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## ASSIGNMENT

**WHEREAS**, CHRISTOPHER ERIC VON EBERSTEIN, an individual of the full age of majority whose address is 101 Ashland Way, Madisonville, Louisiana 70447 (hereinafter referred to as “**ASSIGNOR**”) invented a certain invention for which an application for Letters Patent of the United States titled “**FLOTATION SYSTEM AND METHOD**,” executed by **ASSIGNOR** on the date of execution of this Assignment, as shown below, and filed concurrently herewith, which application claims priority to U.S. Patent Application No. 15/251,762, filed with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on August 30, 2016, which claims priority to U.S. Provisional Patent Application No. 62/329,899, filed with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on April 29, 2016;

**WHEREAS**, WILLIAM VON EBERSTEIN, an individual of the full age of majority whose address is 101 Ashland Way, Madisonville, Louisiana 70447 (hereinafter referred to as “**ASSIGNEE**”), is desirous of acquiring Fifty Percent (50%) of **ASSIGNOR**’s undivided right, title, and interest in and to said invention, said applications, and all Letters Patent of the United States and foreign countries which may be obtained therefor;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00), and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, said **ASSIGNOR** by these presents does hereby sell, assign, and transfer unto **ASSIGNEE**, his legal representatives, successors, and assigns, Fifty Percent (50%) of **ASSIGNOR**’s undivided right, title and interest in and to said invention, said applications, and all continuations, continuations-in-part, and divisions thereof, and all Letters Patent of the United States and foreign countries to be obtained therefor and all renewals, reissues, reexaminations, or extensions thereof, for the full term or terms for which the same may be granted.

**ASSIGNOR** hereby covenants that no assignment, sale, agreement or encumbrance has been or will be made or entered into which would conflict with this assignment and sale. **ASSIGNOR** further covenants that **ASSIGNEE** will, upon his request, be provided promptly with all pertinent facts and documents relating to said invention, said applications, and said Letters Patent as may be known and accessible to **ASSIGNOR**, and will testify as to the same in any interference, other administrative proceeding, or litigation related thereto, and will promptly execute and deliver to **ASSIGNEE** or his legal representative any and all papers, instruments or affidavits required to apply for, obtain, maintain and enforce said invention, said applications, and said Letters Patent which may be necessary or desirable to carry out the purposes hereof.

**ASSIGNOR** requests the Commissioner for Patents to issue any Letters Patent of the United States that may be issued for said invention to **ASSIGNEE**, his legal representatives, successors, and assigns, as a Fifty Percent (50%) owner of the right, title, and interest in and to said patent and the invention covered thereby.

**ASSIGNOR** and **ASSIGNEE** each shall not sell, assign, or transfer all or any portion of their respective right, title, or interest in and to the aforesaid application for Letters Patent of the United States and any Letters Patents of the United States and foreign countries which may be obtained therefor (collectively “**Patent Rights**”) to a third party unless the party desiring to sell (the “**Selling Party**”) has first offered in writing to sell the **Patent Rights** to the other (the “**Non-**

Selling Party") on identical terms and conditions (and provide a copy of the written offer from the third party which the Selling Party wishes to accept), and the Non-Selling Party has not given written notice to the Selling Party within 30 days of its receipt of the offer that the Non-Selling Party elects to purchase the Patent Rights on identical terms and conditions which the third party has offered to pay.

THUS DONE AND SIGNED, at Madisonville, Louisiana, on this 26 day of September, 2017.

  
CHRISTOPHER ERIC VON EBERSTEIN

STATE OF LOUISIANA

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

PARISH OF ST. TAMMANY

On this 26 day of September, 2017, before me, the undersigned Notary Public, personally appeared CHRISTOPHER ERIC VON EBERSTEIN, to me known to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing Assignment and who acknowledged that he executed it as his free act and deed for the uses, purposes, and consideration therein expressed.

  
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**Thomas G. Milazzo**  
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