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**ASSIGNOR:** 

David Keppel Steven H. Johnson Jim Mageehon

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hereby sells, assigns and transfers to

ASSIGNEE:

Sherwood Services AG

Schwertstrasse 9

CH-8200 Schaffhausen

Switzerland

and the successors, assigns and legal representatives of the ASSIGNEE the entire right, title and interest, including the right to sue for present, past and future infringement, in the United States, its territorial possessions, and in all foreign countries, including all treaty and convention rights in and to the invention and any and all improvements entitled:

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which is described in

(a)	[] U.S. patent application executed on even date herewith	
(b)	[] U.S. patent application executed on	
(c)	[x] U.S. application filed on October 8, 1999 under Serial No. 09/415,550.	
(d)	[] U.S. patent no issued	
	(also check (e) if foreign application(s) is also being assigned)	
(e)	[x] and any legal equivalent thereof in a foreign country, and, in and to, all	
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United States and foreign Letters Patent, for the full term thereof, to be obtained for said invention by the above application or any continuation, division, renewal, extension or substitute thereof, and as to letters patent any re-issue or re-examination thereof;

PATENT REEL: 010448 FRAME: 0957 ASSIGNOR hereby covenants that no assignment, sale, agreement or encumbrance has been or will be made or entered into which would conflict with this assignment;

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set hand and seal.

INVENTORS:	
DAMM	Dated: 11/30/99
David Keppel	
Steven H. Johnson	Dated: /2/3/99
Jame Muna Jim Mageehon	Dated:

State of Bolinado) ss  County of Boulded)  Before me this 30 day of November 1999, personally appeared David Keppel to me personally known to be the person described in and who
executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same of his own free will for the purposes therein set forth.
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Notary Public  My Commission Expires 2-14-2003
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State of Colorado ) ss  County of Defferson )  Before me this 3 day of December 1999, personally appeared Steven H. Johnson to me personally known to be the person described in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same of his own free will for the purposes therein set forth.  Linda J. Stanlatt.  5-19-2003
Notary Public
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State of Colorado ) ) ss County of Jefferson )
Before me this 3 <sup>rd</sup> day of becember 1999, personally appeared Jim Mageehon to me personally known to be the person described in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same of his own free will for the purposes therein set forth.  Jamu Mageehon to me personally known to be the person described in and who executed the same of his own free will for the purposes therein set forth.  Jamu More Mageehon to me personally known to be the person described in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same of his own free will for the purposes therein set forth.  Jamu More Mageehon to me personally known to be the person described in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same of his own free will for the purposes therein set forth.  Jamu More Mageehon to me personally known to be the person described in and who executed the same of his own free will for the purposes therein set forth.  Jamu More Mageehon to me personally known to be the person described in and who executed the same of his own free will for the purposes therein set forth.

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