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Country: USA ZIP: 60134

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ASSIGNMENT OF PATENT

WHEREAS, BUFFALO BRAKE BEAM COMPANY, hereinafter referred to as "Owner", did obtain by Assignment, a United States Patent for an improvement in a "BRAKE BEAM", No. 5,810,124, dated September 22, 1998, and

WHEREAS, BUFFALO BRAKE BEAM COMPANY is the sole owner of said Patent, and

WHEREAS, MINER ENTERPRISES, INC. of Geneva, Illinois, hereinafter referred to as "Assignee" whose mailing address is 1200 E. State Street, P.O. Box 471, City of Geneva, State of Illinois 60134, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in the same;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of TEN DOLLAR (\$10.00), the receipt whereof is acknowledged, and other good and valuable consideration, I, the Owner, by these presents do sell, assign and transfer unto said Assignee the entire right, title and interest in and to the said Patent aforesaid; the same to be held and enjoyed by the said Assignee for his own use and behoof, and for his legal representatives and assigns, to the full end of the term for which said Patent is granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by the Owner had this Assignment and sale not been made.

FURTHER, BUFFALO BRAKE BEAM COMPANY conveys its entire right, title and interest in and to all applications for Letters Patent that may be applied for or granted in all countries foreign to the United States, and specifically, to: South African Patent No. 977,810, issued August 29, 1997; Canadian Appln. No. 2214182, filed November 10, 1997; Mexican Appln. No. 97.6819, filed September 8, 1997; Brazilian Appln. No. PI 9704696-5, filed September 12, 1997 and Australian Appln. 377587/97, filed September 12, 1997.

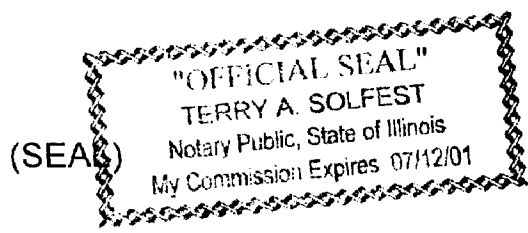
Executed this 11th day of December, 2000, at Chicago, Illinois.

Buffalo Brake Beam Company

By: *[Signature]*
Garold L. Stone, Jr., President

STATE OF Illinois)
COUNTY OF Cook) SS

Before me personally appeared said GAROLD L. STONE, JR. and acknowledged the foregoing instrument to be his free act and deed this 11th day of December, 2000.



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