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The ASSIGNOR, **RAYMOND G. TAYLOR**  
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has invented certain new and useful improvements in **FRYING APPARATUS WITH CLOSED LOOP COMBUSTION CONTROL AND METHOD**

an invention which is fully described in an application for Letters Patent of the United States executed by him or her this day; and

The ASSIGNEE, **THE FRYMASTER CORPORATION**, a Louisiana Corporation having its principal office at 8700 Line Avenue, P.O. Box 51000, Shreveport, Louisiana 71135-1000, wishes to acquire the entire right, title and interest in and to the invention and under Letters Patent which may be obtained for this invention.

For valuable and legally sufficient considerations, receipt of which are hereby acknowledged, the Assignor sells, assigns and transfers to Assignee, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest for the United States in and to the above-identified invention and application and for the full term of any Letters Patent of the United States that may issue for the invention.

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**RAYMOND G. TAYLOR**

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