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We/I, the undersigned,

THEODORE E. NALESNIK, a citizen of the United States of America, residing at P.O. Box 6, Hopewell Junction, New York 12533, U.S.A.,

hereby sell, assign and transfer to CROMPTON CORPORATION, a corporation of the State of Delaware, having a place of business at Benson Road, Middlebury, Connecticut 06749, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, our entire right, title and interest, in and to any and all improvements which are disclosed in the application for United States Letters Patent which is entitled:

"LUBRICANT AND FUEL COMPOSITIONS CONTAINING 2-(S(N)-MERCAPTOBENZOTHIAZOLE SUCCINIC AND METHYLENE SUCCINATE ESTERS"

which

- [] was executed by me (us) on even date herewith,
- [X] was filed on <u>DECEMBER 27, 2004</u> and accorded Serial No. 11/024,218

and in and to said application and the patent or patents now granted or to be granted thereon in the United States of America and in all countries foreign thereto, together with the right to claim in respect of all foreign countries the priority date of the application filed in the United States of America;

Agree said Assignees may apply for and receive Letters Patent for said improvements in its own name, and that, when requested, without charge to, but at the expense of said Assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, to carry out in good faith the intent and purpose of this assignment, the undersigned will execute all divisional, continuing, substitute, renewal, reissue, and all other patent application on any and all said improvements, execute all rightful oaths, assignments, powers of attorney and other papers, communicate to said Assignee, its successors, assigns, and representatives, all facts known to the undersigned relating to said improvements and the history thereof, generally do everything possible which said Assignee, its successors, assigns or representatives shall consider desirable for aiding in securing and maintaining proper patent protection for said improvements and all applications for patents and all patents on said improvements, in said Assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representative; and

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WITNESS MY (OUR) SIGNATURES.

Signatures of Applicant(s)					
Signature of Sheodine & Nelesunt THEODORE E. NALESNIK	Date:	1/3/05			

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