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undersigned hereby assign to PRODUCTS UNLIMITED, INC., a Nebraska corporation,
5 having an address of 915 North 20th Street, Omaha, Nebraska 68102, its successors
and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in the invention or improvements of the
undersigned disclosed in an application for Letters Patent of the United States, Serial
No. 09/476,555, filed in the United States Post Office on the 3rd day of
January, 2000, entitled A FLUID FILTER SYSTEM, and in said application
10 and any and all other applications for United States Letters Patent, which the
undersigned may file, either solely or jointly with others, on said invention or
improvements, and in any and all Letters Patent of the United States which may be
obtained on any of said applications, and in any reissue or extension thereof.

The undersigned hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents to
15 issue said Letters Patent to PRODUCTS UNLIMITED, INC.

For said considerations, the undersigned hereby agree, upon the request and at
the expense of said assignee, its successors and assigns, to execute any and all
divisional, continuation and substitute applications for said invention or improvements,
and any necessary oath or affidavit relating thereto, and any application for the reissue
20 or extension of any Letters Patent that may be granted upon said application, and for
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And for said considerations, the undersigned hereby assign to said assignee, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in said invention or improvements for any and all foreign countries and agree upon the request of assignee, its successors and assigns, to execute any and all documents that undersigned shall be requested to execute in connection with any and all applications for foreign Letters Patent therefore, including the prosecution thereof, and to execute any and all documents necessary to vest title in said foreign applications and patents in assignee.

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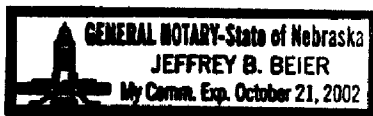
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1 STATE OF NEBRASKA]
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On this 28 day of December, 1999, before me, a Notary Public in and
for the county and state aforesaid, appeared SCOTT B. BEIER, to me personally
known to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument and
acknowledged that he executed said instrument as his free and voluntary act for the
uses and purposes therein expressed.

Witness my hand and seal the day and year last above given.



Notary Public

Witness my hand and seal this 28 day of DECEMBER 1999.

Rex A Adams
REX A. ADAMS

15 STATE OF NEBRASKA]
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On this 12 day of DECEMBER, 1999, before me, a Notary Public in and
for the county and state aforesaid, appeared REX A. ADAMS, to me personally known
to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument and
acknowledged that he executed said instrument as his free and voluntary act for the
uses and purposes therein expressed.

Witness my hand and seal the day and year last above given.



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