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ASSIGNMENT OF INVENTION

In consideration of the payment by ASSIGNEE to ASSIGNORS of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00), the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, and for other good and valuable consideration,

ASSIGNORS: David A. Schechter
Stephen G. Solga
Duane E. Kerr
Scott D. Nelson
Mark R. Henault
Joseph D. Bucciaglia

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ASSIGNEE:

Sherwood Services AG
(Type or print name of ASSIGNEE)
Bahnhofstrasse 29
Address
8200, Schaffhausen
Switzerland
Switzerland
Nationality

and the successors, assigns and legal representatives of the ASSIGNEE

☒ the entire right, title and interest

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and which is found in

- (a) ☐ U.S. patent application executed on even date herewith.
- (b) ☐ U.S. patent application executed on _____.
- (c) ☒ U.S. application Serial No. 11/230,027 filed on September 19, 2005.
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filed on _____.

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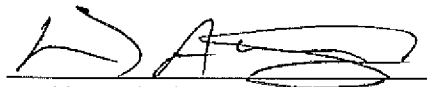
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ASSIGNORS further covenants to promptly provide all pertinent facts and documents known and accessible to ASSIGNORS relating to said invention and said Letters Patent and legal equivalents; to testify as to the same in any interference, litigation or proceeding related thereto; to execute and deliver any and all papers that may be necessary or desirable to perfect the title to said invention or any Letters Patents which may be granted therefor in said ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns or other legal representatives; to execute any additional or divisional applications for patents for said invention, or any part or parts thereof, and for the reissue of any Letters Patents to be granted therefor; and to make all rightful oaths and do all lawful acts requisite for procuring the same or for aiding therein, all without further compensation, but at the sole expense of ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns, or other legal representatives.

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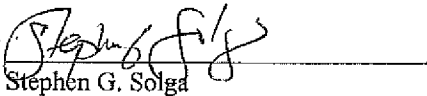
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I/We have hereunto set hand and seal.

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David A. Schechter

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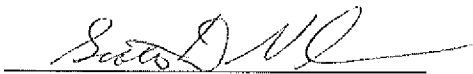
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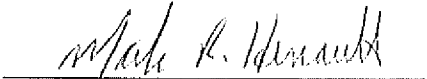
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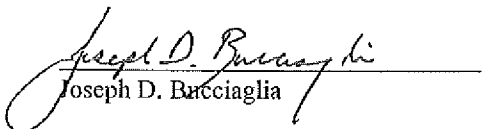
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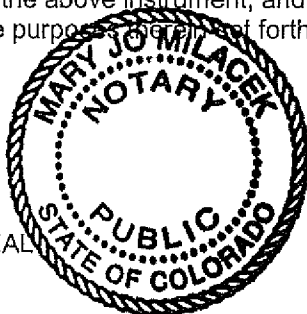
Joseph D. Bacciaglia

11/2/2005
Dated

State of Colorado)
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County of Boulder)

Before me this 3 day of November 2005,

personally appeared **David A. Schechter** to me personally known to be the person described in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same of his own free will for the purposes therein set forth.



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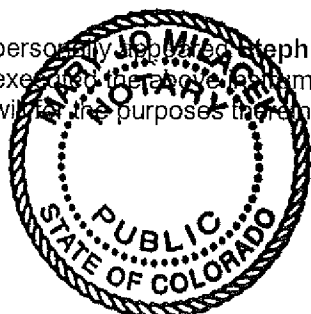
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Mary Jo Milacek
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Before me this 29 day of November 2005,

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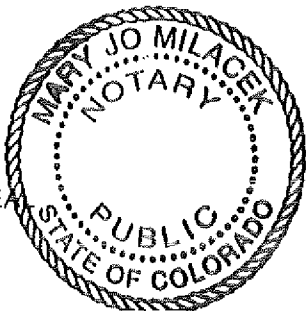
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Before me this 1st day of November 2005,

personally appeared **Duane E. Kerr** to me personally known to be the person described in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same of his own free will for the purposes therein set forth.



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Before me this 11 day of November, 2005,

personally appeared **Scott D. Nelson** to me personally known to be the person described in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same of his own free will for the purposes therein set forth.

March 20, 2006

Mary M. Fuqua
My Commission Expires
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Before me this 11 day of November, 2005,

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March 20, 2006

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Before me this 2 day of November, 2005,

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