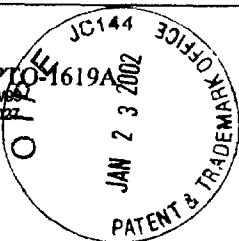


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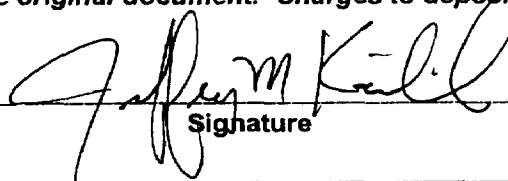
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WHEREAS, we, **TIMOTHY A. KELLY**, a citizen of the United States residing at 801 Virginia Avenue, Salem, Virginia 24153; and **RANDY L. PRATT**, a citizen of the United States residing at 3253 Windfall Drive, Salem, Virginia 24153, (hereinafter referenced as **ASSIGNORS**), have invented a certain new and useful invention entitled **HINGELESS VENTILATOR**, for which an application for Letters Patent of the United States has been filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on October 4, 2001 having U.S. Serial No. 09/971,045;

AND WHEREAS, **SALEM VENT INTERNATIONAL, INC.** a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Virginia, having its principal office and place of business at 1209 Colorado Street, P. O. Box 865, Salem, Virginia 24153, (hereinafter **ASSIGNEE**) is desirous of acquiring an interest therein;

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, we, the said **ASSIGNORS**, by these presents do sell, assign and transfer unto the said **ASSIGNEE**, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, the full and exclusive right, title and interest to the said invention and in and to said application and all patents which may be granted therefor, and all divisionals, reissues, continuations, continuations-in-part, and extensions thereof, in the United States and all foreign countries, together with the right of priority under the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, Inter-American Convention Relating to Patents, Designs and Industrial Models, and any other international agreements to which the United States of America adheres, and we hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents to issue said Letters Patent to the said **ASSIGNEE**, for its interest as **ASSIGNEE**, its successors, assigns and legal representatives.

And we hereby agree, at the expense of **ASSIGNEE**, to testify in any legal proceedings, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuation, continuation-in-part, reissue, and substitute applications, make lawful oaths and declarations, and generally do everything possible to vest title in **ASSIGNEE** and to aid **ASSIGNEE** to obtain and enforce proper protection for said invention in all countries.

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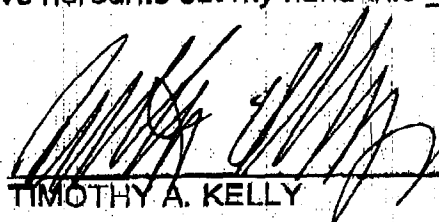
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And we hereby agree to transfer a like interest, upon the request of said ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, and without further remuneration, in and to any improvements, and applications for patent based thereon, growing out of or related to the said invention; and to execute any papers by the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, deemed essential to ASSIGNEE's full protection and title in and to the invention hereby transferred.

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 2nd day of JANUARY, 2002.


TIMOTHY A. KELLY

STATE OF VIRGINIA)
COUNTY OF Salem)
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Personally appeared before me, TIMOTHY A. KELLY, to me known and known to me to be the person described and who executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged the same to be his act and deed in and for the purposes set forth in said instrument this 2nd day of January, 2002.

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Randy L. Pratt

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Personally appeared before me, RANDY L. PRATT, to me known and known to me to be the person described and who executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged the same to be his act and deed in and for the purposes set forth in said instrument this 2nd day of January, 2002.

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