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1. Name of conveying party(ies):
MD Helicopters Holding Inc.

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Additional names(s) of conveying party(ies) Yes No

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies):

Name: **MD Helicopters Trade and Finance Inc.**

Internal Address: _____

Street Address: **5000 East McDowell Road**

City: **Mesa** State: **AZ** ZIP: **85215**

Additional name(s) & address(es) attached? Yes No

3. Nature of conveyance:

- Assignment Merger
- Security Agreement Change of Name
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Execution Date: **February 18, 1999**

4. Application number(s) or registration numbers(s):

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A. Patent Application No.(s)

B. Patent No.(s)

5,645,249 5,621,967
 5,266,008
 5,403,155
 5,462,409

Additional numbers attached? Yes No

5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:

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6. Total number of applications and patents involved: **5**

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Mark S. Leonardo (Reg. No. 41,433)

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Name of Person Signing

Signature

Date

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PATENT

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PATENT ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, the undersigned, MD Helicopters Holding Inc., a Netherlands Antilles corporation, is the exclusive owner by assignment of the entire right, title and interest in and to the United States Letters Patent set forth in Attachment A; and

WHEREAS, MD Helicopters Trade and Finance Inc., a Netherlands Antilles company is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to the Letters Patent set forth in Attachment A;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration for the payment of One Dollar and other valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged,

MD Helicopters Holding Inc. HEREBY ASSIGNS AND TRANSFERS to MD Helicopters Trade and Finance Inc. and its successors, assigns and nominees, as the assignee, without any restrictions, reservations or limitations, the entire right title and interest in and to the grants of said Letters Patent and all reissues and extensions thereof; and all priority rights derived from said Letters Patent and the applications therefor throughout the world; and the sole right to file applications for patents under the patent laws of any country of the world in its name, and the sole right to have patents granted on said applications in its name as fully and entirely as would have been held by MD Helicopters Holding Inc. had this assignment not been made, and to enforce said patents with the right to recover profits or damages for any infringement thereof, including any past infringements, with respect to which MD Helicopters Holding Inc. waives any right to receive any portion thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Assignment has been executed as of February 18TH, 1999

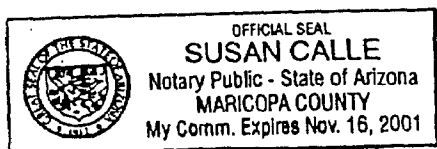
MD HELICOPTERS HOLDING INC.

By JOEP A.J. VAN DEN NIEUWENHUYZEN

Its CHAIRMAN & C.E.O

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of February 1999 by J.A.J. van den Nieuwenhuyzen.

Susan Calle
Notary Public



ATTACHMENT A

U.S. 5,645,249 Helicopter Stowable Horizontal Stabilizer
U.S. 5,266,008 Fail-safe Nut Retainer for a Helicopter
U.S. 5,403,155 Power Management for a Turbine Powered Helicopter
U.S. 5,462,409 Leading Edge Weight Retention Assembly for a Helicopter Rotor
U.S. 5,621,967 Method of Making a Leading Edge Weight Retention Assembly