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WHEREAS, I, Gary P. Rochelle, residing at 4270 Promenade Way, Suite D, Marina del Rey, CA 90292, am the inventor named in an application for Letters Patent of the United States, entitled WATER HEATING ELEMENT WITH ENCAPSULATED BULKHEAD, Serial No. 09/021,698, filed on February 10, 1998;

AND, WHEREAS, I previously executed an assignment of my rights in said application to Aquatemp Products Corporation in an assignment executed June 11, 1998 and recorded at the United States Patent and Trademark Office at Reel 9319, Frame 0841;

AND, WHEREAS, Aquatemp Products Corporation is a dba for Alpha-Western Corporation;

AND, WHEREAS, Alpha-Western Corporation a Washington corporation, dba Aquatemp Products Corporation, having a principal place of business at 1960 West 139th Street, Gardena, California 90249 (hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE), is desirous of acquiring my entire right and title to and interest in my invention disclosed in said application *nunc pro tunc* June 11, 1998;

NOW, THEREFORE, for sufficient, good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I do hereby sell, assign and transfer unto ASSIGNEE my entire right and title to and interest in said application and said invention, including the right to apply for international patents and patents thereon in foreign countries in my name or in the name of ASSIGNEE, said invention and all applications and patents on said invention to be held and enjoyed by ASSIGNEE as entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by me had this sale, assignment and transfer not been made, and I do hereby further agree and promise to execute all instruments and render all such assistance as ASSIGNEE may request in order to make and prosecute any and all applications on said invention, to enforce any and all patents on said invention, and to confirm in ASSIGNEE legal title to said invention and all applications and patents on said invention, all without charge to ASSIGNEE but at no expense to me.

Executed at GARDENA (city), CA (state), this 7TH day of JUNE, 19 99.

  
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Gary P. Rochelle

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 ) ss.  
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I certify that I know or have satisfactory evidence that Gary P. Rochelle is the person who appeared before me, and said person acknowledged that he signed this instrument and

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