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## **ASSIGNMENT**

WHEREAS, I, Robert A. Clarke of 17239 Birch Lane, Rogers, Arkansas 72756-7696, have invented a certain new and useful product:

## POULTRY PROCESSING HUB AND BELT ASSEMBLY

for which we are about to make or have made, application for Letters Patent of the United States; and

WHEREAS, MEMCO, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Missouri and having its principal place of business at 296 Carleton, Hollister, Missouri 65672, desirous of acquiring an interest in, to and under said invention, said application, and any and all Letters Patent which may be granted for or upon said invention in the United States of America and all countries foreign thereto.

NOW THEREFORE, to all whom it may concern, be it known that for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, I, Robert A. Clarke, have sold, assigned and transferred, and by these presents do sell, assign and transfer unto said MEMCO, the full and exclusive right, title and interest, throughout the world, in, to and under the following:

- (a) said invention as fully set forth and described in the specification prepared, and executed by me preparatory to obtaining Letters Patent of the United States therefor;
  - (b) said application;
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foreign to the United States of America.

ALL of the above shall be held and enjoyed by said MEMCO, for its own use and

benefit, and for its successors, legal representatives and assigns, to the full end of the term for

which said Letters Patent may be granted, and I do hereby authorize and request the

Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue the said Letters Patent in accordance with this

Assignment.

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On this  $/2^{tL}$  day of MARCH, 2002, before me personally appeared Robert A. Clarke, to me known to be the person described in, and who executed the foregoing instrument, and he duly acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

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My Commission Expires:

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for which an application for a United States Patent was filed on,						
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$\overline{XX}$ for which an application for a United States Patent was executed on $1/16/03$ , and						
Whereas, MEMCO of Hollister, Missouri herein referred to "assignee" whose post office address is 296 Carleton, Hollister,						
Missouri 65672 is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in the	same;					
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title and interest in and to any and all Patents which may be granted therefor in the United States, I hereby						
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to said assignee, of the entire right, title, and interest in and to the same, for his sole use and behoof; and						
for the use and behoof of his legal representatives, to the full end of the term for which said Patent may be						
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