

ASSIGNMENT OF INVENTION, PRIORITY RIGHTS AND RIGHTS TO APPLY FOR PATENTS

We, Ricky A. Sisk, Washington, Missouri, Michael D. Hudspeth, Arnold, Missouri, Kenneth M. Breitweiser, Brighton, Illinois, Joseph T. Gierer, Glen Carbon, Illinois, Scott Kimsey, St. Peters, Missouri, and Mark Davis, O'Fallon, Missouri, US

HEREBY STATE UNDER OATH that we are the original, first and true inventors of an invention for PROBE HANDLE FOR THERMOMETER currently attorney docket H-KN-0244 (TYCK 0244)

as described and/or claimed in our application PROBE HANDLE FOR THERMOMETER executed on the _____ day of September, 2005.

NOW, THEREFORE, WE HEREBY ASSIGN; TRANSFER AND SELL our entire right, title, and interest in and to said invention and application unto

SHERWOOD SERVICES AG

a Swiss corporation having an office and doing business at Postfach 1571, Bahnhofstrasse 29, CH-8201 Schaffhausen, Switzerland, as the Assignee, without any restrictions, reservations or limitations, the entire right, title and interest in and to the aforesaid application for Letters Patent and all patents which may be granted thereon, and all divisions, continuations, continuations-in-part, reissues and extensions thereof;


INCLUDING ALL RIGHTS in and to said invention in any country of the world, including, but not limited to, all priority rights derived from the aforesaid application for Letter Patent by virtue of the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property and for any and all member countries of the aforesaid International Convention;

AND FURTHER INCLUDING THE SOLE RIGHT to file such applications under the Patent Laws of any country of the World in its name and/or ours, and the sole right to have patents granted on said applications in its name and/or to the full end of the term for which said patents may be granted as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by us had this assignment not been made, and to enforce said patents with our right to sue in any court of competent jurisdiction and obtain all remedies available, including but not limited to injunctions and to recover lost profits or compensatory and enhanced damages and attorneys fee for any and all infringements thereof;

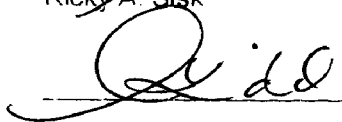
AND AUTHORIZE our attorney(s) to take any action necessary to prosecution this invention and application our behalf:

AND AUTHORIZE AND REQUEST the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue all patents on said invention resulting therefrom to said Sherwood Services AG as Assignee of the entire right, title and interest, and covenant that we have the full right so to do, and agree that we will communicate to said Sherwood Services AG or its representatives any facts known to us respecting said invention and testify in legal proceedings, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuing, continuation-in-part, extensions and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths and generally nominees, to obtain and enforce proper protection for said invention in all countries.

Signed on this the 22 day of September, 2005 in Hazelwood Missouri, USA.



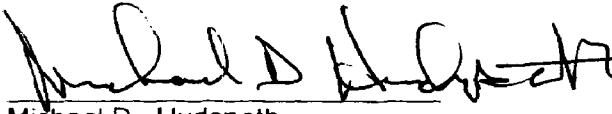
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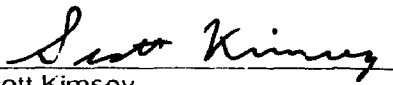
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