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Name: Metso Paper, Inc.

Internal Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: Fabianinkatu 9 ACity: Helsinki Country: FinlandZip: FIN-00130Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? ☐ Yes ☒ No

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PATENT APPLICATIONDocket No: VALMET-76Assignment

WHEREAS, Daniel Filion, of *St. Jérôme, Quebec* (hereinafter "Assignor"), has invented a Headbox Sealing Device, for which application is being made for Letters Patent in the United States, said application being executed by ASSIGNOR on the date indicated below; and

WHEREAS, Metso Paper, Inc. (hereinafter "Assignee") of Fabianinkatu 9 A, FIN-00130 Helsinki, Finland is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in said application;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which by Assignor from Assignee is hereby acknowledged, said Assignor by these presents does hereby sell, assign, and transfer unto Assignee the full and exclusive right, title, and interest for the territory of the United States of America, its territories and possessions, and for all foreign countries, in and to the invention as described in the above application and in and to the patent application. The invention, application, and Letters Patent are to be held and enjoyed by Assignee for its own use, and by its successors and assigns, to the full end of the term for which Letters Patent may be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by Assignor had this Assignment and sale not been made.

Assignor does further hereby agree to provide all reasonable aid to Assignee in the making and prosecuting of any application for other Letters Patent that Assignee may wish to make covering the invention claimed in the application and in vesting in Assignee like exclusive right, title, and interest in and to all such other applications and resulting Letters Patent in similar proportion. Assignor hereby agrees that Assignor will similarly aid Assignee in the prosecution of any interference that may arise involving any application for Letters Patent herein contemplated and that Assignor will execute and deliver to Assignee any and all additional papers that may be reasonably requested by Assignee to fully carry out the terms of this Assignment.

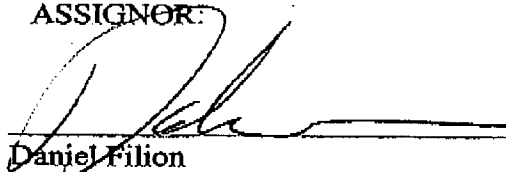
Assignor hereby authorizes the Assignee or the attorney of record in the application to insert below the filing date and serial number of the application when that information is known:

Serial No.:

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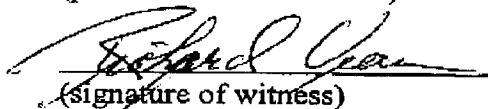
Executed this 04 day of Nov., 2002.

ASSIGNOR:

 (SEAL)  
Daniel Filion

This instrument was signed before me at St-Laurent on the 04 day of Nov.  
(city or town)  
2002, by Daniel Filion.

RICHARD VIENS  
(printed name of witness)

  
(signature of witness)

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