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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, I, **MARK H. NITTLER**, a citizen of the United States residing at 1010 Lion Lake Drive North, Weslaco, Texas 78596, (hereafter referred to as "ASSIGNOR"), have invented certain new and useful improvements in the invention entitled **APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR CLEANING GAS STREAMS FROM BIOMASS COMBUSTION** for which I have executed U.S. Provisional Patent Application having Serial No. 62/029,295 which was filed on July 25, 2014 and U.S. Patent Application No. 14/805,170 filed on July 21, 2015; and

WHEREAS, **RIO GRANDE VALLEY SUGAR GROWERS, INC.** ("ASSIGNEE"), a Texas corporation having its main place of business at 2-1/2 Miles West Hwy 107, Santa Rosa, Texas 78593, is entitled, by virtue of a prior agreement between the parties, to a complete and absolute assignment of the entire right, title and interest in, to and under the said invention and said patent applications, subject to a potential reversion to ASSIGNOR as set forth herein;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, I, the said ASSIGNOR, have sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over, unto the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in, to and under the said invention and the said patent applications, and all rights of priority based thereon, and all patent applications claiming priority thereto, and all divisionals, renewals, continuations, and continuations-in-part thereof, and all Letters Patent of the United States which may be granted thereon and all reissues, reexaminations and extensions thereof, and all applications for Letters Patent which may have been or may hereafter be filed for said invention in any country or countries foreign to the United States, and all Letters Patent which may be granted for said invention in any country or countries foreign to the United States and all extensions, renewals and reissues thereof; and I hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents of the United States, and any Official of any country or countries foreign to the United

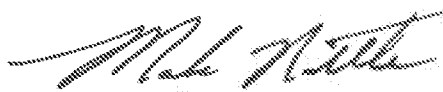
States, whose duty it is to issue patents on applications as aforesaid, to issue all Letters Patent for said invention to said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this instrument.

I HEREBY covenant that I have full right to convey the entire interest herein assigned, and that I have not executed, and will not execute, any agreement in conflict herewith.

I HEREBY further covenant and agree that I will communicate to said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, any facts known to me respecting said invention, and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuing and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths, and generally do everything possible to aid said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for said invention in all countries.

NOTWITHSTANDING THE FOREGOING, all rights assigned to ASSIGNEE herein shall revert back to ASSIGNOR if ASSIGNEE ceases to operate.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and seal this 2nd day of March 2016.


MARK H. NITTLER

STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF Hidalgo

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On this 2nd day of March 2016 before me, a Notary Public in and for the State and County aforesaid, personally appeared **MARK H. NITTLER**, known to me to be the person of that name, who signed and sealed the foregoing instrument, and he acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed.

Frances D. O'Connell

Notary Public, State of Texas

My Commission Expires: 11-22-2018

