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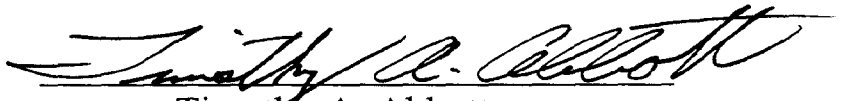
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Pursuant to my obligation to Irrigation Systems Inc., an Indiana corporation having its principal place of business at 1124 North Kaley Street, South Bend, Indiana 46628, hereinafter referred to as "Assignee" and for other valuable and sufficient consideration, receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, I: Timothy A. Abbott, 1124 North Kaley Street, South Bend, Indiana 46628 confirm my obligation to and hereby do sell, assign and convey, unto Assignee, its successors and assigns, my entire right, title and interest in and to an invention entitled "Irrigation System" covered by United States Patent No. 6,619,565B1 and to an invention entitled "Adjustable Head for a Sprinkler" covered by United States Patent No. D475,434S.

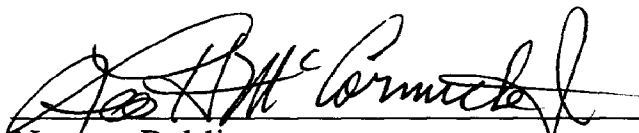
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