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ASSIGNMENT OF APPLICATION

WHEREAS, BUFFALO BRAKE BEAM COMPANY, hereinafter referred to as "Owner", have taken by Assignment, an invention to certain new and useful improvements in a "BRAKE BEAM FOR RAIL CARS", for which an application for a United States Patent was filed on July 2, 1999, Application No. 09/345,022; 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 invention in the United States and the entire right, title and interest in and to any and all Patents which may be granted therefor in the United States. I hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue said United States Patent to said Assignee, of the entire right, title, and interest in and to the same, for his sole use and behoof; and for the use and behoof of his legal representatives, to the full end of the term for which said Patent may be 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: PCT/US00/17783, filed June 28, 2000.

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

Buffalo Brake Beam Company Stone, Jr., President Garold l

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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