWIRE

Receiving Party: IMS COMPANY, an Ohio corporation
Address: 10373 Stafford Rd.,
Chagrin Falls, Ohio 44023-5296

Nature of Conveyance: Assignment

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To my best knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct. Please correspond with Watts, Hoffmann, Fisher & Heinke at the above address.

Respectfully submitted,

Linn J. Raney
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March 24, 1999
Date

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ASSIGNMENT

IN CONSIDERATION of One Dollar and other good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I, TAD MCGWIRE, a citizen of the United States and residing at 37 First Ave., Branford, CT 06405, hereby sell, transfer, set over and assign unto IMS COMPANY, a(n) Ohio corporation with a principal place of business at 10373 Stafford Rd., Chagrin Falls, Ohio 44023-5296, its successors, assigns, nominees, or other legal representatives, the entire right, title and interest in and to the invention entitled BAND TYPE ELECTRIC HEATER, invented by me and the application for United States patent therefor, executed concurrently herewith, and all original and reissued patents granted therefor, and all divisions and continuations thereof, including the subjects-matter of any and all claims which may be obtained in every such patent, and the right to apply for and obtain patents in countries foreign to the United States, and in and to any Letters Patent which may be granted thereon in such foreign countries, and authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents of the United States, and any official of any country or countries foreign to the United States whose duty it is to issue patents on applications as aforesaid, to issue the said Letters Patent to the said IMS COMPANY, its successors, assigns, nominees or other legal representatives, as assignee and owner of the said entire interest, and covenant that I have full right to convey said entire interest herein assigned and that I have not executed and will not execute any agreement in conflict herewith, and agree that I will communicate to said IMS COMPANY, its successors, assigns, nominees or other legal representatives, all facts know to me respecting said invention, whenever requested, and testify in any legal proceedings, sign all lawful papers, execute and deliver all divisional, continuing and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths and do all lawful acts requisite for the application for such divisional, continuing or reissue applications, or the procuring thereof, and that if and when said IMS COMPANY, its successors, assigns, nominees or other legal representatives desire to file a disclaimer relating thereto, I will upon request, sign and deliver all lawful papers requisite for the filing of such disclaimer, and I further covenant and agree that I will, at any time upon request, do everything legally possible to aid said IMS COMPANY, its successors, assigns, nominees or other legal representatives, either in its or my own name, to apply for, obtain and enforce proper patent protection in all countries, including priority rights granted to patents in foreign countries according to all the laws and treaties in force, all without further consideration but at the expense of said IMS COMPANY, its successors, assigns, nominees or other legal representatives.

Tad McGwire
 Tad McGwire AKA Thomas A. McGwire
Tad McGwire Thomas A. McGwire

State of ~~Ohio~~ Connecticut)
) SS Branford
 County of New Haven)

This 4th day of March, 1999, before me personally came the above-named Tad McGwire to me personally known as the individual who executed the foregoing assignment, and who acknowledged to me that he executed the same of his own free will for the purpose therein set forth.

Mare Conner
 Notary Public

*My Commission Expires
 March 27, 2002*