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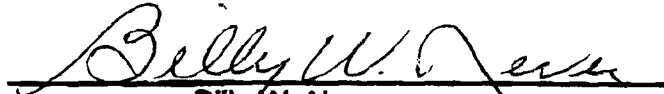
WHEREAS, Eckel Manufacturing Co., Inc., a Texas corporation hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNEE," of Post Office Box 1375, Odessa, Texas 79760, is desirous of acquiring the same;

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00) and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged by me, I have assigned, sold, transferred and set over and by these presents do assign, sell, transfer and set over unto said ASSIGNEE the entire right, title and interest in and to (a) said invention and world-wide rights therein, (b) said application, including all divisions, continuations, continuations-in-part and substitutions thereof, and (c) all United States and foreign patents which shall issue on said inventions, including all reissues, renewals and extensions thereof, for the United States, its territories and possessions and all foreign countries, including the right to file applications for Letters Patent on said invention in any and all foreign countries, the same to be held and enjoyed by said ASSIGNEE, its assigns and successors, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by me, had this assignment and sale not been made.

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have executed this assignment this the 29 day of April, 2004.


Billy W. Neves

STATE OF TEXAS

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BEFORE, me the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Billy W. Neves, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the purposes and consideration therein expressed.

GIVEN under my hand and seal of office this the 29 day of April, 2004.


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