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For: ROTARY ULTRASONIC BONDER OR PROCESSOR CAPABLE OF HIGH SPEED INTERMITTENT PROCESSING

Assignment – Joint Inventors

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WHEREAS Patrick Sean McNichols residing at N2426 Greendale Road, Hortonville, Wisconsin 54956 and Thomas David Ehler residing at 1104 Tullar Road, Neenah, Wisconsin 54956 and Timothy James Blenke residing at 916 Milbrook Drive, Neenah, Wisconsin 54956 and Tauhid Husain residing at 3 Brighton Hill Lane, New Milford Connecticut 06776 and Barton Andrew Laughlin residing at N1216 Country Crest Circle, Hortonville, Wisconsin 54944 and Paul Gordon Klemp residing at N1553 Midway Road, Hortonville, Wisconsin 54944 and John Ford Condron residing at 1830 Eagle Drive, Neenah, Wisconsin 54956 and Harold Norbert Heller residing at 1416 Maria Lane, Menasha, Wisconsin 54952 (hereinafter collectively referred to as Assignors), have made an invention and have each either (1) previously executed an application for Letters Patent of the United States of America therefor or (2) are contemporaneously executing an application for Letters Patent of the United States of America for the invention which is entitled:

ROTARY ULTRASONIC BONDER OR PROCESSOR CAPABLE OF HIGH SPEED INTERMITTENT PROCESSING

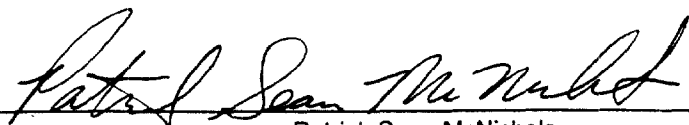
AND WHEREAS Kimberly-Clark Worldwide, Inc., a corporation of the State of Delaware, having offices at 401 North Lake Street, Neenah, Wisconsin 54956, United States of America, (hereinafter referred to as Assignee), is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and under said Letters Patent or similar legal protection to be obtained therefor in the United States and in any and all foreign countries.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Assignors have executed this document on the date indicated below:


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