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ASSIGNMENT

(Sole Inventor)

WHEREAS, I, Thomas Gildroy Dixon of 41 Whitford Road, Bromsgrove, Worcestershire, B61 7ED, United Kingdom have invented certain improvements in: Furnace Lining, and executed an application for Letters Patent of the United States of America therefor on 2001; and

WHEREAS, T.F.W.Dixon & Son Limited of 18 Buntsford Park Road, Aston Fields, Bromsgrove, Worcestershire, B60 3DX, United Kingdom, desires to acquire the entire right, title and interest in the said application, and to any United States patents to be obtained therefor;

NOW, THEREFORE, for valuable consideration, receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged,

I, Thomas Gildroy Dixon hereby sells, assigns and transfers to the aforesaid: T.F.W.Dixon & Son Limited its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in the said application, the assignee already being the owner of the invention disclosed therein, and in any divisional, continuation, continuation-in-part and re-issue applications thereof, for the United States of America, including the right to claim priority under 35 U.S. Code 119, and I request the Commissioner of Patents to issue any Letters Patent granted upon the invention set forth in said application to the said assignee, its successors and assigns; and I will execute without further consideration all papers deemed necessary by said assignee in connection with the United States when called upon to do so by the said assignee.

Signed at Bromsgrove on the 15th day of January 2001

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