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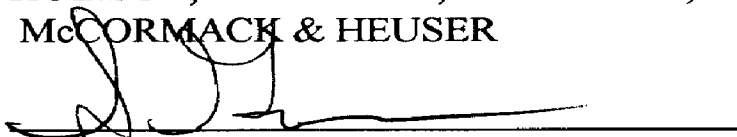
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## ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, I, Stephen F. Gass, of Wilsonville, county of Clackamas, state of Oregon, have invented certain improvements in SAFETY SYSTEMS FOR POWER EQUIPMENT, for which I have executed a patent application of the United States on the date hereinafter set forth.

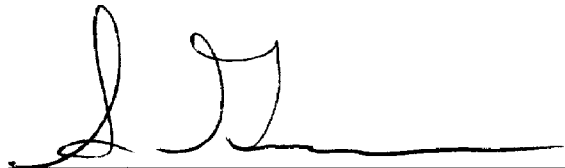
WHEREAS, SD3, LLC, an Oregon limited liability company, having its principal place of business in Wilsonville, county of Clackamas, state of Oregon, is desirous of acquiring an interest therein:

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, I, Stephen F. Gass, have sold, assigned and transferred, and by these presents do sell, assign and transfer unto SD3, LLC, the full and exclusive right to the invention in the United States and its territorial possessions and in all foreign countries and the entire right, title and interest in and to any and all Letters Patent which may be granted therefor in the United States and its territorial possessions in any and all foreign countries and in and to any and all divisions, reissues, continuations and extensions thereof.

I hereby authorize and request the Patent Office officials in the United States and any and all foreign countries to issue any and all Letters Patent, when granted, to SD3, LLC, as the assignee of my entire right, title and interest in and to the same, for the sole use of SD3, LLC, its successors and assigns.

Further, I agree that I will communicate to SD3, LLC, or its representatives any facts known to me respecting the invention, and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuation, substitution, renewal and reissue applications, execute all necessary assignment papers to cause any and all Letters Patent to be issued to SD3, LLC, make all rightful oaths and generally do everything possible to aid SD3, LLC, its successors and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper protection for the invention in the United States and in any and all foreign countries.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 29<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2000.

  
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