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ASSIGNMENT

Attorney's Docket No.  
EN-3044-US

In consideration of One Dollar and other good and valuable consideration, of which we acknowledge receipt, we, **Stephen J. Towner**, of **510 Hemlock, Libertyville, Illinois 60048**, and **H. Norman Petersen**, of **9530 Snowshoe Road, Boulder Junction, Wisconsin 54512**, sell and assign to **OUTBOARD MARINE CORPORATION** (hereinafter "COMPANY"), a Delaware Corporation, its successors and assigns the entire right, title and interest in and to the improvements in **REMOVABLE MARINE GEARCASE PLATE**, invented by us, as described in the application for United States patent filed **July 21, 2000**, Serial Number **09/621,510**, and any and all applications for patent and patents therefor in any and all countries, including all divisions, reissues, continuations and extensions thereof, and all rights of priority resulting from the filing of said United States application, and authorize and request any official whose duty it is to issue patents, to issue any patent on said improvements or resulting therefrom to said COMPANY, or its successors or assigns and agree that on request and without further consideration, but at the expense of said COMPANY, we will communicate to said Company or its representatives or nominees any facts known to us respecting said improvements and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuing and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths and generally do everything possible to aid said COMPANY, its successors, assigns, and nominees to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for said improvements in all countries.

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STEPHEN J. TOWNER

27 APR, 2001

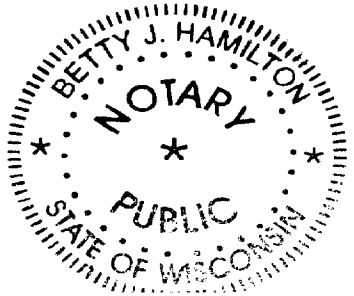
*H Norman Petersen*  
H. NORMAN PETERSEN

STATE OF \_\_\_\_\_ )  
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County of \_\_\_\_\_ )

This \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, before me personally came the above-named **STEPHEN J. TOWNER**, to me personally known as the individual who executed the foregoing assignment, who acknowledged to me that he executed the same of his own free will for the purposes therein set forth.

STATE OF Wis )  
 ) ss.  
County of Vilas )

This 27 day of April, 01, before me personally came the above-named **H. NORMAN PETERSEN**, to me personally known as the individual who executed the foregoing assignment, who acknowledged to me that he executed the same of his own free will for the purposes therein set forth.



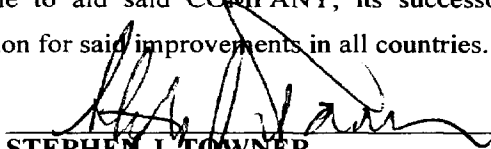
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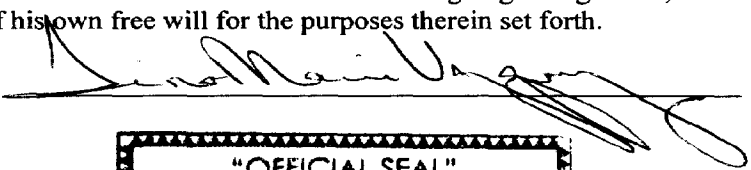
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JULY 19, 2000

  
STEPHEN J. TOWNER

STATE OF Illinois )  
  ) ss.  
County of Lake )

This 19<sup>th</sup> day of July 2000, before me personally came the above-named **STEPHEN J. TOWNER**, to me personally known as the individual who executed the foregoing assignment, who acknowledged to me that he executed the same of his own free will for the purposes therein set forth.





STATE OF \_\_\_\_\_ )  
  ) ss.  
County of \_\_\_\_\_ )

\_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_

H. NORMAN PETERSEN

This \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, before me personally came the above-named **H. NORMAN PETERSEN**, to me personally known as the individual who executed the foregoing assignment, who acknowledged to me that he executed the same of his own free will for the purposes therein set forth.

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