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A S S I G N M E N T

I, Eugene C. Briggs, a citizen of the United States of America, residing at 6441 Far Hill Avenue, Dayton, Ohio 45459, Wayne Robertson, a citizen of the United States of America, residing at 1718 Linden Avenue, Nashville, Tennessee 37212, and Christopher L. Gansel, a citizen of the United States of America, residing at Hwy 283 South, Hill City, Kansas 67642 for good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, have assigned and do hereby assign to Black Gold Corporation, having a principal place of business at 240 Great Circle Road, No. 344 Trademark Square, Nashville, Tennessee 37228, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, the entire right, title and interest throughout the world in and to all subject matter invented by me and disclosed in the application identified below:

Title: IMPROVED FLAME RETENTION HEAD AND NOZZLE BLOCK ASSEMBLY FOR WASTE OIL-BURNING SYSTEMS

Inventors: Eugene C. Briggs, Wayne Robertson, and Christopher L. Gansel

Dates of Execution: 8/3/2000 by Eugene C. Briggs
8/1/2000 by Wayne Robertson
8/2/2000 by Christopher L. Gansel

and in and to all Letters Patent and all Convention and Treaty rights of all kinds, in all countries throughout the world, for all such subject matter. I agree to sign all papers necessary to secure all said Letters Patent and rights, and request issuance of all said Letters Patent to the above assignee in accordance with this Assignment.

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, 2000

Eugene C. Briggs
Eugene C. Briggs

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COUNTY OF Montgomery) §

I hereby certify that before me appeared Eugene C. Briggs, personally known by me who then and there was duly sworn by me, and under oath acknowledged that the foregoing Assignment was duly signed, sealed and delivered by him on the date appearing at the foot thereof.

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My Commission Expires: 3/28/05
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Wayne Robertson

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I hereby certify that before me appeared Wayne Robertson, personally known by me who then and there was duly sworn by me, and under oath acknowledged that the foregoing Assignment was duly signed, sealed and delivered by him on the date appearing at the foot thereof.

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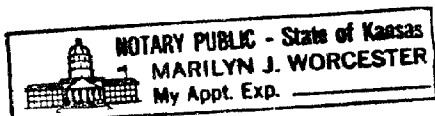
I hereby certify that before me appeared Christopher L. Gansel, personally known by me who then and there was duly sworn by me, and under oath acknowledged that the foregoing Assignment was duly signed, sealed and delivered by him on the date appearing at the foot thereof.

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