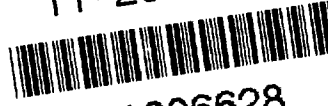


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have made an invention relating to and entitled:

**WINCH HANDLE**

AND WHEREAS,

**Copperweld Canada, Standard Tube Division**

hereinafter referred to as Assignee, whose full post office address is

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desires to acquire my entire right, title and interest in and to said invention;

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, I do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over to Assignee, its successors, assigns, or legal representatives, my entire right, title and interest for Canada, United States and all other countries throughout the World in and to said invention, together with my entire right, title and interest in and to said application and any foreign applications corresponding thereto and any and all Letters Patent which may issue for said invention, including any and all divisions, reissues, continuations and extensions to said Letters Patent, to the full end of the term for which each said Letters Patent may be granted, and including the right to claim priority, based on said application, under the terms of any international Convention, the same to be held and enjoyed as fully and completely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by me had this Assignment not been made;

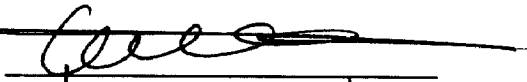
AND I, on behalf of myself and my executors and administrators, hereby covenant and agree to do all such lawful acts and things and to execute without further consideration such further lawful assignments, documents, assurances, applications and other instruments as may reasonably be required by said Assignee, its successors, assigns, or legal representatives, to obtain any and all Letters Patent for said invention and vest the same in said Assignee, its successors, assigns, or legal representatives.

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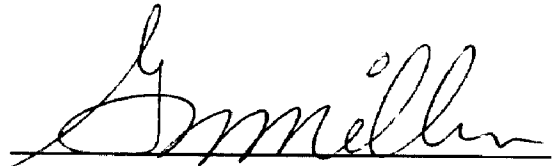
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