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**ASSIGNMENT OF PATENTS**

**THIS ASSIGNMENT**, is made the 7th day of September, 2006, between PARACLETE ARMOR & EQUIPMENT, INC. (the "Assignor"), a North Carolina corporation having its principal offices at 106 East Clark Street, St. Pauls, North Carolina 28348; and MINE SAFETY APPLIANCES COMPANY (the "Assignee"), a Pennsylvania corporation having its principal offices at 121 Gamma Drive, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15238.

**WHEREAS**, the Assignor is the owner of the following U.S. patents (the "Patents"):

U.S. Patent No. 5,259,093 issued November 9, 1993

U.S. Patent No. 6,769,137 issued August 3, 2004

U.S. Patent No. 6,948,188 issued September 27, 2005

**WHEREAS**, the Assignee is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to the Patents, including without limitation the inventions described and claimed therein, and any divisions, continuations, continuations-in-part, patents issuing thereon or reissued or reexaminations thereof; and any and all foreign patents and patent applications corresponding thereto (collectively the "Patent Rights");

**NOW, THEREFORE**, in consideration of the mutual covenants set forth herein and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the Assignor and the Assignee agree as follows:

1. The Assignor hereby sells, assigns and transfers unto the Assignee, its successors, assigns or legal representatives, the Assignor's entire right, title and interest in and to the Patents and the Patent Rights therein, the same to be held and enjoyed by the said Assignee as fully and entirely as the same could have been held and enjoyed by the Assignor had this sale, assignment and transfer not been made; together with all the Assignor's right and powers arising or accrued therefrom including the right to sue for past, current, and

