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### ASSIGNMENT AND AGREEMENT

For value received, We, Bill Bertakis, residing at 2120 Park Circle, Keego Harbor, Michigan 48320, USA; Jan Pitzer, residing at 6261 Windemere Pointe, Brighton, Michigan 48116, USA; Mike Thomas, residing at 24 Taywood Court, Dundas, Ontario CANADA L9H 7A2; Dale Wesener, residing at 4580 Gary Road, Chesaning, Michigan 48616, USA; and Mike Wallace, residing at 36945 Greenbush Road, Wayne, Michigan 48184, USA hereby sell, assign, and transfer to Illinois Tool Works, a corporation of the State of Illinois, having an office at 3600 West Lake Avenue, Glenview, Illinois 60026, USA, and its successors, assigns and legal representatives, hereinafter collectively "," the entire right, title and interest, in and to certain inventions related to "NON-INTRUSIVE, LOW CHATTER PRESSURE RELEIF VALVE SYSTEM" described in U.S. Non-provisional Application Serial No. 12/907,501 filed on October 19, 2010 and in U.S. Provisional Application Serial No. <u>61/261,793</u>, filed November 17, 2009 and any and all applications claiming the benefit thereof including the right of priority, and all the rights and privileges in said applications and under any and all Letters Patent or any continuation, division, renewal, or substitute thereof, and any reissue or re-examination thereof that may be granted in the United States for said inventions, together with the right to recover all damages, including, but not limited to, a reasonable royalty, by reason of past, present, or future infringement or any other violation of patent or patent application rights; to have and to hold for the sole and exclusive use and benefit of the Assignee, its successors and assigns, to the full end of the term or terms for all such patents. We also concurrently hereby sell, assign and transfer to Illinois Tool Works the entire right, title and interest in and to said inventions for all countries foreign to the United States, including all rights of priority arising from the applications aforesaid, and all the rights and privileges under any and all forms of protection, including Letters Patent, that may be granted in said countries foreign to the United States for said inventions.

We authorize Illinois Tool Works to make application for such protection in its own name and maintain such protection in any and all countries foreign to the United States, and to invoke and claim for any application for patent or other form of protection for said inventions, without further authorization from us, any and all benefits, including the right of priority provided by any and all treaties, conventions, or agreements.

We hereby consent that a copy of this assignment shall be deemed a full legal and formal equivalent of any document which may be required in any country in proof of the right of Illinois Tool Works to apply for patent or other form of protection for said inventions and to claim the aforesaid benefit of the right of priority.

We request that any and all patents for said inventions be issued to Illinois Tool Works in the United States and in all countries foreign to the United States, or to such nominees as Illinois Tool Works may designate.

We agree that, when requested, we shall, without charge to Illinois Tool Works but at their expense, sign all papers, take all rightful oaths, and do all acts which may be necessary, desirable or convenient in connection with said applications, patents, or other forms of protection.

The Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks is hereby authorized and requested to issue patents to the Assignee in accordance with the terms of this Assignment.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, the Assignors have executed this agreement.

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