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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, We, Tetsuya Ohirano, having an address at 28 Mount Vernon Circle, Dunwoody, Georgia 30338; Noboru Ogawa, having an address at Banbidian, Daxing District, Beijing, China, P.O. Box 1286, Beijing; and Yusuke Kato, having an address at 6-15-24-506 Tujido Fujisawa-city Kanagawa, Japan 251-0047 (together "Assignors") have invented certain inventions and improvements disclosed in an application for Letters Patent entitled "TUBE ASSEMBLY AND COMPONENTS FOR COMMUNICATING WATER UNDER PRESSURE TO A FIXTURE" filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on October 14, 1999 as S/N 09/418,143; and

WHEREAS, Beijing BORK Metal Hose, Co., Ltd., Banbidian, Daxing District, Beijing, China; Iwatani International Corporation, 3-21-8, Nishishinbashi, Minato-ku, Tokyo, Japan; and Iwatani International Corporation of America, 1025 West 190th St., Suite 225, Gardena, CA 90248-402 ("Assignees"), are desirous of acquiring equal undivided interests in and to all rights in the same;

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of Five Dollars (\$5.00) or other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, Assignors hereby assign and transfer unto Assignees the entire right, title, and interest in and to said application, in and to any divisions, continuations, and reissues thereof, in and to any patents to issue therefrom and in and to all inventions and improvements disclosed and described in said application, preparatory to obtaining Letters Patent of the United States therefor; and We hereby request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any and all Letters Patent of the United States resulting from said application, or from a division, continuation, or reissue thereof, to Assignees as assignee, for their interest, and for the sole use and behoof of Assignees and their assigns and legal representatives.

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For the same consideration, Assignors hereby sell, assign, and transfer to Assignees all of the right, title and interest in and to any foreign application or applications corresponding to said U.S. application, in whole or in part, in countries other than the United States, in and to any Letters Patent and similar protective rights granted on said foreign applications, and in and to the right to claim any applicable priority rights arising from or required for said foreign applications under the terms of any applicable conventions, treaties, statutes, or regulations; said foreign applications to be filed and issued in the name of Assignees or their designees insofar as permitted by applicable law.

AND, for the same consideration, Assignors agree to sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuing, reissue and other applications, make all assignments and rightful oaths, and generally do everything possible to aid Assignees and their successors, assigns, and nominees, to obtain and enforce proper protection for all said inventions and improvements in all countries throughout the world.

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The Assignees further agree, for good and valuable consideration, that commercial exploitation of the invention shall be by agreement among the Assignees with accounting.

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