

**PATENT ASSIGNMENT**

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NATURE OF CONVEYANCE:	ASSIGNMENT

**CONVEYING PARTY DATA**

Name	Execution Date
Nellcor Puritan Bennett LLC	11/27/2009

**RECEIVING PARTY DATA**

Name:	CAIRE, Inc.
Street Address:	One Infinity Corporate Centre Drive
City:	Garfield Heights
State/Country:	OHIO
Postal Code:	44125-5370

**PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 9**

Property Type	Number
Patent Number:	7552746
Patent Number:	6116242
Patent Number:	5360000
Patent Number:	5386962
Patent Number:	5466134
Patent Number:	5632612
Patent Number:	5759020
Patent Number:	5746806
Application Number:	11671768

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## ASSIGNMENT OF TRANSFERRED INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

THIS ASSIGNMENT is made as of this 27th day of November, 2009,

### BY AND AMONG:

Nelcor Puritan Bennett LLC, a limited liability company organized under the laws of Delaware (Assignor); and  
CAIRE, Inc., a Delaware corporation with an address at One Infinity Corporate Centre Drive, Garfield Heights,  
Ohio 44125-5370 (Assignee).

Assignor and Assignee are referred to collectively herein as the Parties.

### WHEREAS:

- (A) Assignor has a right, title, and/or interest in and to certain United States and foreign patents and patent applications and inventions disclosed therein, said patent and applications being listed in Exhibit A, hereto, and referred to herein as the Patents. Covidien Group S.A.R.L., a Luxembourg company (Seller) and Assignee are parties to that certain Asset Purchase Agreement, dated as of September 2, 2009. Seller is the direct or indirect owner of controlling stock, partnership or limited liability company interests in Assignor, and has agreed, pursuant to the terms and conditions set forth in that Agreement, to cause Assignor to transfer Assignor's right, title, and/or interest in the Patents; and
- (B) Assignee desires to acquire all of Assignor's right, title and/or interest in, to and under the Patents.

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, Assignor hereby sells, assigns, and transfers to Assignee all of Assignor's right, title, and/or interest in and to the Patents, and in and to all income, royalties, damages, and payments now or hereafter due or payable with respect thereto, and in and to all causes of action, either at law or in equity, and the right to sue, counterclaim, and recover for infringement of the rights assigned herein, to be held and enjoyed by Assignee for its own use and benefit and for its successors and assigns as the same would have been held by Assignor had this assignment not been made.

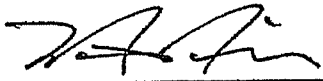
Assignor hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States, and the patent office or agency of all foreign countries, to record Assignee as the assignee and owner of any and all of Assignor's rights and/or interests in the Patents and to issue to Assignee any and all granted patents resulting from said patent applications, or any renewals of said patents in accordance with the Assignee's interest therein.

Without additional consideration from Assignee, Assignor agrees to execute and deliver to Assignee, or its successor or assign, at a future date any additional documents that Assignee, or any successor or assign, reasonably determines are required to perfect the right, title, and/or interest of Assignee, its successors or assigns, in the Patents anywhere in the world.

*[Remainder of page intentionally left blank. Signature page follows.]*

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this Assignment to be executed and delivered as of the date first above written.

ASSIGNOR:  
Nelcor Puritan Bennett LLC

By:   
Name: Matthew J. Nicolella  
Title: Vice President & Asst. Secretary

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name:  
Title:

ASSIGNEE:  
CAIRE, Inc.

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name:  
Title:

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ASSIGNOR:  
Nellcor Puritan Bennett LLC

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name:  
Title:

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Name:  
Title:

ASSIGNEE:  
CAIRE, Inc.

By: James H. Hoppel Jr.  
Name: JAMES H. HOPPEL JR.  
Title: VICE PRESIDENT - CORPORATE DEVELOPMENT

**EXHIBIT A**

**PATENTS AND PATENT APPLICATIONS**

Docket No.	Sub	City	Status	Title	App. No.	Filed	Publ. Patent No.	Published /Issued	Inventor(s)
H-PB-00001	01	US	Granted	Fluid container apparatus having support elements for supporting apparatus components	11/671822	2/6/07	7552746	6/30/09	LANG, Michael, SHIN, Michael, Magno, Francisco
H-PB-00001	02	US	Published	Vent valve for a fluid container apparatus	11/671768	2/6/07	2007-0204919	9/6/07	LANG, Michael; SHIN, Michael; Shaheed, Iqbal
F0103CRY:P	01	US	Granted	OXYGEN-CONSERVING REGULATORY ASSEMBLY	08/849417	9/26/96	6116242	9/12/00	DAVIS, Richard A.; FRYE, Mark R.; GRENAWAY, John R.; LEITHAUSER, Douglas
F0369LXM:P		US	Granted	PNEUMATIC DEMAND OXYGEN VALVE	08/013226	2/1/93	5360000	11/1/94	CARTER, William
F0084CON:P		US	Granted	SHOCK AND VIBRATION ABSORBING MOUNTS	08/151738	11/15/93	5386962	2/7/95	ADRIANCE, Kyle; KIMBRO, Charles D.; WEBB, Douglas A
H-PB-00011		US	Pending	Systems and Methods for Generating Liquid Oxygen for Portable Use	61/099990	9/23/08			KUDARAVALLI, Ravikumar V, SHIN, Michael
H-PB-00022		US	Pending	Compact Cryogenic Cooling Chamber for Home Oxygen Liquefaction System	61/098134	9/18/08			Huang, Gene, Trebotich, Steve, KUDARAVALLI, Ravikumar V
H-PB-00024		US	Pending	Systems and Methods for Conserving Oxygen in a Breathing Assistance Device	61/099993	9/23/08			PORGES, Charles E, VANDINE, JOSEPH D
Jointly Owned - F0085CON:P		US	Granted	SCROLL COMPRESSOR	08/223039	4/5/94	5466134	11/14/95	ADRIANCE, Kyle; KIMBRO, Charles D;

										SHAFFER, Robert W
Jointly Owned - P0085CON:P	01	US	Granted		08/557407	11/13/95	5632612	5/27/97		SHAFFER, Robert W
Jointly Owned - P0085CON:P	02	US	Granted		08/720549	9/30/96	5759020	6/2/98		SHAFFER, Robert W
Jointly Owned - P0128CON:P		US	Granted		08/698062	8/15/96	5746806	5/5/98		ADRIANCE, Kyle; AYLSWORTH, Alonzo C; MILLER, Gregory R
** From Schedule 3.08(a)(3)(E) H-RM-01150										Kadlec, Ron