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WHEREAS, we, Shawn A. Leu of Newton, Wisconsin and Stephen M. Moretti of Manitowoc, Wisconsin, have made certain inventions which are described in Provisional Patent Application No. 60/681,814 for Letters Patent of the United States, filed on May 17, 2005 and entitled PUMP IMPROVEMENTS, executed by us preparatory to obtaining United States Letters Patent therefore, and

WHEREAS, **Thomas Industries**, Inc., a Delaware corporation having a place of business at Sheboygan, Wisconsin, (hereinafter called **Company**), is desirous of acquiring the entire interest in said inventions throughout the United States of America and the territories thereof and for all foreign countries.

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00) to us in hand paid, and other good and valuable consideration, receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, we hereby sell, assign and transfer unto said **Company**, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest throughout the United States of America and the territories thereof and for all foreign countries, in and to said inventions, the aforesaid application, and all other applications hereafter filed in the United States or any other country based in whole or in part on said inventions, and all Letters Patent granted upon said applications by the United States or any other country, and we do hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents to issue said Letters Patent to said **Company**. We further grant to said Company, its successors and assigns, the right to claim for any of said applications the full benefits and priority rights of any international agreement between the United States and any foreign country or countries.

We hereby warrant that we have the full right to make the conveyance herein, and we hereby covenant that we, our heirs, legal representatives and assigns, will, when requested, communicate to said **Company**, its representatives, successors and assigns, all facts known respecting said inventions, execute all divisional, continuing, reissue, reexamination and foreign applications together with individual assignments therefore, make all rightful oaths, sign all lawful papers, testify in any legal proceeding and generally do everything possible to aid said **Company**, its successors and assigns, in the obtaining of Letters Patent.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and seal at the location and on the date indicated below our signatures.

WITNESSES:

SHAWN A	LEU	
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Dated:	11/1/05	

STATE OF WISCONSIN)) ss. SHEBOYGAN COUNTY)

Before me on this <u>lst</u>day of <u>November</u>, 2005, came Shawn A. Leu, to me known to be the person named in the foregoing Assignment and acknowledged the execution thereof to be his free act and deed.

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Anise L. Mikabusk

Notary Public, State of Wisconsin My Commission: expires February 3rd, 2008 WITNESSES:

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STEPHEN M. MORETTI

th motion (SEAL) Dated: 11/01/05

STATE OF WISCONSIN)) ss. SHEBOYGAN COUNTY)

Before me on this <u>lst</u> day of <u>November</u>, 2005, came Stephen M. Moretti, to me known to be the person named in the foregoing Assignment and acknowledged the execution thereof to be his free act and deed.

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Imise L. Mikalows

Notary Public, State of Wisconsin // My Commission: expires February 3rd, 2008