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A. Patent Application No.(s)			B. Patent No.(s)		
09/638,472	09/970,606	10/003,771	5,310,226	5,988,705	5,554,425
09/778,549	10/003,140		5,759,329	5,491,331	5,500,257
09/844,461	10/021,671		5,958,532	5,504,324	5,212,864
09/946,105	10/003,141		5,916,404	5,445,351	5,385,179

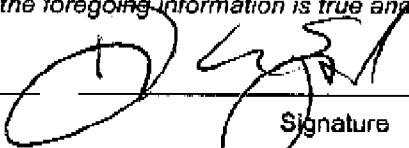
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<p>5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:</p> <p>Name: <b>Douglas W. Sprinkle</b></p> <p>Internal Address: <b>Gifford, Krass, Groh, Sprinkle, Anderson &amp; Citkowski, P.C.</b></p> <hr/> <p>Street Address: <b>280 N. Old Woodward Ave., Suite 400</b></p> <hr/> <p>City: <b>Birmingham</b> State: <b>MI</b> ZIP: <b>48009</b></p>	<p>6. Total number of applications and patents involved: <b>45</b></p> <p>7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41):.....\$ <b>1,800.00</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Enclosed - Any excess or insufficiency should be credited or debited to deposit account</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Authorized to be charged to deposit account</p> <p>8. Deposit account number:</p> <p><b>07-1180</b></p> <p>(Attach duplicate copy of this page if paying by deposit account)</p>
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**Douglas W. Sprinkle**  **April 26, 2002**

Name of Person Signing \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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

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**ASSIGNMENT OF PATENT RIGHTS**

THIS IS AN ASSIGNMENT made by Pilot Industries, Inc., a Michigan corporation having a mailing address of 2319 Bishop Circle East, Dexter MI 48130, (the "Assignor") to Cerberus Pilot Acquisition III, Inc., a Delaware corporation with a mailing address of c/o Cerberus Capital Management, LLC, 450 Park Avenue, 28<sup>th</sup> Floor, New York, NY 10128 (the "Assignee").

WHEREAS the Assignor is the owner of the entire right, title, and interest in and to the Patents and Patent Applications listed in the attached Schedule A (the Patents and Patent Applications) and Assignee is desirous of acquiring any and all rights that Assignor may have in and to the Patents and Patent Applications, along with the right to recover for damages and profits for past infringements thereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, To All Whom It May Concern, be it known that for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, the above Assignor has sold and by these presents does hereby sell, assign, transfer, and convey unto the said Assignee, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title, and interest in and to the Patents and Patent Applications, and in and to any and all continuations, continuations-in-part, divisions, extensions and re-examinations thereof, and in and to any and all Letters Patent relating thereto or reissues thereof which may be granted therefor or thereon, and any Letters Patent thereon or reissues thereof which may be granted therefor or thereon, for the full end of the term for which said Letters Patent may be granted, together with the right to claim priority in all foreign countries in accordance with International Treaties and Conventions and the right to recover for damages and profits for past infringements thereof, the same to be held and enjoyed by said

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assignee, its successors and assigns, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by assignor if this assignment and sale had not been made.

Assignor agrees to execute and deliver at the request of the Assignee, all papers, instruments, and assignments, and to perform any other reasonable acts the Assignee may require in order to vest all Assignor's rights, title and interest in and to the Patents and Applications in the Assignee and/or to provide evidence to support any of the foregoing in the event such evidence is deemed necessary by the Assignee, to the extent such evidence is in the possession or control of Assignor.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Assignor and Assignee have caused this assignment to be executed this 30<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2002.

ASSIGNOR, Pilot Industries, Inc.

By: Robert Davis

Its: CEO

STATE OF New York )  
  ) ss:  
COUNTY OF New York )

Before me personally appeared Robert Davis, to me known to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and he acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the purposes therein stated, this 30<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2002.

[Signature]  
Notary Public

(SEAL)

My Commission Expires: 7/20/02

SEBASTIAN AZIZ  
Notary Public, State of New York  
No. 01AZ6010692  
Qualified in Queens County  
Commission Expires July 20, 2002

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Assignment accepted:

ASSIGNEE, Cerberus Pilot Acquisition III, Inc.

By: Abigail L. May

Its: Authorized Signatory

STATE OF New York )  
 ) ss:  
COUNTY OF New York )

Before me personally appeared Abigail L. May, to me known to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and he acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the purposes therein stated, this 30<sup>th</sup> day of January 2002.

