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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Assignor has a 100% undivided interest in and to U.S. Patent No. 5,022,430, issued June 11, 1991 and U.S. Patent No. 5,140,789, issued August 25, 1992; and

WHEREAS, Assignor represents that he is the owner of the 100% right, title and interest in and to the said invention; and

WHEREAS, Assignee is desirous of acquiring a substantial interest in and to the above-mentioned patents and Assignor is desirous of and willing to assign rights in said patents under the terms and conditions hereinafter set forth.

THEREFORE, in consideration for the mutual convenances and promises hereinafter recited, including the transfer of FIFTY THOUSAND AND NO/100 DOLLARS (\$50,000.00), the parties hereto have agreed and hereby do agree as follows:

- 1. Assignor agrees to and does assign to Assignee his 100% undivided interest in and to the said U.S. Patent Nos. 5,022,430 and 5,1140,789.
- 2. Assignor warrants that he has not previously transferred, assigned, licensed, or otherwise encumbered his interest in said patents.

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Assignee receives the entire right of Assignor in these patents, including a 100% interest and including any right to any royalty or profit received by or through the use, sale, licensing or other exploitation of these patents.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties executed or caused the execution of this agreement on the date and year first noted above, or as noted below if the above date is not filled in.

WITNESS: Ma Jette De Spoyle	ASSIGNOR: Lonnie C. Degooyer, owner of patents
	ASSIGNEE:
	THE NOBLE COMPANY

By: Paul Kik, Sr. Its authorized officer

STATE OF Michigan)ss. COUNTY OF Ottawa

Subscribed and sworn to before me

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My Commission expires: 4/13/06

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