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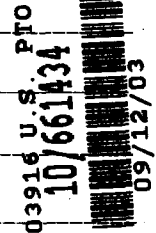
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ASSIGNMENT

STATE OF LOUISIANA

PARISH OF LAFAYETTE

BE IT KNOWN, that on the date set forth below, before the undersigned Notary Public, duly commissioned and qualified in and for the State and Parish aforesaid, and in the presence of the undersigned competent witnesses, personally came and appeared:

JOE STEWART RAMEY, an individual of the full age of majority residing at 1960 Guillot Road, Youngsville, Louisiana 70592 (hereinafter "Ramey"), and

JEREMY MICHAEL LOUVIERE, an individual of the full age of majority residing at 5316 Sugar Oaks Road, New Iberia, Louisiana 70563 (hereinafter "Louviere") (Ramey and Louviere collectively "ASSIGNORS"),

who being duly sworn, acknowledged to me that:

WHEREAS, ASSIGNORS have jointly invented and own a certain new and useful invention as set forth in an application for Letters Patent of the United States titled,

"APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR VISUALLY DETECTING WEAR TO INSERT BOWLS, BUSHINGS, AND SPIDERS,"

executed by ASSIGNORS on the date of execution of this Assignment, as shown below, and filed concurrently herewith;

AND WHEREAS, ACCESS OIL TOOLS, INC., a Louisiana corporation with a principal place of business at 3711 Melancon Road, Broussard, Louisiana 70518 hereinafter ("ASSIGNEE"), is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title, and interest in and to said

invention and in and to any and all Letters Patent of the United States and foreign countries which may be obtained therefor;

NOW, THEREFORE, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Be it known that in consideration of the payment by ASSIGNEE to ASSIGNORS of the sum corresponding to One Dollar (\$1.00), the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, and for other good and valuable consideration, ASSIGNORS hereby sell, assign, and transfer to ASSIGNEE, its legal representatives, successors, and assigns, the entire right, title, and interest in and to said invention as set forth in the above-mentioned application, including any continuations, continuations-in-part, divisions, reissues, reexaminations, or extensions thereof, and in and to any and all patents of the United States and foreign countries which may be issued for said invention;

UPON SAID CONSIDERATION, ASSIGNORS covenant that ASSIGNORS have not and will not execute any writing or do any act whatsoever conflicting with these presents, and that ASSIGNORS will at any time upon request, without further or additional consideration but at the expense of ASSIGNEE, execute and deliver such additional assignments and other writings and do such additional acts as ASSIGNEE may deem necessary or desirable to perfect the ASSIGNEE's enjoyment of this grant, and render all necessary assistance in making application for and obtaining

original, divisional, continuations, continuations-in-part, reexamined, reissued, or extended Letters Patent of the United States or of any and all foreign countries on said invention, and in enforcing any rights or choses in action accruing as a result of such applications or patents, by giving testimony in any proceeding or transaction involving such applications or patents, and by executing preliminary statements and other affidavits, it being understood that the foregoing covenant and agreement shall bind and inure to the benefit of the assigns and legal representatives of ASSIGNORS and ASSIGNEE;

AND ASSIGNORS request the Commissioner for Patents to issue any Letters Patent of the United States which may be issued for said invention to ASSIGNEE, its legal representatives, successors, and assigns, as the sole owner of the entire right, title, and interest in and to said patent and the invention covered thereby.

THUS DONE AND PASSED in the presence of me, Notary, and the undersigned competent witnesses, in Lafayette, Louisiana, this 9 day of September, 2003.

WITNESSES:

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