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In consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable considerations in hand paid, the receipt and sufficiency whereof are hereby acknowledged, each of the undersigned hereby assigns to Westport Research Inc., a corporation under the Canadian Business Corporations Act, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in the invention or improvements of the undersigned disclosed in an application for Letters Patent of the United States, entitled: GASEOUS AND LIQUID FUEL INJECTION VALVE WITH CONCENTRIC NEEDLES; and identified as File No. 12962US01 in the offices of McANDREWS, HELD & MALLOY, LTD., and in said application and any and all other applications, both United States and foreign, which the undersigned may file, either solely or jointly with others, on said invention or improvements, and in any and all Letters Patent of the United States and foreign countries, which may be obtained on any of said applications, and in any reissue or extension of such patents, and further assign to said assignee the priority right provided by the International Convention.

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Each of the undersigned hereby authorizes and requests the attorneys of record in said application to insert in this assignment the filing date and serial number of said application when officially known.

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SIGNED at Vancouver, Province of British Columbia, Canada

this 11th day of December

2000.

Patric Ouellette

I hereby certify that before me personally appeared Patric Ouellette to me known and known to me to be the individual described in the foregoing instrument, and that in my presence executed this instrument and who by me having been sworn did

| | the day and year aforesaid. |
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I hereby certify that before me personally appeared Guowei Li to me known and known to me to be the individual described in the foregoing instrument, and that in my presence executed this

instrument and who by me having been sworn did acknowledge that he executed the instrument as his free act and deed on the day and year aforesaid. SEAL: SIGNED at Vancouver, Province of British Columbia, Canada Silviu Dumitrescu I hereby certify that before me personally appeared Silviu deed on the day and year aforesaid.

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