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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE Patent and Trademark Office 101575956 the Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks: Please record the attached original documents or copy thereof. 2. Name and address of receiving party(ies): 1. Name of conveying party(ies): Name: <u>Letro Products, Inc.</u> Sanford F. Campbell Suresh Cherulassery Gopalan Address: 1497 George Drive Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? __Yes _X No Redding, California 96003 3. Nature of conveyance: ___ Merger X Assignment Security Agreement ___ Change of Name Additional name(s) & address(es) attached? ___ Yes X No Other Execution Date: November 2, 2000 4. Application number(s) or patent number(s): B. Patent No(s).: A. Patent Application No.: 09/662,690 Title: POOL CLEANER HAVING VORTEX DRIVE TUBE Filed Date: September 15, 2000 Additional numbers attached? ____ Yes __X_ No If this document is being filed together with a new application, the execution date of the application is: 6. Total Number of applications and patents 5. Name and address of party to whom involved: 1 X \$40.00 each correspondence concerning document should be mailed: 7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41).....\$ 40.00 Name: <u>Larry E. Vierra</u> Check Enclosed X Address: Fliesler, Dubb, Meyer & Lovejoy 8. Fee Authorization. Authorization is given to charge any additional fees or credit any Four Embarcadero Center, Suite 400 overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-1325. San Francisco, CA 94111 Copy. (A duplicate copy of this authorization is not enclosed.) Telephone: (415) 362-3800 9. Statement and signature. To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document. MANNED1 00000044 09662690 01/05/2001 Larry E. Vierra 40.00 DP Attorney (Reg. No.: 33,809) 10. Total number of pages to be recorded: 4 (1 page cover sheet and 3 page document).

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JOINT TO CORPORATE ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, the undersigned Inventors:

(1)	Sanford F. Campbell	,
a resident of	1760 North Bechelli Lane, Redding, California 96002	; and
(2)	Suresh Cherulassery Gopalan	,
a resident of	100 Hilltop Drive, Apt. 7, Redding, California 96003	;

have invented certain new and useful improvements in:

POOL CLEANER HAVING VORTEX DRIVE TUBE

and have executed a declaration or oath for an application for a United States patent disclosing and identifying the invention.

WHEREAS Letro Products, Inc. (hereinafter termed "Assignee"), a corporation of the State of California, having a place of business at 1497 George Drive, Redding, State of California, wishes to acquire the entire right, title and interest in and to said application and the invention disclosed therein, and in and to all embodiments of the invention, heretofore conceived, made or discovered jointly or severally by said Inventors (all collectively hereinafter termed "said invention"), and in and to any and all patents, certificates of invention and other forms of protection thereon (hereinafter termed "patents") applied for or granted in the United States and/or other countries.

NOW THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration acknowledged by each of said Inventors to have been received in full from said Assignee:

- 1. Said Inventors do hereby sell, assign, transfer and convey to said Assignee, the entire right, title and interest (a) in and to said application and said invention; (b) in and to all rights to apply in any or all countries of the world for patents, certificates of inventions or other governmental grants on said invention, including the right to apply for patents pursuant to the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property or pursuant to any other convention, treaty, agreement or understanding; (c) in and to any and all applications filed and any and all patents, certificates of inventions or other governmental grants granted on said invention in the United States or any other country, including each and every application filed and each and every patent granted on any application which is a division, substitution, or continuation of any of said applications; (d) in and to each and every reissue or extension of any of said patents; and (e) in and to each and every patent claim resulting from a reexamination certificate for any and all of said patents.
- 2. Said Inventors hereby jointly and severally covenant and agree to cooperate with said Assignee to enable said Assignee to enjoy to the fullest extent the right, title and interest herein conveyed in the United States and other countries. Such cooperation by said Inventors shall include prompt production of pertinent facts and documents, giving of testimony, executing of petitions, oaths, specifications, declarations or other papers, and other assistance all to the extent deemed necessary or desirable by said Assignee (a) for perfecting in said Assignee the right, title and interest herein conveyed; (b) for complying

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PATENT REEL: 011404 FRAME: 0707 with any duty of disclosure; (c) for prosecuting any of said applications; (d) for filing and prosecuting substitute, divisional, continuing or additional applications covering said invention; (e) for filing and prosecuting applications for reissue of any of said patents; (f) for interference or other priority proceedings involving said invention; and (g) for legal proceedings involving said invention and any applications therefor and any patents granted thereon, including without limitation opposition proceedings, cancellation proceedings, priority contests, public use proceedings, reexamination proceedings, compulsory licensing proceedings, infringement actions and court actions; provided, however, that the expense incurred by said Inventors in providing such cooperation shall be paid for by said Assignee.

- 3. The terms and covenants of this Assignment shall inure to the benefit of said Assignee, its successors, assigns and other legal representatives, and shall be binding upon said Inventors, their respective heirs, legal representatives and assigns.
- 4. Said Inventors hereby jointly and severally warrant and represent that they have not entered and will not enter into any assignment, contract, or understanding in conflict herewith.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the said Inventors have executed this instrument on the date of acknowledgment before the Notary Public as given below and delivered this instrument to said Assignee:

1.		On the Date of Execution of Declaration for Patent Application set forth below adjacent to my signature;
	Or	
2.	<u>X</u>	Said application having SC/Serial Number 09/662,690 and filed on the 15 th day of September, 2000.
	Date o	of Execution of Declaration for Patent Application:
		(Inventor's Signature)
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on 1/2/00 before me, Sharon A. Davey Notary Public (name and title of officer)

personally appeared Sanford F. Campbell, personally known to me (or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence) to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

Signature Shaw a, Davey

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