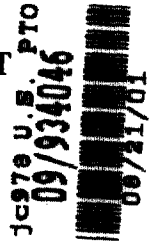


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Washington, D.C. 20231

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COVER SHEET FOR ASSIGNMENT (DOCUMENT) ACCOMPANYING
NEW PATENT APPLICATION (37 CFR 3.31)

IDENTIFICATION OF APPLICATION (37 CFR 3.21
AND 37 CFR 3.31(a)(4))

1. The patent application filed herewith and, to which the attached assignment (document) refers is identified as follows:

a. Type of application

- Application of patent (37 C.F.R. 1.53(b))
- Continued prosecution (nonprovisional) application (37 C.F.R. § 1.53(d))
- Provisional application (37 C.F.R. 1.53(c))
- International application (37 C.F.R. 1.431)

NOTE: Leave this blank if assignment is for a provisional application.

b. Name of each inventor:

- 1: Patrick E. Millican
- 2:
- 3:

c. Title of invention: QUICK REVERSE MECHANISM FOR PNEUMATIC BORING TOOL

NOTE: "If an assignment is executed concurrently with, or subsequent to the execution of the patent application, but before the patent application is filed, it must identify the patent application by its date of execution, name of each inventor, and title of the invention so that there can be no mistake as to the patent application intended." 37 CFR 3.21.

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Aliya N. Chaudry
Name of Depositor

A. Chaudry
Signature

August 20, 2001
Date

NAME OF PARTY(IES) CONVEYING INTEREST (37 CRF 3.31(a)(1))

2. The party(ies) conveying this interest is (are):

Name 1: Patrick E. Millican

Name 2: _____

Name 3: _____

**NAME AND ADDRESS OF PARTY(IES) RECEIVING INTEREST
(37 CRF 3.31(a)(2))**

3. The rights are being conveyed to:

Name: The Charles Machine Works, Inc.

Address: 1959 West Fir Avenue

P.O. Box 66

Perry, Oklahoma 73077-0066

Telephone No.: (580) 572-4402

**DESCRIPTION OF INTEREST CONVEYED OR
TRANSACTION RECORDED (37 CFR 3.31(a)(3))**

4. The accompanying document intends to accomplish:

- an assignment.
- a security agreement.
- a license.
- a merger.
- a change of name.
- a change of address.
- other.

**NAME AND ADDRESS OF PARTY TO WHOM CORRESPONDENCE
SHOULD BE MAILED (37 CRF 3.31(a)(5))**

5. Please address correspondence to:

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DATE ASSIGNMENT (DOCUMENT) EXECUTED (37 CFR 3.31(a)(7))

6. The attached assignment (document) was executed on August 20, 2001.

LANGUAGE OF ASSIGNMENT (DOCUMENT) TO BE RECORDED

NOTE: "The Office will accept and record non-English language documents only if accompanied by an English translation signed by the individual making the translation." 37 CFR 3.26.

7. The attached document:

- is in the English language.
- Is not in the English language. An English translation signed by the individual making the translation and statement as to its accuracy is attached.

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NUMBER OF APPLICATIONS IDENTIFIED IN THIS COVER SHEET AND THE FEE (37 CFR 3.31 (a)(6))

9. A. This cover sheet identifies only one application:
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A duplicate of this cover sheet is attached.

STATEMENT AND SIGNATURE
(37 CFR 3.31)

10. To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document.

Date: 8/20/01

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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS Patrick E. Millican, an individual residing at 1705 W. Glencoe Road, Stillwater, Oklahoma 74074 (hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNOR), has invented and owns a certain invention entitled: QUICK REVERSE MECHANISM FOR PNEUMATIC BORING TOOL, for which application for Letters Patent of the United States has been executed on even date herewith; and

WHEREAS The Charles Machine Works, Inc., an Oklahoma corporation having a principal place of business at 1959 West Fir Avenue, Perry, Oklahoma 73077-0066 (hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE), is desirous of acquiring the entire interest in, to and under said invention and in, to and under Letters Patent or similar legal protection to be obtained therefor in the United States and in any and all foreign countries.

NOW, THEREFORE, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Be it known that in consideration of the payment by ASSIGNEE to ASSIGNOR of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00), the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, and for other good and valuable consideration, ASSIGNOR hereby sells, assigns and transfers to ASSIGNEE the full and exclusive right, title and interest to said invention in the United States and its territorial possessions and in all foreign countries, including the right to claim priority under any applicable provisions of the International Convention and the Patent Cooperation Treaty and to all Letters Patent or similar legal protection in the United States and its territorial possessions and in any and all foreign countries to be obtained for said invention by said application or any continuation, division, renewal, extension, substitute or reissue thereof or any legal equivalent thereof in a foreign country for the full term or terms for which the same may be granted.

ASSIGNOR hereby covenants that no assignment, sale, agreement or encumbrance has been or will be made or entered into which would conflict with this assignment and sale;

ASSIGNOR further covenants that ASSIGNEE will, upon its request, be provided promptly with all pertinent facts and documents relating to said application, said invention and said Letters Patent and legal equivalents in foreign countries as may be known and accessible to ASSIGNOR and will testify as to the same in any interference or litigation related thereto and will promptly execute and deliver to ASSIGNEE or its legal representatives any and all papers, instruments or affidavits required to apply for, obtain, maintain, issue and enforce said application, said invention and said Letters Patent and said equivalents thereof in any foreign country which may be necessary or desirable to carry out the purposes thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 20th day
of August, 2001.

Patrick E. Millican
Patrick E. Millican

STATE OF OKLAHOMA)
) ss.
COUNTY OF NOBLE)

The foregoing was acknowledged before me, a Notary Public, on the 20th day
of August, 2001, by Patrick E. Millican.

Janet Wilhelm
NOTARY PUBLIC

My Commission Expires:

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