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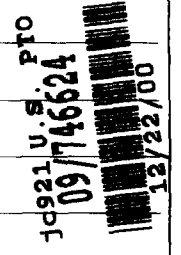
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2. Name and address of receiving party(ies):  
  
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Internal Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
  
Street Address: **25300 Al Moen Drive**  
  
City: **North Olmsted** State: **OH** ZIP: **44070**  
  
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**Daniel C. McEachran** *Daniel C. McEachran* **December 19, 2000**  
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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, WE Leonard J. Burns of  
Lorain, County of Lorain,  
 State of Ohio, and Nicholas A. Mascari  
 of Newburgh Heights, County of Cuyahoga,  
 State of Ohio, and Martin Zummersch  
 of Westlake, County of Cuyahoga,  
 State of Ohio, have invented a certain new and  
 useful improvement in:

TOP MOUNT FAUCET VALVE BODY

for which we are about to make application for Letters Patent of  
 the United States; and

WHEREAS, Moen Incorporated  
 a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the  
 laws of the State of Delaware, and having its prin-  
 cipal place of business at 25300 Al Moen Drive, North Olmsted, OH 44070-8022  
, is desirous of acquiring the entire  
 right, title and interest in and to said invention, and in and to  
 the Letters Patent to be obtained therefor;

NOW, THEREFORE, to all whom it may concern, be it known  
 that for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00)  
 and other good and valuable consideration to us in hand paid, the  
 receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we have sold, assigned  
 and transferred, and by these presents do sell, assign and trans-  
 fer unto the said assignee the entire, right, title and interest  
 in and to the said invention as fully set forth and described in  
 the specification prepared and executed by us on even date here-  
 with, preparatory to obtaining Letters Patent of the United  
 States therefor, together with all future improvements thereon  
 and additions thereto, and United States patent applications  
 which may be made therefor and any and all divisional, continuing  
 and reissue applications therefor, and the patents which may be  
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 same to be held and enjoyed by the said assignee to the full end  
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 fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed  
 by us had this assignment and sale not been made; and we hereby  
 agree to sign all necessary papers in connection with the prose-  
 cution and assignment of each and every said applications.

AND we do hereby authorize and request the Commissioner  
 of Patents to issue the said Letters Patent to the said assignee  
 of our entire right, title and interest in and to the same for  
 the sole use and benefit of the said assignee, its successors and  
 assigns.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and seals this 11 day of November, 2000.

Leonard J. Burns  
Leonard J. Burns

Nicholas A. Mascari  
Nicholas A. Mascari

Martin Zimmersch  
Martin Zimmersch

STATE OF OHIO )  
COUNTY OF CUYAHOGA )

SS:

Before me, a Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid, appeared Leonard J. Burns,

Nicholas A. Mascari and Martin Zimmersch to me personally known to be the same persons whose names are subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that they executed said instrument as their free and voluntary act and for the uses and purposes therein expressed.

Mary E Thrall  
Notary Public

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MARY E. THRALL  
Notary Public, State of Ohio  
My Commission Expires May 4, 04