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Yes

No 4. Application number(s) or registration numbers(s): If this document is being filed together with a new application, the execution date of the application is: A. Patent Application No.(s) B. Patent No.(s) 29/116,179 Additional numbers attached?

Yes
No 5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence 6. Total number of applications and patents involved: ONE concerning document should be mailed: Name: Myron B. Kapustij 7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41):....\$ 40.00 Internal Address: Legal Department ☐ Enclosed - Any excess or insufficiency should be credited or debited to deposit account Masco Corporation Authorized to be charged to deposit account Street Address: 21001 Van Born Road 8. Deposit account number: 13-1981 ZIP: 48180 City: Taylor State: MI

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To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document.

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ASSIGNMENT BEFORE PATENT

For good and valuable consideration received from Masco Corporation of Indiana, an Indiana corporation, having its offices and principal place of business in the City of Indianapolis, State of Indiana, I, Anthony G. Spangler of Greensburg, Indiana, hereby sell, assign and set over unto the said Masco Corporation of Indiana, its successors or assigns, my entire right, title and interest to a certain invention entitled FAUCET as disclosed in my application for United States Letters Patent on said invention, bearing Attorney Docket No. 115-3410-D which I have executed on December 22, 1999; to said application; to any Letters Patent issuing thereon, and any Reissue, Division, or Continuation thereof; and to any Letters Patent in any country foreign to the United States that may be granted therefor; the right to file applications in countries foreign to the United States, under the International Convention or otherwise; and the right to claim priority based on the first filed application.

I agree to execute such papers including foreign applications and applications for Reissues, Divisions, and Continuations, and to perform such other proper acts as the assignee herein may deem necessary to secure to said assignee the rights herein assigned, and I authorize the attorney empowered to prosecute the application assigned herein to here insert the filing date and serial number of the application when known:

Serial No. <u>29/116,179</u>; Filed <u>December 23</u>, 1999

I hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue said Letters Patent in accordance with this Assignment.

Anthony 6. Spangler

State of Indiana) ss.
County of Hamilton)

On this 22 day of <u>December</u>, 1999, before me personally appeared Anthony G. Spangler, aforesaid, to me known to be the same person described in and who executed the within instrument, who acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed.

Notary Public

Homa Wahab, Notary Public My Commission Expires July 10, 2006 Resident of Marion County

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