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**ASSIGNMENT**

WHEREAS **Wayne Ernest Conrad** whose full post office address is **9 King Lane, Hampton, Ontario, Canada, L0B 1J0** (hereinafter the "Assignor") am the inventor of an invention disclosed in the United States patent application entitled **CYCLONE CHAMBER AND DIRT COLLECTION ASSEMBLY FOR A SURFACE CLEANING APPARATUS** filed concurrently herewith (hereinafter "the Application");

AND WHEREAS, **G.B.D. Corp** whose full post office address is **Templeton Building, Lyford Cay, P.O. Box N-9204, Nassau, Bahamas**, (hereinafter "the Assignee"), has acquired from the Assignor, the Assignor's entire right, title and interest in and to the invention, in all countries of the world, including the Assignor's rights to the Application, and all related applications thereon, including any and all, international, national and regional phase applications based on the Application, and other counterpart applications in all countries, and any and all substitutes, divisionals, continuations and continuations-in-part, and any Letters Patent that may be obtained therefor, and in any and all reissues, extensions, renewals and reexaminations of such applications and patents;

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of all of which is hereby acknowledged, the Assignor hereby confirms that the Assignor has assigned, and does hereby sell and assign, transfer and set over to the Assignee, all of the Assignor's right, title and interest for Canada, the United States of America, its territories, dependencies and possessions, and for all other countries in the world, in and to the invention, including the Assignor's rights to the Application, and all related applications and patents thereon, to be held and enjoyed by the Assignee, its assigns and successors, as fully and entirely as the

same would have been held and enjoyed by the Assignor, had this Assignment not been made.

The Assignor shall without further consideration do all such things and execute all such documents as may be necessary or desirable to obtain and maintain the Application for the invention, and all related applications and patents thereon, in any and all countries, and to vest title thereto in the Assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives or nominees.

The Assignor authorizes and empowers the Assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives or nominees, to invoke and claim for any of the Applications, and all related applications and patents thereon, filed by the Assignor or the Assignee, the benefit of the right of priority provided by the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, as amended, or by any convention which may henceforth be substituted for it, and to invoke and claim such right of priority without further written or oral authorization from the Assignor.

The Assignor authorizes and empowers Bereskin & Parr LLP/S.E.N.C.R.L., s.r.l., whose complete address is Suite 4000, Scotia Plaza, Box 401, 40 King Street West, Toronto, Ontario M5H 3Y2, to insert on this Assignment any further identification, including inserting the serial number of the patent application when available, to prepare any translation which may be necessary or desirable in order to comply with the rules for recordation of this document in any country and to correct any clerical error in this assignment.

The Commissioner of Patents & Trademarks is hereby authorized and requested to issue any Letters Patent for the Application, and all related applications thereon, to the Assignee, for its sole use and benefit; and for the use and benefit of its successors and assigns, to the full end of the term for which

Letters Patent may be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by the Assignor had this Assignment and sale not been made.

If a provision of this Assignment is or becomes illegal, invalid or unenforceable in any jurisdiction, that shall not affect the validity or enforceability in that jurisdiction of any other provision of this Assignment, or the validity or enforceability in other jurisdictions of that or any other provision of this Assignment.

SIGNED AT Hampton, Ontario, this 2nd day March, 2011.

  
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Wayne Ernest Conrad