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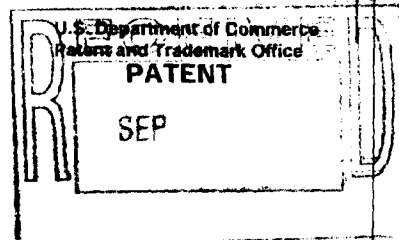
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## ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, we, Larry D. Areaux, Anthony D. Scowden, and Peter J. Corio, residing at 15 Sabal Drive, Punta Gorda, Florida 33950; 923 Oakmont Court, Union, Kentucky 41092; and 2841 Stanton Avenue, Fayetteville, Arkansas 72703 respectively, have invented certain new and useful improvements in INERT GAS BUBBLE-ACTUATED MOLTEN METAL PUMP for which an application for United States Letters Patent was signed by us on (LDA) 10/18/99, (ADS) 10/18/99, and (PJC) 10/18/99; and

WHEREAS PREMELT PUMP, INC. (hereinafter "ASSIGNEE"), a corporation of the State of Michigan, having a place of business at 2205 Miller Road, Kalamazoo, Michigan 49001, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title, and interest in and to said invention and in and to any Letters Patent which may be granted therefor in the United States and in any and all foreign countries;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of one Dollar (\$1.00) to us in hand paid, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, and other valuable consideration, we, the said Larry D. Areaux, Anthony d. Scowden, and Peter J. Corio have sold, assigned, and transferred, and by these presents do sell, assign, and transfer, unto said ASSIGNEE its successors and assigns, the full and exclusive right to the said invention in the United States and its territorial possessions and in all foreign countries and the entire right, title, and interest in and to any and all Letters Patent which may be granted therefor in the United States and its territorial possessions and in any and all foreign countries and in and to any and all divisions, reissues, continuations, and extensions thereof.

We hereby authorize and request the Patent Office Officials in the United States and in any and all foreign countries to issue any and all of said Letters Patent, when granted, to said ASSIGNEE as the assignee of our entire right, title, and interest in and to the same, for the sole use and behoof of said ASSIGNEE its successors and assigns.

FURTHER, we agree that we will communicate to said ASSIGNEE or its representatives, any facts known to me respecting said invention; testify in any legal proceeding; sign all lawful papers; execute all divisional, continuation, substitution, renewal, and reissue applications; execute all necessary assignment papers to cause any and all of said Letters Patent to be issued to said ASSIGNEE; make all rightful oaths; and generally do everything possible to aid said ASSIGNEE its successors and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper protection for said invention in the United States and in any and all foreign countries.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 10 day of June, 1999.

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