[Signature]  
Notary Public

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## SCHEDULE A

## THE UNITED STATES

TITLE	APPLICATION NO.	FILING DATE	PATENT NO.	ISSUE DATE
1. Quick Connect Coupling for a Fuel Tank	033,354	03/18/1993	5,310,226	05/10/1994
2. Fluoropolymer Composite Tube and Method of Preparation	08/265,679	06/24/1994	5,759,329	06/02/1998
3. Fluoropolymer Composite Tube and Method of Preparation	08/403,303	03/14/1995	5,958,532	09/28/1999
4. Fluoropolymer Composite Tube and Method of Preparation	08/707,663	09/04/1996	5,916,404	06/29/1999
5. Fluoropolymer Composite Tube and Method of Preparation	09/638,472	08/14/2000		
6. Quick Connect Coupling	08/064,907	05/24/1993	5,988,705	11/23/1999
7. Soft X-Ray Imaging Device	08/232,839	04/25/1994	5,491,331	02/13/1996
8. Soft X-Ray Imaging Device	08/427,342	04/24/1995	5,504,324	04/02/1996
9. Cover for a Fuel Tank Support Strap	08/199,046	02/17/1994	5,445,351	08/29/1995
10. Fluoropolymer Composite Tube and Method of Preparation	08/403,499	03/14/1995	5,554,425	09/10/1996
11. Method of Preparing a Fluoropolymer Composite	08/499,207	07/07/1995	5,500,257	03/19/1996
12. Nozzle Restrictor Assembly and Method of Installing Same	07/754,531	09/04/1991	5,212,864	05/23/1993
13. Nozzle Restrictor Assembly and Method of Installation	08/056,835	05/03/1993	5,385,179	01/31/1995
14. Quick Connect Coupling	08/267,887	06/28/1994	5,527,072	06/18/1996
15. Insulated Fluid Coupling Assembly	08/389,120	02/15/1995	5,553,896	09/10/1996
16. Pre-Cocked Quick Connect Coupling	08/456,468	06/01/1995	5,509,695	04/23/1986
17. Molded Quick Connect Coupling	08/445,278	05/22/1995	5,553,899	09/10/1996
18. Apparatus for Testing Extruded Tubing	08/515,272	08/15/1995	5,651,999	07/29/1997
19. System for Forming A Metal Tubing	08/563,492	11/28/1995	5,738,723	04/14/1998
20. Leak Detection System	08/515,270	08/15/1995	5,553,483	09/10/1996
21. Fuel Tank Valve Assembly	08/594,637	02/02/1996	5,601,114	02/11/1997
22. Heat Shield and Method of	08/811,578	03/05/1997	5,846,634	12/08/1998

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Manufacturing the Heat Shield				
23. Electrical Discharge Machining Apparatus	08/709,388	09/06/1996	5,736,015	04/07/1998
24. Tube Bending Apparatus	08/826,898	04/09/1997	5,836,188	11/17/1998
25. X-Ray Source	08/784,836	01/17/1997	5,796,805	08/18/1998
26. Quick Connect Coupling with Improved Retainer	08/967,551	11/10/1997	5,971,445	10/26/1999
27. Hose Coupling	09/112,496	07/09/1998	6,000,729	12/14/1999
29. Bacteria Colony Counter and Classifier	09/083,723	05/22/1998	6,002,789	12/14/1999
30. High Vacuum Housing with Improved Sealing Means	08/976,785	11/24/1997	5,887,746	03/30/1999
31. X-Ray Source Having Removable Cathode Assembly	09/095,291	06/10/1998	5,970,117	10/19/1999
32. X-Ray Imaging System for Determining Area Density of Low Density Samples	09/310,278	05/12/1999	6,167,113	12/26/2000
33. Water Jet Stripping Process	09/213,966	12/17/1998	5,991,995	11/30/1999
34. Press with Automated Die Change	09/354,278	07/15/1999	6,213,279	04/10/2001
35. System for Loading Raw Material and Unloading Finished Parts from a Compression Mold	09/354,277	07/15/1999	6,224,363	05/01/2001
36. Apparatus for Coating Fibers	09/298,011	04/22/1999	6,221,161	04/24/2001
37. Method for Treating Iron Based Parts	09/844,461	04/27/2001		
38. Vent Valve Assembly	09/707,465	11/07/2000 <del>10/27/2000</del>	6,338,362	01/15/02
39. Automotive Fuel Tank Fill Assembly	09/702,622	10/31/2000	6,336,482	01/08/2002
40. Recirculation Line Valve Assembly	09/778,549	02/07/2001		
41. Quick Connect Coupling with Check Valve	09/946,105	09/04/2001		
42. Die Assembly	10/003,140	11/15/2001		
43. Apparatus for Shaping Thermoplastic Tubes	09/970,606	10/04/2001		
44. Apparatus for Annealing				
45. Fuel Tank Spud	10/021,674	12/12/01		
46. Device for Securing a Hose	10/003,141	11/15/2001		

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Clamp to a Hose				
47. Fuel Fill Tube Assembly	10/003,771	11/15/2001		