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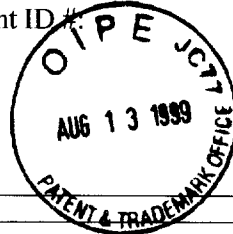


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To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document. Charges to deposit are authorized, as indicated herein.

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A S S I G N M E N T

WHEREAS, I, Jean-Claude DEGUINES residing at 18-20, rue Palloy
F-92110 CLICHY, have invented certain new and useful
improvements in
HAIR DRYERS

for which an application for Letters Patent of the United States
has been executed concurrently herewith (filed on
June 21, 1999, Serial No. 29/106,603);

AND WHEREAS, VELECTA PARAMOUNT (hereinafter referred to as
the Assignee), having a place of business at Z.A.C. de la Grange,
41204 ROMORANTIN, France is desirous of acquiring the entire
right, title and interest in and to said application and the
invention disclosed therein, and in and to all Letters Patent of
the United States which may issue thereon, including any and all
reissues, divisionals, continuations, renewals or extensions of
such Letters Patent.

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00) and
other good and valuable consideration paid to me by said
Assignee, receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, I do hereby
assign, sell, transfer and set over unto said Assignee the entire
right, title and interest in and to said invention and said
application for Letters Patent and Letters Patent which may issue
therefor, in the United States and all divisions, reissues,
continuations, renewals and/or extensions thereof, said Assignee
to have and to hold the interests herein assigned to the full
ends of the terms of said Letters Patent and any and all
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thereof, respectively, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by me had this assignment and sale not been made.

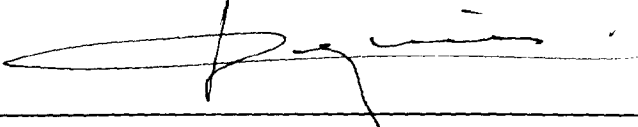
The Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks is requested to issue such Letters Patent in accordance herewith.

And for the consideration aforesaid, I agree that I will communicate to said Assignee or the representative thereof any facts known to me respecting the said application, and the invention therein disclosed, and I will, upon request, but without expense to me, testify in any legal proceedings, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, reissue, continuation, renewal and/or extension applications, make all rightful oaths, and generally do all other and further lawful acts, deemed necessary or expedient by said Assignee or by counsel for said Assignee, to assist or enable said Assignee to obtain and enforce full benefits from the rights and interests herein assigned. This assignment shall be binding upon my heirs, executors, administrators and/or assigns, and shall inure to the benefit of heirs, executors, administrators, successors, and/or assigns, as the case may be, of said Assignee.

I hereby authorize and request any attorney of record in said application or any attorney of Larson & Taylor, 1199 North Fairfax Street, Suite 900, Alexandria, Virginia 22314, to insert above any information concerning said application, including the



identity of the parties or the Serial Number and filing date of said application.

Signature: 

Name: Jean-Claude DEGUINES

Date: 6.26. Juillet 1999

Witness: Colette Dos SANTOS Date: _____

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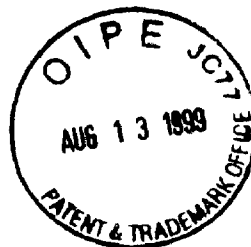
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Applicant hereby claims the priority date of the attached French Patent Application

No. 987415 filed December 21, 1998 under the provisions of 35 U.S.C. 119.

Respectfully submitted,

LARSON AND TAYLOR

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Marvin Petry". The signature is written over a horizontal line.

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