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WHEREAS, **METALOX L.L.C.**, a limited liability company of Delaware, having a business address of 2226 N. Davidson Street, Charlotte, North Carolina, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title, and interest in, to and under the same;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of One Dollar, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, and other good and valuable consideration, and intending to be legally bound, **DRINKARD METALOX, INC.**, (hereinafter Assignor) hereby assigns, transfers and sets over unto **METALOX, L.L.C.**, (hereinafter Assignee) the entire, full and undivided right, title and interest in, to and under the following Letters Patent and all foreign counterparts thereof, to the end of the term for which each of said Letters Patent is or may be granted or may be reissued, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by Assignor had this assignment and sale not been made.


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Executed this 14th day of July, 1999.

DRINKARD METALOX, INC.


 William F. Drinkard, Jr., President


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