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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Anvil International, LLC, a limited liability company of the State of Delaware, having its principal place of business at Two Holland Way, Exeter, New Hampshire 03833, (hereinafter "Assignor") is the assignee and owner of the patents and pending patent applications identified in Exhibit A (attached), along with the inventions disclosed and described therein; and

WHEREAS, Mueller International, LLC a limited liability company of the state of Delaware, having its principal place of business at 1200 Abernathy Road NE, Suite 1200, Atlanta, Georgia 30328 (hereinafter "Assignee") is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in the same.

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignor hereby sells, assigns and transfers unto Assignee, its successors, assigns, and legal representatives, the full, exclusive and entire right, title and interest: (i) in and to all inventions and improvements disclosed and described in the Patents, (ii) in and to the Patents and any resulting patent, (iii) in and to all right to sue, counterclaim and recover for past, present and future infringement of the rights assigned or to be assigned under this Assignment, including all income, royalties, damages and payments now or hereafter due or payable with respect thereto, and to all causes of action (either in law or in equity), (iv) in and to the right to claim any applicable foreign and domestic priority rights arising from the Patents; and (v) in and to any patent applications filed in the United States describing in whole or in part the inventions and improvements, preparatory to obtaining patents of the United States therefore; and Assignor hereby requests the Commissioner of Patents to issue any and all patents of the United States resulting from such patent applications, or from a division, continuation, continuation-in-part, or reissue thereof, in the name of Assignee, for its interest and for the sole use and behoof of Assignee and its successors, assigns and legal representatives.

For the same consideration, Assignor hereby sells, assigns and transfers to Assignee the full, exclusive and entire right, title and interest in and to any foreign patent applications corresponding to said Patents, in whole or in part, in countries other than the United States, in and to any patents and similar protective rights granted on said foreign application, and in and to the right to claim any applicable priority rights arising from or required for said foreign application under the terms of any applicable conventions, treaties, statutes, or regulations; said foreign applications to be filed and issued in the name of Assignee or its respective designees, insofar as permitted by applicable law.

For the same consideration, Assignor agrees to sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuation, continuation-in-part, reissue and other applications, make all assignments and rightful oaths, and generally do everything possible to aid Assignee and its successors, assigns, legal representatives and

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Assignor:

Anvil International, LLC

May 13, 2014

Date

by:

Kristi Crawford, Assistant Secretary

Assignee:

Mueller International, LLC

May 13, 2014

Date

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STATE OF GEORGIA

COUNTY OF CHEROKEE

Before me, a Notary Public in and for the State of Georgia, on this 13th day of May, 2014, personally appeared **Kristi Crawford on behalf of Anvil International, LLC**, who being duly sworn, signed and acknowledged the foregoing Assignment as his or her free act and deed.

My Commission Expires: October

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EXHIBIT A

- US. Application No.: 09/555,925, filed June 6, 2000 Now Patent No.: 6,487,946, issued December 3, 2002
- US. Application No.: 12/245,189, filed October 3, 2008 Now Patent No.: 8,646,814, issued February 11, 2014
- US Application No.: 13/098,866, filed May 2, 2011
- US Application No.: 09/363,922, filed July 30, 1999 Now Patent No.: 6,196,039, issued March 6, 2001
- Canadian Application No.: 2,705,351, filed October 3, 2008 Now Patent No.: 2,705,351, Issued January 21, 2014
- Canadian Application No.: 2,822,136, filed October 3, 2008 Now Patent No.: 2,822,136, Issued April 1, 2014
- Canadian Application No.: 2,300,744, filed March 15, 2000 Now Patent No.: 2,300,744, Issued August 5, 2008

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