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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Mark T. Wieczorek of 111 Leon Drive, Cookeville, Tennessee 38506; Peter K. Herman of 459 Windrowe Drive, Cookeville, Tennessee 38506; Ricky England of 154 Hawthorn Road, Sparta, Tennessee 38583; Jean-Yves Picard of 2 rue George Washington, Quimper, France 29000; Benoit Le Roux of 16 chemin de Menez-rouz Moustierlin, Fouesnant, France 29170; and Jean-Luc Guichaoua of Perlen Bonis, Combrit, France 29120, hereinafter referred to as Assignors, have made a new and useful invention in **AUTOMATIC WATER DRAIN FOR SUCTION FUEL WATER SEPARATORS** for which Assignors have 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 Assignors in hand paid, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignors have 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, 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..

Assignors hereby authorize and request the firm of Woodard, Emhardt, Moriarty, McNert & 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.

Assignors agree 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 25 day of OCTOBER, 2004.

Mark T. Wiczorek

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STATE OF TENNESSEE)

) : ss

COUNTY OF PUTNAM)

Before me, a Notary Public, in and for said County and State, personally appeared Mark T. Wiczorek, 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 25th day of October, 2004.

Jane Ann Bright

Notary Public

Printed: Jane Ann Bright

Resident of Putnam County

My Commission Expires:

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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.

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

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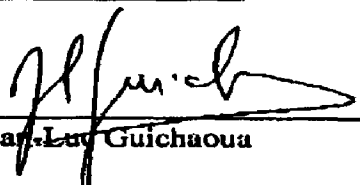
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Benoit Le Roux

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