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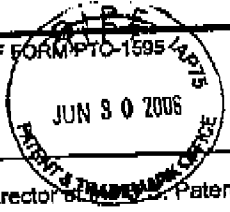
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WHEREAS WE, André BORNE and Jean-Marie FORTAIN, respectively, have invented certain new and useful improvements in **Wire-Guide Nozzle Assembly for a Robotic TIG Welding Torch** for which a nonprovisional application was filed on March 11, 2004, having Application No. 10/798,761, and a continuation-in-part patent application was filed on May 11, 2006, having Application No. 11/432,150;

WHEREAS L'Air Liquide - Société Anonyme à Directoire et Conseil de Surveillance pour l'Étude et l'Exploitation Des Procédés Georges Claude and La Soudure Autogène Française (hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNEE") both having a place of business at 75 Quai d'Orsay, 75321 PARIS Cedex 07, FRANCE, desires to acquire from André BORNE and Jean-Marie FORTAIN the entire right, title and interest we have in and to said invention and in and to any Letters Patent that may be granted thereof in the United States and its territorial possessions and in any and all foreign countries;

NOW, THEREFORE, for valuable consideration, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, we, by these presents do sell, assign and transfer unto said ASSIGNEE, effective as of the first priority date, the full and exclusive right to the said invention in the United States and its territorial possessions and in all foreign countries and the entire right, title and interest in and to any and all Letters Patent which may be granted therefor in the United States and its territorial possessions and in any and all foreign countries and in and to any and all subsequent provisionals, non-provisionals, divisions, reissues, continuations, substitutions and renewals thereof.

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