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ASSIGNMENT OF PATENT RIGHTS

**COUNTY OF HARRIS
STATE OF TEXAS
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA**

BEFORE ME, the undersigned Notary Public, personally came and appeared Alfred Stephen Schommer, 219 Hidden Grove Place, Lafayette, Louisiana 70502, hereinafter sometimes referred to as "Assignor", and Quadrant Valves and Actuator, LLC, 108 Bluffwood Drive, Broussard, LA 70518, appearing herein through its duly authorized representative, hereinafter sometimes referred to as "Assignee", both persons of the full age of majority, who after both being duly sworn did depose and state:

WHEREAS, Assignor has invented a certain invention entitled "Improved Quarter-Turn Valve" U.S. Patent No. 6783113 was issued to him on August 31, 2004 and certain invention entitled "Quarter-Turn Valve" for which an application for letters patent in the United States was filed on February 10, 2006 and which bears Serial No. 11/352,485, said patent and said patent application hereinafter sometimes collectively referred to as the "Patents"; and

WHEREAS, Assignor, Alfred Stephen Schommer, desires to transfer, sell, assign, and deliver the entire worldwide right, title and interest in and to said Patents to Quadrant Valves and Actuators, LLC, Assignee, so that Assignee will be the sole owner of said Patents; and

WHEREAS, Assignee desires to acquire the entire ownership interest in said Patent and to accept such transfer, sale, assignment, and delivery;

NOW, THEREFORE, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Be it known that in consideration of the payment by Assignee to Assignor of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) and

other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignor hereby sells, assigns, transfers and delivers to Assignee the full, exclusive, and entire worldwide right, title and interest in and to the Patents and to that certain invention entitled "Improved Quarter-Turn Valve" bearing U.S. Patent No. 6783113 issued to him on August 31, 2004 and that certain invention entitled "Quarter-Turn Valve" for which an application for letters patent in the United States was filed on February 10, 2006 and which bears Serial No. 11/352,485, and in and to any other Letters Patent that may be granted for the above referenced inventions in the United States and in any foreign country, and in and to any continuation, division, renewal, substitute or reissue thereof, for the full term or terms for which the same may be granted and all of the rights to sue and recover damages and all other relief for any and all infringement of any of the Patents, whether past, present or future, with this sale, transfer, delivery, and assignment being full, final, and complete.

Assignor hereby covenants that he is the sole inventor of said invention and that he has made no assignment, sale, agreement, or other encumbrance of the Patent that would conflict with this Assignment and sale;

Assignor further covenants that he, upon the request of Assignee, will promptly provide Assignee with all pertinent facts and documents relating to said invention, said Letters Patent, and any patent application filed, or that may have been filed, as may be known and accessible to him, and that he will testify as to the same in any interference or litigation related thereto, and that he will promptly execute and deliver to Assignee or his legal representative any and all papers, instruments, or affidavits required to apply for, obtain, maintain, enforce, and practice

said Patents, said inventions, and any other Letters Patent that may be granted therefor that will or may be necessary or desirable to carry out the purposes of this Assignment.

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED, before me, Notary, in the presence of the undersigned competent witnesses at Houston, Texas on this 30th day of April, 2007.

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