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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, **Peter K. Herman** of 459 Windrow Drive, Cookeville, Tennessee 38506, **Harold Martin** of 2392 Lakeland Drive, Cookeville, Tennessee 38506, **Ismail C. Bagci** of 3012 Old Walton Road, Cookeville, Tennessee 38506, **Abby True-Dahl** of P.O. Box 806, Sparta, Tennessee 38583, **Scott Towsley** of 16342 E. Lakeshore Drive, Hope, Indiana 47246, and **Zemin Jiang** of 3567 Tolbert Drive, Cookeville, Tennessee 38506, hereinafter referred to as Assignor, has made a new and useful invention in **LIQUID ADDITIVE SLOW-RELEASE APPARATUS DRIVEN BY A FILTER PRESSURE GRADIENT** for which Assignor has made or will make application for Letters Patent of the United States; and

WHEREAS, **Fleetguard, Inc.**, hereinafter referred to as Assignee, a corporation of the State of Indiana, having a principal place of business at 2931 Elm Hill Pike, Nashville, Tennessee 37214, desires to acquire all of the entire right, title, and interest in, to and under said Invention disclosed, described and/or claimed, or intended so to be in said application, and in, to and under said application, and in, to and under any and all Letters Patent, United States and foreign, which may be obtained therefor and thereon;

NOW, THEREFORE, To All Whom It May Concern, be it known that for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good, valuable and sufficient considerations to Assignor in hand paid, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignor has sold, assigned and transferred, and by these presents does sell, assign and transfer unto Assignee, all of the entire right, title and interest in, to and under said invention disclosed, described and claimed or intended so to be in said application, and in, to and under said application for United States Letters Patent executed by Assignor this _____ day of _____, 2004, and any and all other applications thereon and arising therefrom, including any and all divisions and continuations thereof, and any and all patents to be issued and obtained therefor and thereon, United States and foreign, including all reissues and extensions thereof..

Assignor hereby authorizes and requests the firm of Woodard, Emhardt, Moriarty, McNett & Henry LLP of Bank One Center/Tower, 111 Monument Circle, Suite 3700, Indianapolis, Indiana 46204-5137 to insert here in parentheses (Serial No. _____ Filed _____) the date and serial number of said application when officially known, and Assignor hereby authorizes and requests the Honorable Commissioner of Patents to issue said Letters Patent to Assignee, its assigns and legal representatives.

Assignor agrees to sign and execute any and all other papers necessary or desirable for the procurement of Letters Patent on said Inventions in this and all foreign countries for the use of Assignee.

WITNESS Assignor's hand this 20 day of September, 2004.

Peter K Herman
Peter K. Herman

STATE OF TENNESSEE)
) : ss
COUNTY OF PUTNAM)

Before me, a Notary Public, in and for said County and State, personally appeared Peter K. Herman, who, being first duly sworn upon his oath, acknowledged the execution of the foregoing "Assignment" as his voluntary act and deed.

WITNESS my hand and Notarial Seal this 20th day of September, 2004.

Jane Ann Bright
Notary Public

Printed: Jane Ann Bright

Resident of Putnam County

My Commission Expires:
3/21/06

WITNESS Assignor's hand this _____ day of _____, 2004.

WITNESS Assignor's hand this 20TH day of SEPTEMBER, 2004.

Harold Martin
Harold Martin

STATE OF TENNESSEE)
) : ss
COUNTY OF PUTNAM)

Before me, a Notary Public, in and for said County and State, personally appeared Harold Martin, who, being first duly sworn upon his oath, acknowledged the execution of the foregoing "Assignment" as his voluntary act and deed.

WITNESS my hand and Notarial Seal this 20th day of September, 2004.

Jane Ann Bright
Notary Public

Printed: Jane Ann Bright

Resident of Putnam County

My Commission Expires:
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WITNESS Assignor's hand this _____ day of _____, 2004.

WITNESS Assignor's hand this 20 day of September, 2004.

Ismail Bagci
Ismail Bagci

STATE OF TENNESSEE)
) : ss
COUNTY OF PUTNAM)

Before me, a Notary Public, in and for said County and State, personally appeared Ismail Bagci, who, being first duly sworn upon his oath, acknowledged the execution of the foregoing "Assignment" as his voluntary act and deed.

WITNESS my hand and Notarial Seal this 20th day of September, 2004.

Jane Ann Bright
Notary Public

Printed: Jane Ann Bright

Resident of Putnam County

My Commission Expires:
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WITNESS Assignor's hand this _____ day of _____, 2004.

WITNESS Assignor's hand this 20 day of SEPTEMBER, 2004.

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Abby True-Dahl

STATE OF TENNESSEE)
) : ss
COUNTY OF PUTNAM)

Before me, a Notary Public, in and for said County and State, personally appeared Abby True-Dahl, who, being first duly sworn upon his oath, acknowledged the execution of the foregoing "Assignment" as his voluntary act and deed.

WITNESS my hand and Notarial Seal this 20th day of September, 2004.

Jane Ann Bright
Notary Public

Printed: Jane Ann Bright

Resident of Putnam County

My Commission Expires:
3/21/06

WITNESS Assignor's hand this _____ day of _____, 2004.

WITNESS Assignor's hand this 28 day of September, 2004.

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Scott Towsley

INDIANA
STATE OF ~~TENNESSEE~~)
BARTHOLOMEW) : ss
COUNTY OF ~~PUTNAM~~)

Before me, a Notary Public, in and for said County and State, personally appeared Scott Towsley, who, being first duly sworn upon his oath, acknowledged the execution of the foregoing "Assignment" as his voluntary act and deed.

WITNESS my hand and Notarial Seal this 28th day of September, 2004.

Terry J. Neff

Notary Public

Printed: TERRY J. NEFF

Resident of JACKSON County

My Commission Expires:

April 18, 2012

WITNESS Assignor's hand this _____ day of _____, 2004.

WITNESS Assignor's hand this 20 day of September, 2004.

Zemin Jiang
Zemin Jiang

STATE OF TENNESSEE)
) : ss
COUNTY OF PUTNAM)

Before me, a Notary Public, in and for said County and State, personally appeared Zemin Jiang, who, being first duly sworn upon his oath, acknowledged the execution of the foregoing "Assignment" as his voluntary act and deed.

WITNESS my hand and Notarial Seal this 20th day of September, 2004.

Jane Ann Bright
Notary Public

Printed: Jane Ann Bright

Resident of Putnam County

My Commission Expires:
3/21/06

WITNESS Assignor's hand this _____ day of _____, 2004.