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1. Name of conveying party(ies):

James Bohn (10-30-2001)
Jose Nieto (10-18-2001)

Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? () Yes (X) No

3. Nature of conveyance:

- (X) Assignment () Merger
() Security Agreement () Change of Name
() Other _____

Execution Date: October 30 and 18, 2001

Name: S-B Power Tool Company
Internal Address: 4300 W. Peterson Avenue
Chicago, Illinois 60646-5999

Street Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____

Additional name(s) & address(es) attached: () Yes (X) No

4. Application number(s) or patent number(s):

If this document is being filed together with a new application, the execution date of the application is: October 30 and 18, 2001

A. Patent Application No.(s)

B. Patent No.(s)

Additional numbers attached? () Yes (X) No.

5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:

Name: Greer, Burns & Crain, Ltd.
Internal Address: Suite 2500
300 South Wacker Drive
Chicago, Illinois 60606

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City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____

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6. Total number of applications and patents involved: 1

7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41) \$ 40.00

(X) Enclosed

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Name of Person Signing

Signature

November 8, 2001
Date

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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, James Bohn, a citizen of the United States, residing at 5550 Gallant Fox Lane, Racine, Wisconsin 53402, and Jose Nieto, a citizen of the United States, residing at 2812 S. Homan, Chicago, Illinois 60623, hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNOR, has invented and owns a certain invention entitled:

QUICK ATTACHMENT RELEASE SYSTEM FOR A ROTARY HAND TOOL

for which application for Letters Patent of the United States has been filed on even date herewith; and

WHEREAS, S-B Power Tool Company, a general partnership organized under the Delaware Partnership Statute, having a principal place of business at 4300 West Peterson Avenue, Chicago, Illinois 60646-5999, hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE, is desirous of acquiring the entire interest in, to and under said invention and the United States Letters Patent to be obtained therefor:

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 and all Letters Patent of the United States to be obtained therefor on said application or any continuation, division, renewal, substitute or reissue thereof and in and to all Letters Patent and all Convention and Treaty rights of all kinds, for said invention for the full term or terms for which the same may be granted.

ASSIGNOR also assigns all of its right, title and interest in and to said invention in all foreign countries, and all applications for Letters Patent which may evolve therefrom, including the right to claim International Convention priority.

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 as may be known and accessible to ASSIGNOR and ASSIGNOR will testify as to the same in any interference or litigation related thereto and will promptly execute and deliver to ASSIGNEE or its legal representative any and all papers, instruments or affidavits required to apply for, obtain, maintain and enforce said application, said invention and said Letters Patent which may be necessary or desirable to carry out the purposes hereof.

Date 10-30-01

James Bohn
James Bohn

State of WISCONSIN)
County of RACINE) ss:
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I hereby certify that James Bohn before me personally appeared and acknowledged that the foregoing Assignment was duly signed, sealed and delivered by him as his free and voluntary act on this 30th day of October, 2001.

(Notarial Seal)

Barbara J. Schneider
Notary Public - My Commission

Expires: April 6, 2003

Date 10-18-01

Jose Nieto
Jose Nieto

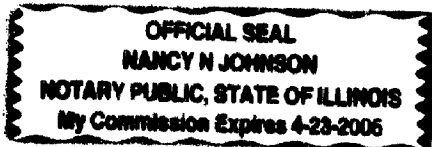
State of

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County of

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I hereby certify that Jose Nieto before me personally appeared and acknowledged that the foregoing Assignment was duly signed, sealed and delivered by him as his free and voluntary act on this 18th day of October, 2001.



(Notarial Seal)

Nancy N. Johnson
Notary Public - My Commission

Expires: 4-23-05

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