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## PATENT ASSIGNMENT

This ASSIGNMENT (the "Assignment"), effective as of January 1, 2014 (the "Effective Date"), by and between Alan A. Schmitz ("Assignor") and Peter J. Schmitz ("Assignee").

WHEREAS, pursuant to a Settlement Agreement and Mutual Release between Assignor, Assignee, J.L. Schmitz and Sons, Limited Liability Company and Schmitz Bros., Limited Liability Company dated December 23, 2014 (the "Agreement"), Alan agreed to assign all of his rights, title, and interest in United States Patent No. 5,960,803 for a "Method and device for cleaning septic systems" (the "Patent") to Assignee, which was issued in the United States Trademark Office on October 5, 1999.

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is acknowledged, the parties agree as follows:

Assignor transfers, grants, conveys, assigns and relinquishes exclusively to Assignee, his successors, assigns or nominees, all of Assignor's right, title and interest in and to the Patent and the inventions described therein, and all Letters Patent of the United States that may be granted thereon, and all continuations, continuations-in-part, substitutions, divisionals, reissues, reexaminations, and extensions thereof; and all rights to claim priority on the basis of such Patent, and all applications for Letters Patent that have been or may be filed for the invention described in the Patent in any foreign country and all Letters Patent that may be granted on the invention described in the Patent in any foreign country, and all extensions, renewals, and reissues thereof, together with all claims, demands, and causes of action for past infringement of the Patent.

Assignor covenants and agrees that on request and without further consideration, Assignor shall communicate to Assignee, his successors, assigns and nominees, any facts known to such Assignor respecting the Patent, sign all lawful papers when called upon to do so, execute and deliver all papers that may be necessary or desirable to perfect the title to the Patent in Assignee, his successors, assigns or nominees, execute all divisional, continuing, reissue, and reexamination applications, make all rightful oaths, and generally assist Assignee, his successors, assigns and nominees to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for the invention described in the Patent in the United States and any foreign country.


Assignor authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks (or such similar entity with respect to all foreign patents) to record Assignee as owner of the Patent, including any divisions, reissues, reexaminations, or extensions thereof or continuations or continuations in part that have been filed, and to issue any and all letters patent thereon to Assignee, as assignee of the entire right, title and interest in, to and under the same, for the sale use and enjoyment of Assignee, his successors, assigns or other legal representatives. Assignor authorizes Assignee to execute and file any and all documents required related to this Assignment and to take any and all actions to assign the Patent to Assignee.

Assignor represents, warrants and covenants that Assignor has the full right to convey his entire right, title and interest in and to the Patent, that Assignor has not sold, transferred, assigned or encumbered any of his rights, title or interest in the Patent except to the Assignee, that Assignor shall take all action and execute all documents necessary to perfect the right, title and interest in and to the Patent assigned in this Assignment, and that Assignor has not executed and shall not execute any agreement in conflict with this Assignment.

This Assignment may be signed in any number of counterparts, all of which taken together shall constitute one and the same instrument. Facsimile or electronic pdf signatures shall have the same effect as originals.

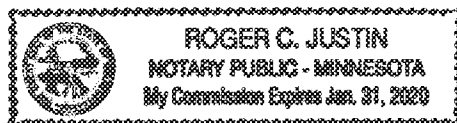
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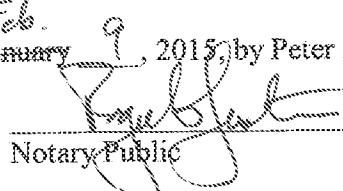
Alan A. Schmitz, Assignor

  
Peter J. Schmitz, Assignee

STATE OF MINNESOTA )  
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This instrument was acknowledged before me on January <sup>Feb.</sup> 9, 2015, by Peter J. Schmitz.



  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires: 1/31/2020

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COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_ )

This instrument was acknowledged before me on January \_\_\_\_\_, 2015, by Alan A. Schmitz.

Notary Public

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 Peter J. Schmitz, Assignee

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 COUNTY OF Wright )

This instrument was acknowledged before me on <sup>February</sup> January 11, 2015, by Alan A. Schmitz.

Carolyn J. Granger  
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