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PATENT ASSIGNMENT

THIS ASSIGNMENT, by PETER LAUZON, (hereinafter referred to as the Assignor), residing at 15219 Poplar Springs Lane, Houston, Texas 77062, Witnesseth:

WHEREAS, the said Assignor has invented certain new and useful improvements in "PIPE WRAP CORROSION PROTECTION SYSTEM" set forth in an application for Letters Patent of the United States,

- ☐ having an oath or declaration executed on even date herewith;
- ☒ bearing Serial No. 09/374,743 and filed on August 13, 1999.
- ☐ issued as Patent No. _____ on _____.

WHEREAS, ICO INC., a corporation duly organized under and pursuant to the laws of TEXAS, and having its principal place of business at 11409 Westheimer, Suite 1000, Houston, Texas 77077 (hereinafter referred to as the Assignee) is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said inventions and said application for Letters Patent of the United States, and in and to any Letters Patent or Patents, United States or foreign, to be obtained therefor and thereon:

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of TWO HUNDRED FIFTY Dollars (\$250.00), the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged the said Assignor has sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents does sell, assign, transfer and set over, unto the said Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to the above mentioned inventions, application for Letters Patent, and any and all Letters Patent or Patents in the United States of America and all foreign countries which may be granted therefor and thereon, and in and to any and all applications, or reissues or extensions of said Letters Patent or Patents, and all rights under the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial property, the same to be held and enjoyed by the said Assignee, for its own use and behoof and the use and behoof of its successors, legal representatives and assigns, to the full end of the term or terms for which Letters Patent or Patents may be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by the Assignor, had this sale and assignment not been made.

AND for the same consideration, the said Assignor hereby covenants and agrees to and with the said Assignee, its successor, legal representatives and assigns, that, at the time of execution and delivery of these presents, the said Assignor is the sole and lawful owner of the entire right, title and interest in and to the said inventions and the application for Letters Patent above mentioned, and that the same are unencumbered and that the said Assignor has good and full right and lawful authority to sell and convey the same in the manner herein set forth.

AND for the same consideration, the said Assignor hereby covenants and agrees to and with the said Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, that the said Assignor will, whenever counsel of the said assignee or the counsel of its successors, legal representatives and assigns, shall advise that any proceeding in connection with said inventions, or said application for Letters Patent, in any country, including international proceedings, is lawful and desirable, or that any division, continuation or continuation-in-part of any application for Letters Patent, or any reissue

or extension of any Letters Patent, to be obtained thereon, is lawful and desirable, sign all papers and documents, take all lawful oaths, and do all acts necessary or required to be done for the procurement, maintenance, enforcement and defense of Letters Patent for said inventions, at the cost and expense of the said Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, but without charge to said Assignor, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, providing the Assignor remains an employee of the Assignee, or its successors, and assigns.

AND the said Assignor hereby requests the Commissioner of Patents to issue said Letters Patent of the United States to the said Assignee as the Assignee of said inventions and the Letters Patent to be issued thereon for the sole use and behoof of the said Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns.

Date July 19, 2000

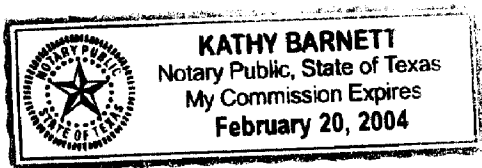
Name of Inventor: Peter Lauzon

Peter Lauzon
Signature

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On July 19, 2000, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said State, personally appeared Peter Lauzon, personally known to me or proved to me subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged that he/she executed the same.

WITNESS my hand and official seal,



Kathy Barnett
Notary Public in and for the State of Texas

Printed Name: KATHY BARNETT

My Commission Expires: 2-20-04