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R. Lee Fraley, Reg. No. 42,550

R. Lee Fraley

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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS Hunter Technology, Inc., a Canadian Corporation, with a principal place of business at Suite 4400 (RAC), 40 King Street West, Toronto, Canada M5H 3Y4, and Hunter Energy and Technologies, Inc., a predecessor of Hunter Technology, Inc., having a principal place of business at 100 Hunter Valley Road, Orillia, Canada, (hereinafter collectively called the "ASSIGNOR") may be the owners of the U.S. Patents and Patent Applications identified in Schedule "A" hereto and of the U.S. Trademark Applications and Registrations identified in Schedule "B".

WHEREAS, Zwaig Associates, Inc. (hereinafter referred to as "ZWAIG") is the court-appointed interim receiver of Hunter Technology, Inc., and has a principal place of business at 130 King Street West, Toronto, Ontario, Canada; and

WHEREAS FPI Fireplace Products International Ltd., 6988 Venture Street, Delta, British Columbia, V4G 1H4, (hereinafter called the "ASSIGNEE") wishes to acquire all of ASSIGNOR'S rights, if any, to the inventions and to the trademarks;

AND WHEREAS, a "formal application," as referred to herein, shall mean any provisional, non-provisional, continuation, continuation-in-part, divisional, reissue, re-examination, foreign, PCT or other patent application or like document.

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, ZWAIG, in its capacity as court-appointed interim receiver of Hunter Technology, Inc. and not in its personal capacity, does sell, assign and transfer unto ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, on an "as is" basis the ASSIGNOR'S right, title and interest, if any, in and to the aforesaid patents listed in Schedule "A", to the invention as described in the aforesaid patents, and to all formal applications which may be filed based in whole or in part on one or more of the aforesaid applications, in the United States and all foreign countries, together with the right of priority under the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, Inter-American Convention Relating to Patents, Designs and Industrial Models, and any other international agreements to which the United States adheres, and hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents to issue said Letters Patent to ASSIGNEE for the sole use and benefit of ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns and legal representatives,

AND for further good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which are hereby acknowledged, ZWAIG, solely in its capacity as court-appointed interim receiver of Hunter Technology, Inc. and not in its personal capacity, does sell, assign and transfer unto ASSIGNEE on an "as is" basis the ASSIGNOR'S right, title and interest, if any, in and to the trademarks listed in Schedule "B," together with the goodwill of the business symbolized by the said marks and the identified registrations thereof.

ZWAIG, in its capacity as court-appointed interim receiver of ASSIGNOR hereby authorizes and requests the appropriate official in the United States, and any official of any country or countries



foreign to the United States, whose duty it is to issue trademark registrations or similar indicia of trademark to issue registrations for said trademarks to ASSIGNEE and its successors and assigns.

EXECUTED as of the date(s) written below by appointed interim receiver on behalf of ASSIGNOR.

Signed and sealed at Toronto, Canada on January 23rd, 2003.

ZWAIG ASSOCIATES, INC. solely in its capacity as court-appointed interim receiver of Hunter Technologies, Inc. and not in its personal capacity.

By: [Signature]

Title: PRESIDENT

NOTARIAL CERTIFICATE

On this 23rd day of January, 2003, before me, appeared Mel Zwaig, the President, of Zwaig Associates Inc. who is personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and he/she acknowledged that he/she signed, sealed and delivered the said instrument as his/her free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

[SEAL]

[Signature]
Notary Public

SCHEDULE "A"

PATENTS

U.S.

Patent No.	Title	Filing Date	Issue Date
5,267,552	DIRECT VENT GAS FIREPLACE	May 29, 1992	Dec. 7, 1993
5,671,727	CONFIGURABLE LOW PROFILE GAS FIREPLACE BURNER	Apr. 5, 1995	Sep. 30, 1997
Re. 36,539	SEAL AND INSTALLATION IMPROVEMENTS	Aug. 8, 1997	Feb. 1, 2000
5,253,635	GAS-FIRED HEATER	Apr. 29, 1992	Oct. 19, 1993



SCHEDULE "B"

TRADEMARKS

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TRADEMARK	REG # (APP #)	WARES/SERVICES
COZY COMFORT	1,218,289	Wood burning furnaces, heaters and stoves
VALLEY COMFORT (stylized)	1,287,017	Permanent installation wood burning furnaces, heaters and stoves sold through specialty stove shops, solid fuel heating specialty stores and plumbing, heating and ventilating contractors
HUNTER & Design <u>hunter</u>	2,112,587	Heaters, namely room heaters, fireplaces, space heaters and baseboard heaters

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DESIGNATION OF DOMESTIC REPRESENTATIVE BY ASSIGNEE

I, Archie Campbell, am an officer of the Assignee, with power to act on its behalf. Having reviewed the documentary evidence relating to the title hereof, hereby certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the entire right, title and interest in the United States Patents listed on the attached Schedule A is in Assignee, FPI Fireplace Products International Ltd.

FPI Fireplace Products International Ltd., the Assignee of the entire right, title and interest in and to the United States patents listed on the attached Schedule A and all inventions disclosed and claimed therein, hereby appoints and designates as its Domestic Representative, individually and collectively, B.D. Services Corporation, Post Office Box 5008, 300 North Commercial Street, Bellingham, Washington 98227-5008 to prosecute and to transact all business in the United States Patent and Trademark Office for the patents listed on the attached Schedule A, all applications based thereon, growing out of or relating to the inventions, and all resulting patents.

Please send all further correspondence for the above-captioned application to Snell & Wilmer, L.L.P. at the address associated with Snell & Wilmer's Customer Number 020322.

By: Archie D. Campbell
Archie D. Campbell, its Vice President-
Finance and Chief Financial Officer

Date: FEBRUARY 12 2003

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SCHEDULE A

PATENT NO.	TITLE	ISSUE DATE
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5,671,727	CONFIGURABLE LOW PROFILE GAS FIREPLACE BURNER	September 30, 1997
RE 36,539	SEAL AND INSTALLATION IMPROVEMENTS	February 1, 2000
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