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## ASSIGNMENT


WHEREAS, We, WILLIAM F. TURNAU III of Canton, Michigan, and DOUGLAS W. MIRTH of Plymouth, Michigan have invented our certain invention entitled VALVE HANDLE for which we have made application for Letters Patent of the United States of America; and

WHEREAS, BRASS-CRAFT MANUFACTURING COMPANY, a Michigan corporation, having its office and a principal place of business in the City of Novi, State of Michigan, desires to acquire the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention;

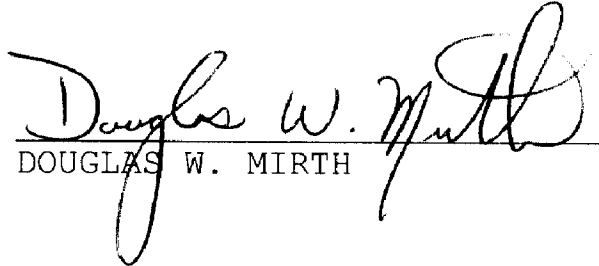
NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, We, WILLIAM F. TURNAU III and DOUGLAS W. MIRTH by these presents do sell, assign and transfer unto said corporation, its successors and assigns, all right, title and interest in the United States of America and all foreign countries in and to said invention as described in the patent application executed by us on the 4th day of September, 2001; (Serial No. 29/148,058 Filed September 12, 2001); to said application; to any Letters Patent issuing thereon and any reissue, division or continuation thereof; to all patents in any country foreign to the United States that may be granted therefor or for the inventions described therein; to any improvements on said invention heretofore or hereafter made while I am in the employ of said corporation; the right to file applications for patent in countries foreign to the United States, under international convention or otherwise, and the right to claim priority based on the first filed application; and I hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents to issue all Patents on said United States applications to said corporation as assignee thereof.

FOR SAID CONSIDERATIONS, I hereby covenant and agree that I am the owner of the full title herein assigned and have the right to assign the same, and agree that I will communicate to said corporation or its representatives, any facts known to me respecting said invention or inventions and testify in any legal proceedings relating thereto when called upon, and will sign all instruments and documents and render such assistance which in the judgment of said corporation is necessary to vest in it and protect the legal title sought to be assigned.

Signed and sealed this 28<sup>th</sup> day of MAY,  
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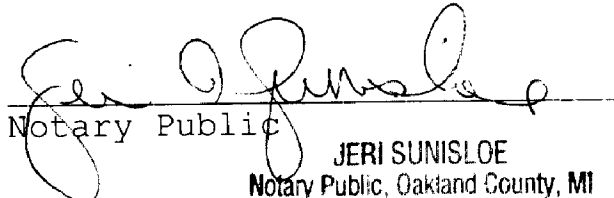
  
WILLIAM F. TURNAU III

Signed and sealed this 24<sup>th</sup> day of MAY,  
2002.

  
DOUGLAS W. MIRTH

State of Michigan     )  
                                  ) ss.  
County of Oakland     )

On this 28<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2002, before me, a  
Notary Public in and for said County, personally appeared  
WILLIAM F. TURNAU III and DOUGLAS W. MIRTH to me known to be the  
same persons who executed the within instrument and acknowledged  
to me that they executed the same of their own free act and  
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Notary Public  
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