



## ASSIGNMENT

**WHEREAS**, We, Dale F. Greeson, Jr., Marc A. Lessem, Patricia M. Risty, Alberto C. Savage, and Earl D. Wilson, have invented certain new and useful improvements in the following: **COVERED YANKAUER SUCTION DEVICE AND METHODS OF USING SAME** for which we have made an application for United States Letters Patent, the said application having been executed by us and being filed concurrently herewith; and,

**WHEREAS**, Medline Industries, Inc., a corporation organized and existing under the laws of Illinois, having its principal place of business at One Medline Place, Mundelein, IL 60060-4486 (hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNEE"), is desirous of acquiring our entire right, title and interest in and to the invention, and in and to the said application and any Letters Patent that may issue thereon;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, we do hereby sell, assign and transfer unto ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns and legal representatives our entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and in and to said applications and all patents which may be granted therefore, and all provisionals, divisionals, reissues, substitutions, continuations, continuations-in-part and extensions thereof; and we hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue all patents for said invention, or patents resulting therefrom, insofar as our interest is concerned, to the said ASSIGNEE of our entire right, title and interest.

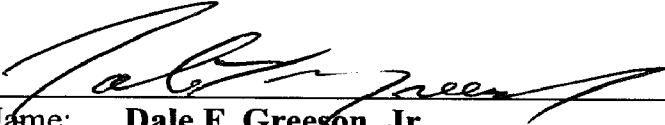
We also hereby sell and assign to said ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns and legal representatives the full and exclusive rights, title and interest to the invention disclosed in said applications throughout the world, including the right to file applications and obtain patents, utility models, industrial models and designs for said invention in its own name throughout the world including all rights of priority, all rights to publish cautionary notices reserving ownership of said invention and all rights to register said invention in appropriate registries; and

We further agree to execute any and all powers of attorney, applications, assignments, declarations, affidavits, and any other papers in connection therewith necessary to perfect such rights, title and interest in ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns and legal representatives.

We hereby further agree that we will communicate to said ASSIGNEE, or its successors, assigns and legal representatives, any facts known to us respecting any improvements; and, at the expense of said ASSIGNEE, to testify in any legal proceedings, sign all lawful papers, execute all provisional, divisional, continuation, continuation-in-part, reissue and substitute applications, make all lawful oaths, and generally do everything possible to vest title in said ASSIGNEE and to aid said ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns and legal representatives to obtain and enforce proper protection for said invention in all countries.

We further authorize and direct our attorneys to insert above the serial number and filing date of said application now identified as Atty. Docket No. 13786-00402USPT as soon as the same shall have been made known to them by the United States Patent and Trademark Office.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 10 day of August, 2006.

  
Name: **Dale F. Greeson, Jr.**  
Address: 147 N. Maple Street  
Palatine, IL 60067  
USA Citizen

STATE OF Illinois )  
COUNTY OF Lake ) ss.

On this 10th day of August, 2006, before me, a Notary Public in and for the State and County aforesaid, personally appeared Dale F. Greeson, Jr., known by me to be the person of the above name who signed and sealed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged the same to be his own free act and deed.

  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

[seal] 9/14/08



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 10<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2006.

*Mark A. Lessem*

Name: **Mark A. Lessem**  
Address: 1652 Linden Avenue  
Highland Park, IL 60035  
USA Citizen

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COUNTY OF Lake ) ss.

On this 10<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2006, before me, a Notary Public in and for the State and County aforesaid, personally appeared Mark A. Lessem, known by me to be the person of the above name who signed and sealed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged the same to be his own free act and deed.

*Julia R. Pintozzi*  
Notary Public

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2006.

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Name: **Patricia M. Risty**  
Address: 103 E. Brittany Drive  
Arlington Heights, IL 60004  
USA Citizen

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) ss.  
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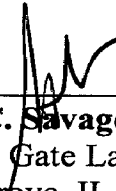
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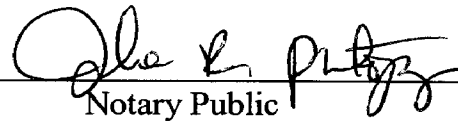
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Name: **Alberto C. Savage**  
Address: 471 Arbor Gate Lane  
Buffalo Grove, IL 60089  
USA Citizen

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On this 10<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2006, before me, a Notary Public in and for the State and County aforesaid, personally appeared Alberto C. Savage, known by me to be the person of the above name who signed and sealed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged the same to be his own free act and deed.

  
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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 10<sup>th</sup> day of

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*Earl D. Wilson*

Name: **Earl D. Wilson**  
Address: 26075 West Rollins Road  
Ingleside, IL 60041  
USA Citizen

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Notary Public

My Commission Expires:  
  
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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 14 day of August, 2006.

Patricia M. Risty  
Name: **Patricia M. Risty**  
Address: 103 E. Brittany Drive  
Arlington Heights, IL 60004  
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Beth R. Pearlman  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires: 1/19/09  
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