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SCHEDULE A

**Assignment of Patents / Patent Applications
by POWER LONE STAR INTERNATIONAL, INC.
to TYCO PLASTICS SERVICES AG**

| COUNTRY | APPLN NO | FILING DATE | PATENT NO | ISSUE DATE | STATUS | TITLE |
|---------|-----------|-------------|-----------|-------------|---------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| US | 09/364564 | 30-Jul-1999 | 6251971 | 26-Jun-2001 | Granted | THERMAL INSULATION COATING FOR PIPES |
| US | 08/039521 | 29-Mar-1993 | 5464886 | 07-Nov-1995 | Granted | POLYMER CONCRETE COATING FOR PIPE, TUBULAR SHAPES, OTHER METAL MEMBERS AND METAL STRUCTURES |
| US | 08/470266 | 06-Jun-1995 | 5567528 | 22-Oct-1996 | Granted | POLYMER CONCRETE COATING FOR PIPE, TUBULAR SHAPES, OTHER METAL MEMBERS AND METAL STRUCTURES |
| US | 08/467211 | 07-Jun-1994 | 5573855 | 12-Nov-1996 | Granted | POLYMER CONCRETE COATING FOR PIPE, TUBULAR SHAPES, OTHER METAL MEMBERS AND METAL STRUCTURES |
| US | 08/470736 | 06-Jun-1995 | 5580611 | 03-Dec-1996 | Granted | POLYMER CONCRETE COATING FOR PIPE, TUBULAR SHAPES, OTHER METAL MEMBERS AND METAL STRUCTURES |
| US | 08/468966 | 06-Jun-1995 | 5580659 | 03-Dec-1996 | Granted | POLYMER CONCRETE COATING FOR PIPE, TUBULAR SHAPES, OTHER METAL MEMBERS AND METAL STRUCTURES |
| US | 08/467617 | 06-Jun-1995 | 5621025 | 15-Apr-1997 | Granted | POLYMER CONCRETE COATING FOR PIPE, TUBULAR SHAPES, OTHER METAL MEMBERS AND METAL STRUCTURES |
| AU | 32272/99 | 27-May-1999 | | | Pending | METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PROTECTING THE WELD AREA OF POLYOLEFIN COATED PIPE |
| CA | 2273130 | 27-May-1999 | | | Pending | METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PROTECTING THE WELD AREA OF POLYOLEFIN COATED PIPE |
| US | 09/087644 | 29-May-1998 | 6065781 | 23-May-2000 | Granted | METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PROTECTING THE WELD AREA OF POLYOLEFIN COATED PIPE |
| US | 07/225926 | 29-Jul-1988 | 4928736 | 29-May-1990 | Granted | PIPELINE CASING INSULATOR |
| US | 07/493944 | 15-Mar-1990 | 5069255 | 03-Dec-1991 | Granted | PIPELINE CASING INSULATOR |

PATENT ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Power Lone Star International, Inc. (formerly known as Power Lone Star, Inc.), a Texas corporation ("Assignor"), whose principal place of business is located at 11010 Wallisville Road, Houston, Texas 77013, has developed, conceived, acquired or otherwise owns certain intellectual property which includes all domestic and foreign patents and patent applications (including, without limitation, all counterparts, thereof in any other country and all reissues, divisions, continuations, continuations-in-part, renewals and extensions of the foregoing (collectively "PATENTS"), including the right to claim the benefit of any priority dates or provisional applications relating thereto under any applicable laws, and any renewal, substitute or reissue thereof, for the full term for which the same may be granted, specifically including, without limitation, the patents and patent applications identified in the Schedule attached hereto;

WHEREAS, Assignor wishes to confirm the assignment of its entire interests in such PATENTS to Tyco Plastics Services AG, a Swiss corporation ("Assignee"), whose principal place of business is located at Bahnhofstrasse 29, CH-8201 Schaffhausen, Switzerland. Assignee wishes to confirm acceptance of the assignment of such PATENTS as previously agreed upon pursuant to the terms of transfer set forth in a mutually-executed Asset Purchase Agreement, effective December 17, 2001.

NOW, THEREFORE, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Be it known that effective December 17, 2001, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignor assigns and transfers to Assignee all right, title and interest of Assignor in and to said PATENTS, including the right to seek and obtain for Assignee's own benefit injunctive relief, recovery of damages for any past and/or future infringements, including enhanced damages and/or attorneys' fees for will infringement.

ASSIGNOR covenants that no assignment, sale, agreement or encumbrance has been or will be made or entered into which would conflict with this assignment and transfer.

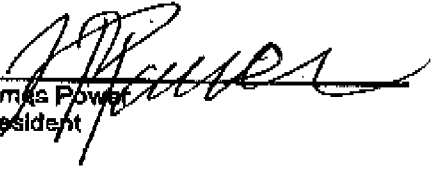
ASSIGNOR further covenants that Assignor will, upon Assignee's request, promptly execute and deliver to Assignee or its legal representative any and all further papers or instruments required to maintain and enforce said PATENTS which may be necessary or desirable to carry out the purposes hereof.

THIS Assignment may be executed in counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original and all of which shall be deemed one and the same instrument.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Assignor and Assignee have caused this Assignment to be signed, in duplicate, effective on the date set forth above.

ASSIGNOR:
Power Lone Star International, Inc.

ASSIGNEE:
Tyco Plastics Services AG

By: 
James Power
President

By: 
F. Brad Salcedo
Chief Executive Officer