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- 2. Name and address of receiving party:

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Kwik Konnect, L.L.C.
1045 Bertrand Parkway
St. Martinville, LA 70582

- 3. Nature of conveyance:

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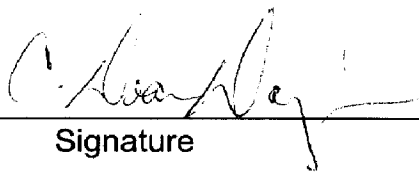
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Name



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**ASSIGNMENT
FOR GOOD AND VALUABLE CONSIDERATION**

I, Billy James Bergeron residing respectively at Arnaudville, Louisiana

223 Bergeron Road
Arnaudville, Louisiana 70512

I do hereby sell, assign and transfer unto Kwik Konnect, L.L.C., a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Louisiana and having an office at

1045 Bertrand Parkway
St. Martinville, LA 70582

herein sometimes called "ASSIGNEE," the entire right, title and interest, together with all rights of priority, in and to my invention for the "**SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR HANDLING TUBULAR MEMBERS**", as described and/or claimed in my application for Letters Patent of the United States of America, executed and filed on even date herewith and as described and/or claimed in any and all applications for Letters Patent based thereon, including divisions, continuations and reissues thereof as well as all foreign counterparts thereof, together with all Letters patent issuing on any of the aforesaid applications for Letters Patent, the same to be held and enjoyed by ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns or other legal representatives, to the full ends of the terms of all said Letters Patent therefore which may be granted.

AND I HEREBY AUTHORIZE ASSIGNEE to make applications for and to receive Letters Patent for said invention in any foreign countries in its own name, or in my name, at its election.

AND I HEREBY COVENANT AND AGREE that I will execute or procure any further necessary assurance of title to said invention and any Letters Patent which may issue therefor and that I will, at any time, upon the request and at the expense of ASSIGNEE deliver any testimony in any legal proceedings and execute all papers that may be necessary or desirable to perfect the title to said invention, or any Letters Patent which may be granted therefor, in ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns, or other legal representatives, and that I will, at any time, upon the request and at the expense of ASSIGNEE, execute any continuations, divisions, reissues, or any other additional applications for Letters Patent for said invention or any part of parts thereof, all of which applications and any Letters Patent issuing thereon are hereby assigned to ASSIGNEE, and will make all rightful oaths, and all lawful acts requisite for procuring the same therein, without further compensation, but at the expense of ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns or other legal representatives.

AND I HEREBY AUTHORIZE AND REQUEST the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any and all Letters Patent of the United States for said invention, resulting from any of the aforesaid applications to said as sole assignee.

WITNESS MY hand this 29th day of September, ²⁰⁰⁰~~1999~~.

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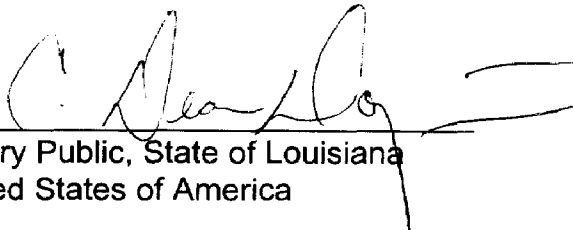
Billy James Bergeron
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Acknowledgment

State of Louisiana

Parish of Lafayette

On this 29th day of September personally appeared before me Billy James Bergeron to me known, and known by me to be the same person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he executed the same, of his own free will and for the purposes set forth.



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