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John D. Essex  
Douglas C. Barker  
Lynn A. Frederick  
Richard A. Wareham

Additional names(s) of conveying party(ies)  Yes  No

3. Nature of conveyance:

- Assignment  Merger
- Security Agreement  Change of Name
- Other

Execution Date:

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies):

Name: The Hoover Company

Internal Address:

Street Address: 101 E. Maple Street

City: North Canton State: OH ZIP: 44720

Additional name(s) & address(es) attached?  Yes  No

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5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:

Name: A. Burgess Lowe

Internal Address: The Hoover Company

Street Address: 101 E. Maple Street

City: North Canton State: OH ZIP: 44720

6. Total number of applications and patents involved:

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Thomas R. Kingsbury

Name of Person Signing

Thomas R. Kingsbury  
Signature

April 23, 1999  
Date

ASSIGNMENT OF INVENTION

WHEREAS, we David W. Moine 2336 Rohrer Street, N.W. North Canton, Ohio 44720, John D. Essex 5486 Chianti Street, N.W., North Canton, Ohio 44720, Douglas C. Barker, 8215 Crabapple Avenue, N.E., North Canton, Ohio 44721, Lynn A. Frederick, 6225 Washington Street, Village of Brady Lake, Ohio 44211, and Richard A. Wareham, have invented certain new and useful improvements in the invention entitled VACUUM CLEANER UPPER PORTION

WHEREAS, THE HOOVER COMPANY, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, and doing business at North Canton, Ohio, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in said invention and in and to the Letters Patent to be obtained therefor:

NOW THEREFORE, to all whom it may concern, be it known, that for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00), and other valuable considerations, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we, the said David W. Moine, Douglas C. Barker, Lynn A. Frederick, Richard A. Wareham, have sold, assigned and transferred, and do hereby sell, assign and transfer unto THE HOOVER COMPANY, aforesaid, its successors and assigns, the whole right, title and interest in and to the said invention, as fully set forth and described in the subject U.S. Patent Application, preparatory to obtaining Letters Patent of the United States therefor; and we do hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents to issue the said Letters Patent to THE HOOVER COMPANY, aforesaid, as assignee of our entire right, title and interest, for the sole use and behoof of THE HOOVER COMPANY, aforesaid, its successors and assigns.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and affix my seal, this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of April 23, 1999.

David W. Moine  
David W. Moine

STATE OF OHIO            )  
                                  )        SS:  
COUNTY OF STARK        )

Personally appeared before me, a Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid, David W. Moine, personally known to me and known to be the person whose name is signed to the above instrument, and acknowledged the above instrument as he free act and deed, this 23rd day of April, 1999.

Pamela S. Grapes  
Notary Public, State of Ohio  
My commission expires 26 July 2003

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and affix my seal, this 23rd day of April, 1999

John D. Essex  
John D. Essex

STATE OF OHIO            )  
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