PATENT ASSIGNMENT

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PATENTS

Patent No. Description of Patent Date of Patent No. <u>Item</u> Patent

PATENT APPLICATIONS

PatentDescription of PatentDate of PatentApplications No.Applied ForApplications

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VANE LINE BUNKERING, INC., a Maryland corporation

Name: C. Duff Hughes

Title: President

Acknowledged and Accepted:
BANK OF AMERICA, N.A., as Administrative Agent
By: Name:
Title:

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By:_______Name: C. Duff Hughes

Title: President

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Vice President

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Schedule A

Vane Line Bunkering, Inc. (Maryland Corporation)

U.S. Patent

Pending Application

Description	Application No.	Filing Date
LIFE RAFT CONTAINER SECURITY SYSTEM AND METHOD	10/449325	5/30/03

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