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#### **ASSIGNMENT OF INVENTION**

# **UNIVERSAL**

WHEREAS, I/WE, Luc MAINVILLE, whose full address is 433, rue Chicoutimi, Joliette, Québec, Canada, J6E 8P3 (hereinafter referred to as the assignor); has invented Cleaning Assembly for a Shaft described in United States Patent Application No. 10/769,320 filed on January 30, 2004 (claiming priority of Canadian Patent Application No. 2,436,372 filed on August 4, 2003); in Canadian Patent Application No. 2,456,395 filed on January 29, 2004 (claiming priority of Canadian Patent Application No. 2,436,372 filed on August 4, 2003); in International Patent Application filed on August 3, 2004 (claiming priority of Canadian Patent Application No. 2,436,372 filed on August 4, 2003) and in any other corresponding Applications, including National and Regional Entries of said International Patent Application;

and:

WHEREAS Industries Mailhot Inc., whose full post office address is 3330 boul. Des Entreprises, Terrebonne, Québec, Canada J6X 4J8 (hereinafter referred to as the assignee), is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention or inventions and in and to any and all patents to be obtained therefor;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I/WE have and by these presents do hereby sell, assign and transfer unto said assignee, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention or inventions, as described in the aforesaid application, in any form or embodiment thereof, and in and to the aforesaid application; and in and to any applications based thereon filed in any foreign country, including the right to file said foreign applications under the provisions of the Patent Cooperation Treaty and under the Paris Convention; also the entire right, title and interest in and to any and all patents, reissues or extensions thereof to be obtained in this or any foreign country upon said invention or inventions, and any divisional, continuation, continuation-in-part, substitute application(s) or supplementary disclosure(s) which may be filed upon said invention or inventions, in any country; and I/We hereby authorize and

PATENT REEL: 015724 FRAME: 0540 request the issuing authority to issue any and all patents on said application or applications to said assignee.

I/We further agree without any payment by said assignee other than expenses incurred by the undersigned, to communicate to said assignee, its representatives or agents, any facts useful as evidence for interference purposes or for other proceedings relating to intellectual property encompassing the invention, whenever requested; testify in any interference, litigation or other proceedings, whenever requested; and execute and deliver, on request, all lawful papers required to make any of the foregoing provisions effective, and likewise make these provisions binding upon my/our heirs, legal representatives, administrators and assigns.

Le(s) soussigné(s) désire(nt) que la présente cession soit en anglais. The undersigned request(s) that the present assignment be in English.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I/We have hereunto set my/our hand(s) and seal.

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