

## PATENT ASSIGNMENT

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## ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, I, Merrill L. Grile of the City of Sauk Rapids, County of Benton and State of Minnesota, have made certain new and useful inventions entitled "Vehicular Towing Apparatus Using Air Lift" for which I have received United States Letters Patents 6,692,218 on February 17, 2004 and 7,448,839 on November 11, 2008.

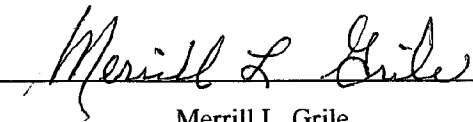
WHEREAS, I am the owner of the entire right, title, and interest in and to said invention and said patents; and

WHEREAS, John C. Welker of the City of Sauk Rapids, County of Benton and State of Minnesota, is desirous of acquiring the full and exclusive right, title, and interest which I have or may have in and to said Letters Patents of the United States;

NOW, THEREFORE, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Be it known that, for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) lawful money of the United States, to me in hand paid, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, and for other good and valuable considerations, I, by these presents do hereby sell, assign, transfer, and set over unto the said John C. Welker all the right, title, and interest which I have or may have in and to said Letters Patents of the United States to be held and enjoyed by said John C. Welker, his successors, legal representatives, and assigns, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by me if this assignment and sale had not been made; and I hereby covenant and warrant that I have the full right to convey the entire interest herein assigned, and that I have not executed and will not execute any instrument purporting to convey, mortgage, lease, or otherwise transfer, all or any part of said entire interest to anyone other than said John C. Welker, his successors, legal representatives, and assigns.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seals this 27th day of December, 2011.

  
Merrill L. Grile

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 27th day of December, 2011 by Merrill L. Grile.

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Notary Public

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