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To the Honorable Commissioner of Pat

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1. Name of conveying party(ies):

John M. Vasarhelyi, Louis F. Teran  
& David S. DeVerter

Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached?  Yes  No

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies):

Name: Pentair Water Pool and Spa, Inc.

Street Address: 10951 West Los Angeles Avenue,  
Moorpark, California 93021

Additional name(s) of receiving party(ies) attached?  Yes  No

3. Nature of Conveyance:

- Assignment  Merger
- Security Agreement  Change of Name
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

Execution Date: January 19, 2006,  
February 2, 2006 & January 30, 2006

4. Application number(s) or patent number(s):

If this document is being filed together with a new application, the execution date of the application is:

A. Patent Application No.(s):  
29/241,734, filed October 31, 2005

B. Patent No.(s):

Additional number(s) attached?  Yes  No

5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning this document should be mailed:

Name: Thomas P. Schiller

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6. Total number of applications and patents involved: 1

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Thomas P. Schiller  
Name of Person Signing

Thomas P. Schiller  
Signature

February 6, 2006  
Date

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## ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, new and useful improvements have been made by the undersigned  
in

### JUNCTION BOX

for which an application for Letters Patent of the United States was filed on October 31, 2005, which application is identified as U.S. Serial No. 29/241,734 (Pearne & Gordon LLP Docket No. 38599).

WHEREAS, Pentair Water Pool and Spa, Inc., a corporation of Delaware, having a place of business at 10951 West Los Angeles Avenue, Moorpark, California 93021, hereinafter referred to as "assignee", is desirous of acquiring all right, title, and interest throughout the world in, to, and under said improvements and inventions and patent rights therefor.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it known that, for valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, all right, title, and interest, in the United States and throughout the world, in, to and under said improvements and inventions and all patents, patent applications, patent rights, and inventor's certificates thereof, therefor, and therein, including without limitation said application for patent in the United States, all divisions and continuations thereof, all patents which may be granted thereon, all reissues and extensions thereof, all right to sue for past infringement thereunder, all patents which may be granted for said improvements and inventions by states or nations other than the United States, or by other authority, entity, or organization, and all applications therefor, have been and are hereby sold, assigned, transferred, and delivered unto assignee, its successors and assigns; and it is covenanted and agreed by the undersigned, and for executors, administrators, and legal representatives of the undersigned, that at assignee's request any and all applications, affidavits, assignments, and other instruments will be made, executed, and delivered as may be necessary, or desirable to secure for or vest in assignee, its successors or assigns, any improvement, inventions, right, title, interest, application, patent, patent right or other right or property covered by this assignment, and the United States Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks is hereby requested and authorized to issue any and all United States patents granted on any of said applications to assignee as owner of the entire right, title, and interest in, to, and under the same, and appropriately empowered officials of foreign countries are hereby authorized to issue any letters patent granted on any of said applications to assignee as owner of the entire right, title and interest in, to, and under the same.

The undersigned hereby grants the firm of Pearne & Gordon LLP the power to insert on this assignment any further identification which may be necessary or desirable in order to comply with the rules of the United States Patent and Trademark Office for recordation of this document.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this assignment has been executed below by the undersigned:

John M. Vasarhelyi  
John M. Vasarhelyi

1-19-06  
Date I signed this assignment

1-19-06  
Date I signed Declaration or Oath

Post Office Address: 308 Stromer Drive, Cary, North Carolina 27513

\_\_\_\_\_  
Louis F. Teran

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date I signed this assignment

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date I signed Declaration or Oath

Post Office Address: 9629 Saloma Avenue, Granada Hills, California 91343

\_\_\_\_\_  
David S. DeVerter

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date I signed this assignment

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date I signed Declaration or Oath

Post Office Address: 5008 Dawn Piper Drive, Raleigh, North Carolina 27613

STATE OF North Carolina  
COUNTY OF Lee ) ss.

19th The above named John M. Vasarhelyi, known to me, appeared before me this day of January, 2006, and acknowledged that the foregoing instrument was executed as his free act and deed for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

Eileen H. Hicks  
Notary Public  
My Commission Expires May 20, 2010

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STATE OF \_\_\_\_\_ ) ss.  
COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_

The above named Louis F. Teran, known to me, appeared before me this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2006, and acknowledged that the foregoing instrument was executed as his free act and deed for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

\_\_\_\_\_  
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STATE OF

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\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public

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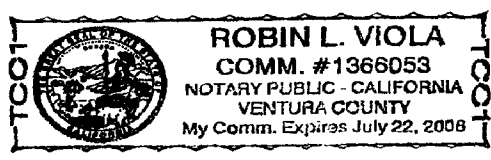
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COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_ } ss.

The above named Louis F. Teran, known to me, appeared before me this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of February, 2006, and acknowledged that the foregoing instrument was executed as his free act and deed for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

Robin L. Viola  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public

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COUNTY OF *Wake*

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The above named David Scott DeVerter, known to me, appeared before me this 30 day of January, 2006, and acknowledged that the foregoing instrument was executed as his free act and deed for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

*Nancy B Conklin*  
Notary Public

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