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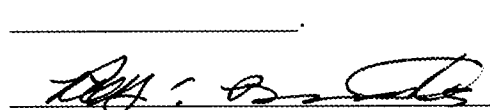
WHEREAS, we, Roy C. Burmeister, residing at 9214 Funston Blvd., White Lake, Michigan 48386, Stephen M. Monroe, residing at 8353 Windstone Court, Goodrich, Michigan 48438 and, Daniel F. Shelton, residing at 40 East New York, Pontiac, Michigan 48340 have invented certain improvements in Retainer Assembly for Conduit Connection for which we have this day executed an application for United States Patent.

AND, WHEREAS Hutchinson FTS, Inc., a corporation of Delaware, having an office at 1835 Technology Drive, Troy, Michigan 48083-4244, (herein called HUTCHINSON) has previously acquired the entire right, title and interest in and to said improvements pursuant to an in compliance with the provisions of our employee patent agreement(s) heretofore executed by us and desires to confirm said acquisition;

NOW, THEREFORE, pursuant to and in compliance with the provisions of said employee patent agreements, by these presents we do formally assign and transfer unto HUTCHINSON the entire right, title and interest in and to said improvements, as described in said application, including patentable subject matter disclosed in said application, and in and to all patentable and future domestic and foreign applications and patents therefor, including any and all reissues, divisions and continuations thereof, and we agree to sign all papers and perform all acts, without any further consideration, as HUTCHINSON may deem necessary to make this assignment fully effective, including the execution of reissue, divisional and continuing domestic applications and of foreign applications; and we hereby request the Commissioner of Patents to issue all Letters Patent granted on said applications to HUTCHINSON as the assignee, for the sole use and behalf of HUTCHINSON and its legal representatives and assigns, and we hereby authorize our attorney, Remy J. VanOphem, Registration No. 27053 and to insert on this Assignment the filing date and serial number of said application when known.

Except as set forth herein and in said employee patent agreement(s), there are no other agreements or understandings, express or implied, between HUTCHINSON or its direct or indirect subsidiaries and us with respect to said improvements.

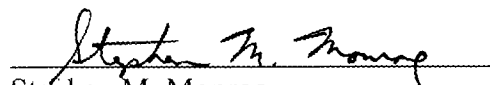
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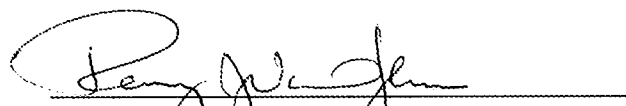


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Stephen M. Monroe

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