# PATENT ASSIGNMENT

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#### **CONVEYING PARTY DATA**

Name	Execution Date
The Lamson & Sessions Co.	09/24/2009

## **RECEIVING PARTY DATA**

Name:	Lamson Pipe Company
Street Address:	1299 Industrial Park Drive
City:	Mountain Grove
State/Country: MISSOURI	
Postal Code:	65711

# PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 3

Property Type	Number
Patent Number:	6933438
Patent Number:	D501915
Patent Number:	6920924

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### PATENT ASSIGNMENT

THIS PATENT ASSIGNMENT ("Assignment") is made this 24 day of September 1, 2009, by and between The Lamson & Sessions Co., an Ohio corporation ("Assignor"), and LS Acquisition Co., a Missouri corporation, now known as Lamson Pipe Company ("Assignee ") pursuant to the Certificate of Amendment filed with the State of Missouri on May, 26, 2009 (a copy of which is attached in Appendix A).

# **RECITALS**

- A. Pursuant to an Asset Purchase and Sale Agreement dated November 23, 2008 (the "Purchase Agreement"), Assignee has agreed to purchase the Acquired Assets (as defined in the Purchase Agreement) of the Assignor. The execution and delivery of this Assignment is a condition to the obligation of the Assignee to consummate the transactions contemplated by the Purchase Agreement.
- B. Assignor owns all right, title and interest in and to the Assigned Patents (as defined below).
- C. Assignor desires to transfer and assign all right, title and interest in and to the Assigned Patents to Assignee, and Assignee desires to accept such assignment.

# **AGREEMENT**

For valuable consideration (including that recited in the Purchase Agreement), the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, and in consideration of the covenants and agreements set forth herein, Assignor and Assignee mutually agree as follows:

- 1. <u>Definition of Assigned Patents</u>. The term "Assigned Patents" shall mean those patent applications and issued patents listed in Appendix B attached hereto and made a part hereof, as well as any and all patents maturing from a continuation, continuation-in-part, division, reissue or reexamination of any Assigned Patents and regardless of whether such patent matures from a convention or non-convention application, or any other substitution, renewal, extension, addition, utility model or other United States or foreign patent.
- 2. <u>Assignment of the Assigned Patents</u>. Assignor hereby assigns and transfers to Assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives the entire, full and exclusive right, title and interest in and to the Assigned Patents, including, without limitation, all income, royalties, damages and payments due or payable as of the Closing (including, without limitation, damages and payments for past infringements, misappropriations or other violations thereof) and the rights to sue and collect damages for infringements, misappropriations or other violations thereof with respect to the period of time after Closing.
- 3. <u>Authorization of Commissioner of Patents</u>. Assignor authorizes and requests that the United States Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks and any other

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similar government authority, including any foreign governmental entity, to record Assignee as owner of the Assigned Patents and issue any and all patents issued thereon to Assignee, as assignee of the entire right, title and interest in, to and under the same, for the sole use and enjoyment of Assignee and its successors, assigns, or other legal representatives.

Further Assurances. Upon reasonable request by Assignee, Assignor shall 4. take, or cause to be taken, all actions and do, or cause to be done, all things necessary, proper or appropriate to confirm Assignee's ownership of the Assigned Patents and to otherwise effectuate the transactions contemplated by this Assignment. Assignor shall provide to Assignee, its successors, assigns, and other legal representatives, cooperation and assistance at Assignee's reasonable request and expense, including, without limitation, the execution and delivery of any and all assignment documents, affidavits, declarations, oaths, available samples, available exhibits, available specimens, invention records and other documentation and testifying as to any facts as may be reasonably required in connection with: (1) the implementation, perfection or recording of this Assignment in the United States and any and all applicable foreign jurisdictions; (2) the preparation and prosecution of any application, continuations, divisionals, continuationsin-part, extensions or equivalent to any of the foregoing for any of the Patents; (3) the prosecution or defense of any interference, opposition, re-examination, reissue, infringement or other proceedings that may arise in connection with any of the Assigned Patents, this Assignment or the assignment made hereby; and (4) obtaining any additional protection that Assignee may deem appropriate which may be secured under the laws now or hereafter in effect in the United States or any other country.

### 5. Miscellaneous.

- a. All capitalized terms used herein and not otherwise defined herein shall have the meanings set forth in the Purchase Agreement.
- b. Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, the provisions of this Assignment are subject, in all respects, to the terms and conditions of the Purchase Agreement and all of the representations and warranties, covenants and agreements contained therein, all of which shall survive the execution and delivery of this Assignment as provided in the Purchase Agreement.
- c. This Assignment may be executed in multiple counterparts (including facsimile and other electronically transmitted counterparts), each of which shall be deemed an original, but all of which together will constitute one and the same instrument.

