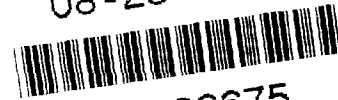


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ASSIGNMENT OF PATENT

Patent No: 5,979,012

Date of Patent: November 9, 1999

Title: MOBILE APPARATUS FOR DISPENSING AND RECOVERING
WATER AND REMOVING WASTE THEREFROM

For good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency whereof are hereby acknowledged, Parker West International, LLC, a California limited liability company, 4520 Montecito Ave., Suite 1, Santa Rosa, CA 95404 (hereinafter "Assignor"), hereby assigns to Parker West International, L.L.C., a Delaware limited liability company, 4520 Montecito Ave., Suite 1, Santa Rosa, CA 95404 (hereinafter "Assignee"), its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in United States Patent No. 5,979,012, including all of the inventions or improvements disclosed therein, and in any foreign applications which the Assignee has filed or may file on said inventions or improvements, and in any and all Letters Patent of the United States and foreign countries, which may be obtained on any reissue, reexamination, or extension thereof.

The Assignor warrants it is the owner of the interest herein assigned, as evidenced by the assignment recorded in the United States Patent and Trademark Office at Reel No. 9169, Frames 0900-0902, and warrants it has the right to make this assignment and further warrants that there are no outstanding rights in the interest herein assigned.

For said consideration the Assignor hereby agrees, upon the request and at the expense of said Assignee, its successors and assigns, to execute any and all divisional, continuation, continuation-in-part, and substitute applications for said invention or improvements, and any necessary oath or affidavit relating thereto, and any application for the reexamination, reissue or extension of the aforesaid Letters Patent, and any and all applications and other documents for Letters Patent in foreign countries on said invention or improvements, that said Assignee, its successors or assigns, may deem necessary or expedient, and for said consideration the Assignor further agrees upon the request of said Assignee, its successors or assigns, in the event of any application or Letters Patent assigned herein becoming involved in Interference, to cooperate to the best of the ability of the Assignor with said Assignee, its successors or assigns, in the matters of preparing and executing the preliminary statement and giving and producing evidence in support thereof, the Assignor hereby agreeing to perform, upon request, any and all affirmative acts to obtain said Letters Patent, both United States and foreign, and vest all rights therein hereby conveyed in said Assignee, its successors and assigns, whereby said Letters Patent will be held and enjoyed by said Assignee, its successors and assigns, to the full end of the term for which said Letters Patent may be granted as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by the Assignor if this assignment and sale had not been made.

WITNESS my hand this 13th day of August, 2001.

State of CA)
County of Sonoma) ss

Signed:

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Title:

Pres
Parker West International, LLC, a California limited liability company

On this 13th day of August, 2001, before me, a Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid, appeared the above-identified representative of Parker West International, LLC, a California limited liability company, to me personally known to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he executed said instrument as his free and voluntary act and for the uses and purposes therein expressed.

WITNESS my hand and seal the same day and year last above given.

My Commission Expires:

12-24-02

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