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## ASSIGNMENT

ASSIGNMENT made by **DENIS GLEASON**, of 18 Rebecca Court, Bowmanville, Ontario, Canada L1C 4N7, to **NORDOCK INC.**, a corporation organized under the laws of the Canada, and located and doing business at 375 Ward Street, Unit 5, Port Hope Ontario, Canada L1A 4A4.

IN CONSIDERATION of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable considerations, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, said **DENIS GLEASON** hereby sells, assigns and transfers to said **NORDOCK INC.**, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in:

### **DOCK LEVELER**

and the invention therein as set forth in his application for United States Letters Patent therefor, executed on December 12, 2002, and in and to said application and any divisions or continuations thereof, and any Letters Patent obtained for the said invention in the United States and foreign countries, or issuing out of said application or any such division or continuation thereof, and any reissues or extensions of any such Letters Patent.

The Commissioner of Patents is hereby authorized and requested to issue Letters Patent for said invention to said **NORDOCK INC.**, as assignee of the entire right, title and interest therein.

And, the said **DENIS GLEASON** hereby covenants that he has full right to convey the entire right, title and interest in said invention, and that he has not executed and will not execute any agreement in conflict herewith.

And he further covenants that he will, at any time, upon request, execute and deliver any and all papers that may be necessary or desirable to perfect the title in said **NORDOCK INC.**, to said invention or any Letters Patent that may be granted therefor, and if said **NORDOCK INC.**, or its assignee, desire to make a substitute, divisional or continuation application for said invention, or to secure a reissue or extension of said Letters Patent, to file a disclaimer relating thereto, or an application for a corresponding patent in any foreign country, that he will upon request, sign all papers, make all rightful oaths, and do all lawful acts requisite for the said purposes, but at the expense of said **NORDOCK INC.**

DENIS GLEASON further hereby acknowledges that the entire beneficial interest in the invention to which the above application relates is irrevocably vested in the assignee including the right to make application for protection in all countries abroad and to claim priority under the International Convention for such applications and hereby assents to the making of any such applications, with or without priority claim, and of any divisional application resulting therefrom.

And, he further covenants that he will at all times communicate to the said NORDOCK INC., its successors, assigns or legal representatives, all facts relating to said invention and Letters Patent, or the history thereof, known to him, and testify as the same in interferences or other litigation, when requested so to do.

I hereby authorize the above-mentioned assignee or the attorney of record to insert in this instrument the filing date serial number of my said application:

Serial Number: 10/328,279

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Executed and delivered this 12 day of Dec., 2002.

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