[Signature page to follow]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Assignment has been duly executed by Assignor and Assignee as of the date first written above.

ASSIGNOR:

THE LAMSON & SI	ESSIONS	CO
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Name (V. Daid Surfu

STATE OF Juneagle

COUNTY OF

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On this Aday of

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NOTA
PUBLIC

2009, before me personally appeared

of THE LAMSON & SESSIONS CO., who acknowledged that he/she signed this

instrument as a free act on behalf of THE LAMSON & SESSIONS CO.

Notary Public

My commission expires:

ly commission expires.

MY COMMISSION EXPIRES: February 23, 2011

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	ASSIGNEE:
]	LAMSON PIPE COMPANY
	By Mit Mays
	Name <u>MIKE MORGAW</u> Title PRESIDENT
STATE OF MISSOURI	
COUNTY OF Wright ) SS:	
On this 24 day of September Mile Morgan, known to me	, 2009, before me personally appeared
Mile Morgan, known to me	to be <u>Mosident</u> (Title)
of LAMSON PIPE COMPANY, who acknow	
a free act on behalf of LAMSON PIPE COM	PANY.
KIM BELL My Commission Expires	Kim Bell
* NOIARY * August 29, 2012	Notary Public
SEAL Wright County Commission #08565597	My commission expires:

# APPENDIX A

Certificate of Amendment changing name from LS Acquisition Co. to Lamson Pipe Company

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# Robin Carnahan Secretary of State CERTIFICATE OF AMENDMENT

WHEREAS,

Lamson Pipe Company 00931960

Formerly,

LS Acquisition Co.

A corporation organized under The General and Business Corporations Law has delivered to me a Certificate of Amendment of its Articles of Incorporation and has in all respects complied with the requirements of law governing the Amendment of Articles of Incorporation under The General Business Corporation Law, and that the Articles of Incorporation of said corporation are amended in accordance therewith.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and cause to be affixed the GREAT SEAL of the State of Missouri. Done at the City of Jefferson, this 26th day of May, 2009.





File Number: 00931960

Date Filed: 05/26/2009 Robin Carnahan Secretary of State



Corporations Division PO Box 778 / 600 W. Main St., Rm. 322 Jefferson City, MO 65102

# Amendment of Articles of Incorporation for a General Business or Close Corporation

²uı	suant to the provisions of the General and Business Corporation Law of Missouri, the undersigned Corporation certifies the following:
١.	The present name of the Corporation is LS Acquisition Co.
	Charter #: 00931960
	The name under which it was originally organized was LS Acquisition Co.
2.	An amendment to the Corporation's Articles of Incorporation was adopted by the shareholders on May 15, 2009
	month/daylyeur
3.	Article Number One is amended to read as follows:
	The name of the corporation is: Lamson Pipe Company.

(If more than one article is to be amended or more space is needed attach additional pages)

(Please see next page)

I	Name and address to return filed document:
	Name; C. Bradford Cantwell
	Address: 2805 S. Ingram Mill Road
	City, State, and Zip Code: Springfield, MO 65804

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4.	Of the <u>1000</u>	shares outstand	ing, <u>1000</u>			
	of such shares were entitled to vot	le on such amendment.				
	The number of outstanding shares of any class entitled to vote thereon as a class were as follows:					
	Class	Number o	of Outstanding Shares			
	Common	1000				
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5	The number of shares voted for as	nd against the amendment was as follows:				
-	Class	No. Voted For	No. Voted	Against		
	Common	1000	0			
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6.		exchange, reclassification, or cancellation of number of issued shares of that class, the form				
7.	If the effective date of the amendm	nent is to be a date other than the date of filir	ng of the certificate of amen	dment with the Secretary		
	of State, then the effective date, w	hich shall be no more than 90 days followin	g the filing date, shall be sp	ecified:		
In	Affirmation thereof, the facts state	d above are true and correct:				
T	he undeprigned understands that fals	e statements made in this filing are subject to	the penalties provided under			
	JUNITHAN	Michael R. Morgan	President	5-15-09		
Au	thorized Signature	Printed Name	Tisle	Date		

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# APPENDIX B

# Assigned U.S. Patents

No.	Patent No.	Status	inventors	Issue Date	Tale
1.	6,933,438	Issued	Eric M. Watts; Robert C. Humphreys	8/23/05	Duct with Wire Locator
2.	D501,915	Issued	Mark A. Roesch; Dennis P. Revlock, Sr.	2/15/05	U-Bend Fitting
3.	6,920,924	Issued	Mark A. Roesch, Dennis P. Revlock, Sr.; Stevan Joe White	7/26/05	Wellbore Apparatus

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**RECORDED: 10/05/2009**