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| JEFFREY JAY LONG | 11/11/2016 |
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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Steven W. Post of 1610 Cedar Drive, Cassville, Missouri 65625 USA, and Jeffrey

Jay Long of 12291 Farm Road 1100, Purdy, Missouri 65734, and William S. Gatley, Jr. of 300 East 5th

Street, Cassville, Missouri 65625, (ASSIGNOR(S)) have invented certain new and useful improvements

for a Water Heater Blower Assembly Having a Low Exhaust Port for which ASSIGNOR(S) has/have

executed an application for Letters Patent in the United States identifying ASSIGNOR(S) as the sole

inventor(s) thereof (said application being identified as Thompson Coburn LLP, Docket 48593-160317);

and

WHEREAS, Regal Beloit America, Inc., a corporation of the State of Wisconsin having its

principal office and place of business at 200 State Street, Beloit, Wisconsin 53511, (ASSIGNEE) is

desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and improvements as

disclosed in said application, in and to said application, and in and to the patent to be obtained thereon.

NOW THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and adequacy of all of

which are hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNOR(S), hereby assign(s) and transfer(s) unto said ASSIGNEE,

its successors or assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and improvements as

the same are disclosed in said application which was executed by ASSIGNOR(S) herewith preparatory to

filing for Letters Patent, in and to said application, and in and to any and all Letters Patent and

applications filed therefor, including provisionals, non-provisionals, divisionals, continuations,

continuations-in-part, reissues, reexaminations and extensions to be obtained therefor in the United

States and all foreign countries, including all priority rights and all rights to claim priority; and

ASSIGNOR(S) further agree(s) to cooperate with ASSIGNEE hereunder in the obtaining and sustaining

of any and all such Letters Patent as ASSIGNEE may desire to apply for, but at the expense of said

ASSIGNEE.

The Commissioner of Patents or other proper official is hereby authorized and requested to issue

said Letters Patent to ASSIGNEE in accordance with this ASSIGNMENT.

The undersigned hereby authorizes and requests the attorneys of record in said application(s) to

insert in this ASSIGNMENT the serial number, filing date, and date of execution of said application(s).

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For said considerations, ASSIGNOR(S) hereby agree(s), upon the request and at the expense of

ASSIGNEE, to execute any provisional, non-provisional, divisional, continuation, continuation-in-part or

substitute application for said invention or improvements, and any oath or affidavit relating thereto, and

any application for the reissue or extension of any Letters Patent that may be granted upon said

application(s), and, in the event of any application or Letters Patent assigned herein becoming involved in

any derivation proceeding, interference, or third party challenge, to cooperate to the best of the ability of

ASSIGNOR(S) in the matters of preparing and executing any petition, affidavit, or other document relating

thereto and giving and producing evidence in support thereof. ASSIGNOR(S) agree(s) to perform, upon

request, any affirmative acts to obtain said Letters Patent of the United States or foreign country and vest

in said ASSIGNEE all rights therein, whereby said Letters Patent will be held and enjoyed by ASSIGNEE,

to the full end of the term for which said Letters Patent may be granted as fully and entirely as the same

would have been held and enjoyed by ASSIGNOR(S) if this ASSIGNMENT had not been made.

And for said consideration, ASSIGNOR(S) hereby assign(s) to ASSIGNEE the entire right, title

and interest in said invention or improvements for all foreign countries, including all priority rights, and

agrees to execute, at the request of ASSIGNEE, all documents in connection with any application for

foreign Letters Patent therefor.

AGREED TO AND ACCEPTED BY ASSIGNOR(S):

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| IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand the 11th day of Novymber, 2016. Steven W. Post |
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| COUNTY OF BONNIE |
| On this 1th day of October 2016 before me, a Notary Public, within and for the County of County of New York, State of Wicouring, personally appeared Steven W. Post, to maknown to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing assignment and acknowledged that he/she executed same as his/her free act and deed. |
| IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal the date and year last above written. |
| Hankie C. Stewart Notary Public |
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