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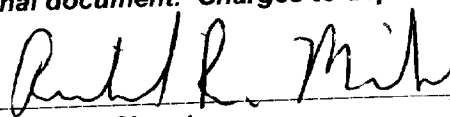
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WHEREAS, We,

- 1) Richard Thomas Entwistle
- 2) Hardy Jepsen

residents of

- 1) Ollundsbjerg 49, DK-6470 Sydals, Denmark
- 2) Joachimparken 7, DK-6400 Sønderborg, Denmark

respectively, have invented improvements in

**VALVE, PARTICULARLY SOLENOID VALVE**

for which we have executed on even date herewith an application for Letters Patent of the United States, and

WHEREAS, Danfoss A/S

a corporation of Denmark

having a place of business at

DK-6430 Nordborg  
Denmark


is desirous of acquiring an interest in said invention, said application and the Letters Patent to be issued therefor;

NOW, THEREFORE, to all whom it may concern, be it known that for and in consideration of the sum of ONE DOLLAR to each in hand paid and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, we have sold, assigned and set over, and do hereby sell, assign and set over to said corporation, its successors or assigns, the entire right, title and interest to and in said invention in the United States and in all foreign countries, said United States application for Letters Patent therefor and the Letters Patent when issued; and we do hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patent and Trademarks to issue the Letters Patent based upon said application to said corporation as the assignees of our entire right, title and interest to and in the same, for the sole use and behoof of said corporation, its successors or assigns.


And we also hereby covenant and agree to sign all proper papers including divisional and other applications for patents and assignments thereof in the United States and application for patents and assignments in all foreign countries, and to execute all rightful oaths and to take any other proper action that may in the judgment of the said corporation be necessary for securing thereto full rights to said invention, all of the foregoing to be at the expense of said corporation.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and affixed our seals.

30/10/2001  
Date

By   
Richard Thomas Entwistle

20/10/2001  
Date

By   
Hardy Iepsen