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# ASSIGNMENT

Assignment before issue of Letters Patent

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WHEREAS, <sup>Robb</sup> ~~Todd J. Bacon and Richard A. Robb~~  
(hereinafter "Assignor") have invented certain new and useful improvements in

## Low Profile Lift Apparatus with One to One Direct Lifting Ratio

(hereinafter "invention") for which Assignor is making or has made application for LETTERS PATENT OF  
THE UNITED STATES, which application has been duly executed by Assignor on  
the day(s) and date(s) of these presents.

AND WHEREAS, Herkules Equipment Corporation, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the  
State of Michigan, U.S.A., having a place of business at 2760 Ridgeway Court, Walled Lake Michigan 48390, Oakland  
County, State of Michigan, United States of America, hereinafter called the Assignee, is desirous of acquiring the entire  
right, title and interest in and to said invention within the United States of America and its territorial possessions and all  
foreign countries and any United States or foreign LETTERS PATENT that may be granted therefor.

NOW, THIS INDENTURE WITNESSETH, that for good and valuable considerations, the receipt whereof is  
hereby acknowledged, Assignor has assigned, sold and transferred, and does hereby assign, sell and transfer to the said  
Assignee the entire right, title and interest in and to the said invention, within the United States of America and its territorial  
possessions and all foreign countries and in and to any LETTERS PATENT of the United States and foreign countries,  
including utility models, inventor's certificates and like government grants, and all divisions, reissues, continuations and  
extensions thereof that may be granted therefor, and the right to apply for LETTERS PATENT in foreign countries with  
full benefit of such priorities as may now or hereafter be granted to Assignor by local laws or by treaty, including any  
international convention, for the protection of industrial property, together with the right to extend the protection of said  
U.S. LETTERS PATENT to the various territorial possessions now owned or which may be hereafter acquired by the  
United States of America, all said rights to be held and enjoyed by the Assignee for its own use and benefit, and for the use  
and benefit of its successors or assigns, to the full end of the term for which said LETTERS PATENT may be granted, as  
fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by Assignor if this assignment and sale had not been made.  
And Assignor does hereby request and authorize the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, U.S.A., to issue said U.S.  
LETTERS PATENT, when granted, in accordance with this assignment.

Assignor further covenants and agrees with the Assignee that Assignor has a full and unencumbered title to the  
invention hereby assigned, which title Assignor warrants unto the Assignee, and Assignor further agrees that Assignor will,  
without demanding any further consideration therefor, at the request but at the expense of the Assignee, do all lawful and  
just acts, including the execution and acknowledgment of instruments, that may be or become necessary for obtaining,  
sustaining, extending, reissuing or reexamining United States and foreign LETTERS PATENT or the like for the said  
invention, and for maintaining and perfecting the Assignee's right to said invention and LETTERS PATENT particularly in  
cases of interference, conflict, opposition and litigation.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 23 day of Dec., 20 03  
Todd J. Bacon  
Todd J. Bacon

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 23 day of Dec., 20 03  
Richard A. Robb  
Richard A. Robb

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20 \_\_\_\_\_

STATE OF Michigan )  
 ) ss.:  
COUNTY OF Oakland )

On this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of December, 20 03 before me personally appeared  
Todd J. Bacon and Richard A. Robb

to me known and known to me to be the individual(s) described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and he acknowledged to me that he executed the same.

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Ruth G. MacDonald  
Notary Public  
My commission expires: 09/07

STATE OF MICHIGAN )  
 ) ss.:  
COUNTY OF OAKLAND )

On this 23 day of Dec, 20 03 before me personally appeared

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