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Yes  No

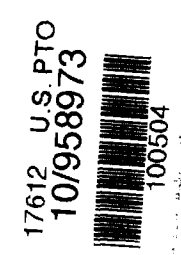
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ASSIGNMENT

Whereas, Michael Spearman of 2 Lacewing Place, The Woodlands, Texas 77380, John H. Burban of 9612 57<sup>th</sup> Street North, Lake Elmo, MN 55042, Robert O. Crowder of 6345 West Shadow Lake Drive, Lino Lakes, MN 55014, and Carl M. Geisz of 1150 Cushing Circle, Apt. 146, St. Paul, MN 55108 have invented new and useful improvements in OXYGEN HUMIDIFIER

for which I am about to make application for Letters Patent of the United States:

And Whereas, Porous Media Corporation located at 1350 Hammond Road, St. Paul, Minnesota 55110 and State of Minnesota is desirous of acquiring an interest therein and in the Letters Patent to be obtained thereof:

Now Therefore, be it known by all whom it may concern, that for and in consideration of One Dollar(\$1.00\*\*), and other good and valuable consideration to me in hand paid, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I have assigned, sold and set over, and by these presents do assign, sell, and set over unto the said Porous Media Corporation for the territory of the United States of America and all foreign countries, all of my right, title and interest in and to the said invention, and said application, prepared and executed by me on \_\_\_\_\_ 20\_\_\_\_, filed \_\_\_\_\_ Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_ preparatory to obtaining Letters Patent therefore; said invention, application and Letters Patent to be held and enjoyed by the said Porous Media Corporation, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by me had this assignment and sale not been made.

AND I hereby covenant and agree that I will at any time upon the request and at the expense of said assignee execute and deliver any and all papers and do all lawful acts that may be necessary or desirable to perfect the title to said invention and to obtain Letters Patent therefore, and I hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents to issue the said Letters Patent to the said Porous Media Corporation in accordance with this assignment.

In Testimony Whereof, I have set my hand and affix my seal, at St. Paul State of Minnesota this 1st day of October 2004.

In the Presence of:

Jedie Mason

Michael Spearman (L.S.)  
Michael Spearman

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In Testimony Whereof, I have set my hand and affix my seal, at  
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In the Presence of:  
Leslie L. Mason Carl M. Geisz (L.S.)  
Carl M. Geisz

State of MN County of Chicago ss:

Before me personally appeared said Michael Spearman, John H. Burban, Robert O.  
Crowder, Carl M. Geisz and acknowledged the foregoing instrument to be his free act and deed,  
this 1st day of October 2004.

Leslie L. Mason

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