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5,185,087

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# ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Agkone, Inc., a Texas corporation (hereinafter "Agkone") is the owner by assignment of the entire right, title and interest in United States Patent No. 5,185,087, granted in the name of Lister et al., on February 9, 1993, entitled "METHOD OF CONCENTRATING AND DEODORIZING RUMINANT WASTE" (hereinafter, the "Patent");

WHEREAS, Erath Earth Compost, LLC of Dublin, Texas, a Texas limited liability company (hereinafter "Erath") is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in the Patent;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of one dollar and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is acknowledged, Agkone has sold, assigned, conveyed, transferred and set over, and by these presents does sell, assign, convey, transfer and set over unto the said Erath, its successors and assigns, all of its right, title and interest of every kind and character throughout the world in and to the Patent, and the invention described in it, to the full extent of its ownership or interest therein, including, without limitation, all domestic and foreign patents and registrations therefor (and all patents that issue therefrom and all divisions, continuations, continuations-in-part, reexaminations, substitutions, reissues, extensions, and renewals of such applications, registrations and patents, and the right to apply for any of the foregoing), and including all rights to causes of action and remedies related thereto (including, without limitation, the right to sue for past, present, or future infringement).

This Assignment shall be effective nunc pro tunc as of August 1, 2001.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Agkone has caused this Nunc Pro Tunc Patent Assignment to be executed as of the dates below.

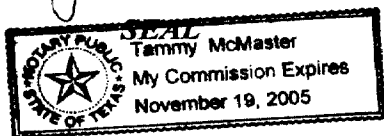
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Date: June 24, 2002 BY: Israh B. Cortez  
Printed Name ISRAH B. CORTEZ  
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BEFORE ME, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, on this day personally appeared Israh Cortez, to me known, who being by me duly sworn did depose and say that he or she was an officer on August 1, 2001 of Agkone, Inc., the corporation described in and which executed the foregoing instrument, that he or she was authorized on August 1, 2001 to execute this instrument on behalf of said corporation, and that he or she signed his or her name thereto by like authority.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL OF OFFICE this the 24th day of June, 2002.



Tammy McMaster  
Notary Public for said County and State  
Printed Name Tammy McMaster  
My Commission expires November 19, 2005

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