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# ASSIGNMENT OF INVENTION AND APPLICATIONS FOR PATENT

WHEREAS **KARL-HEINZ TESCHNER**

of 463-467 Warrigal Road, Moorabbin, Victoria 3189, Australia (hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNOR), has invented a certain invention entitled:

WATER HEATER

for which Application No. PQ3980 for Letters Patent of Australia has been filed on 11 November 1999 and for which an Application for Patent of United States is being executed herewith, and

WHEREAS **AQUA MAX PTY LTD**

of 463-467 Warrigal Road, Moorabbin, Victoria 3189, Australia

(hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE), is desirous of acquiring the entire interest in, to and under said invention and the Australian, United States and other foreign Letters Patent to be obtained therefor, and

WHEREAS the Assignor has agreed to assign to the Assignee his entire rights in and to the invention the subject of the said applications in Australia and United States and any Letters Patent or Petty Patent granted pursuant to the said applications or in respect of the said invention in Australia, in United States (including any continuation, division, renewal, substitute or reissue of said United States application) and in any other country foreign to Australia, the right to lodge applications for protection of the said invention in United States and in any other country foreign to Australia and claiming priority of the said Australian application, and the right to sue for and recover damages or other remedies for past infringement of rights to be assigned hereby.

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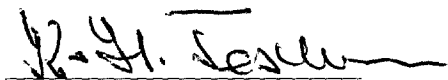
NOW, THEREFORE, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Be it known that in consideration of the payment by ASSIGNEE to ASSIGNOR of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00), the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, and for other good and valuable consideration, ASSIGNOR hereby sells, assigns and transfers to ASSIGNEE his entire rights in and to the invention the subject of the said applications in Australia and United States and any Letters Patent or Petty Patent granted pursuant to the said applications or in respect of the said invention in Australia, in United States (including any continuation, division, renewal, substitute or reissue of said United States application) and in any other country foreign to Australia, the right to lodge applications for protection of the said invention in United States and in any other country foreign to Australia and claiming priority of the said Australian application, and the right to sue for and recover damages or other remedies for past infringement of rights to be assigned hereby.

ASSIGNOR further covenants that ASSIGNEE will, upon its request, be provided promptly with all pertinent facts and documents relating to said applications, said invention and said Letters Patent as may be known and accessible to ASSIGNOR and will testify as to the same in any opposition, interference or litigation related thereto and will promptly execute and deliver to ASSIGNEE or its legal representative any and all papers, instruments or affidavits required to apply for, obtain, maintain and enforce said applications, said invention and said Letters Patent which may be necessary or desirable to carry out the purposes hereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the ASSIGNOR has hereunto set his hand and seal

~~the~~ ~~day of October 2000~~  
this 2nd day of November 2000.



Karl-Heinz Teschner