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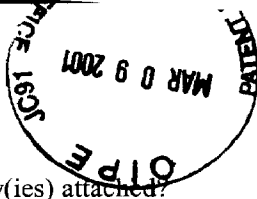
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To the Honorable Commissioner for Patents

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No

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29/133,784

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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, I, Yoshihiro Ochiai, a citizen of Japan, have invented certain new, original, and ornamental designs for:

COMPRESSOR INCLUDING AN ELECTROMAGNETIC CONTROL VALVE

described in an application for United States Letters Patent filed on December 7, 2000, and accorded Application No. 29/133,784;

AND, WHEREAS, Sanden Corporation, a corporation organized under the laws of Japan, located at 20 Kotobuki-cho, Isesaki-shi, Gunma 372-8502, Japan, (hereinafter "ASSIGNEE"), is desirous of acquiring certain rights thereunder and in and to said designs;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) or the equivalent thereof, and other good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, We, do hereby sell, assign and transfer unto said ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, my entire right, title and interest in and throughout the United States of America (including its territories and dependencies) in and to said designs, said United States application, any other United States patent applications, including provisional, divisional, renewal, substitute, continuation, reexamination and reissue applications, based in whole or in part on said United States patent application or in whole or in part on said designs, and in and to any and all letters patent, including extensions thereof, which have been or may be granted on any of the aforesaid applications or on said designs or any parts thereof;

AND I hereby agree for myself and my heirs, executors and administrators to execute without further consideration any further documents and instruments which may be necessary, lawful and proper in the prosecution of said above-referenced application or in the preparation or prosecution of any continuing, substitute, divisional, renewal, reexamination or reissue application or in any amendments, extensions or interference proceedings, that may be necessary to secure to ASSIGNEE its interest and title in and to said designs or any parts thereof, and in and to said several patents or any of them;

AND I hereby covenant for myself and my legal representatives, and agree with said ASSIGNEE, its successors and assigns, that We have granted no right or license to make, use or sell said designs, to anyone except said ASSIGNEE, that prior to the execution of this deed, my right, title and interest in said designs had not been otherwise encumbered, and that We have not and will not execute any instrument in conflict therewith;

AND I do hereby authorize and request the Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office to issue any and all letters patent which may be granted upon said United


States patent applications, or upon said designs or any parts thereof when granted, to said ASSIGNEE.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal.

February 23, 2001
Date

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