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<u>ASSIGNMENT</u>

WHEREAS, we, Shawn A. Reed, of Charleston, Arkansas, Mickey E. Batson, of Lavaca,

Arkansas, Michael D. Williams, of Booneville, Arkansas, Christopher R. Taylor, of Pocola,

Oklahoma, and Tyson J. Cogburn, of Roland, Oklahoma, (the "Inventors"), have invented certain

new and useful improvements in FUEL-FIRED APPLIANCE WITH EXHAUST

**DILUTION**, for which a United States patent application was filed on March 13, 2017; and

assigned Serial No.: 15/457,740; and

WHEREAS, RHEEM MANUFACTURING COMPANY, a corporation of the State of

Delaware, having an address of 1100 Abernathy Road, Suite 1700, Atlanta, GA 30328

("Rheem"), is desirous of acquiring the right, title and interest in and to said invention and any

and all patents resulting therefrom, including any foreign patents.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00), the receipt of

which is hereby acknowledged, and other good and valuable consideration, the Inventors

acknowledge the sale, transfer, and assignment, and do hereby sell, assign and transfer, unto

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

inventions, as described in the aforesaid application, in any form or embodiment thereof, and in

and to the aforesaid application, and in and to any patent, utility model or similar applications

(including original applications, divisional applications, continuation and continuation-in-part

applications) filed in the United States and any foreign country based thereon or otherwise

directed to said invention or inventions, including the right to file said foreign applications under

the provisions of any international convention, which includes the right to claim priority under

the Paris Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property and/or any other international

convention or agreement of local law, regulation, or provision for the making of a priority claim;

also in and to any improvements on said invention or inventions now or hereafter made by the

Inventors while providing services to Rheem and any such applications directed thereto filed in

the United States or any foreign country, including the right to claim priority under the Paris

Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property and/or any other international convention or

agreement or local law, regulation, or provision; also in and to any and all patents, utility models,

or similar granted rights, including all reexaminations, reissues, or extensions thereof, to be

obtained in this or any foreign country upon said invention, inventions, or improvements,

including any patents, utility models or similar rights issuing from the aforesaid applications, and

the Inventors hereby authorize and request the issuing authority to issue any and all patents,

utility models, or similar rights on said application or applications to Rheem as assigned of the

entire interest.

Further, the Inventors agree that they will communicate to Rheem all facts known to

them respecting said invention, and testify in any legal proceedings, sign all lawful papers, make

all rightful oaths, and generally do everything possible to Rheem, its successors and assigns, to

obtain and enforce patent or related intellectual property rights for said invention or inventions in

the United States and in any and all foreign countries.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, RHEEM MANUFACTURING COMPANY and the Inventors have caused this Assignment to be executed as of the dates indicated below.

RHEEM MANUFACTURING COMPANY

Date: 4/19/17

By: Coby Henry

Name: Coby Henry

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this day
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Shawn A. Reed
state of <u>Arkansas</u> ) county of <u>Selbastian</u> )
Personally appeared before me, Shawn A. Reed, to me known and known to me to be the person described and who executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged the same to be his act and deed in and for the purposes set forth in said instrument this day of, 2017.
Republic for Akansas
My Commission Expires: 5.8.17

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Personally appeared before me, Christopher R. Taylor, to me known and known to me to
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to be his act and deed in and for the purposes set forth in said instrument this day of
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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this day of, 2017.	
Tyson J. Cogburn	
state of <u>Anansas</u> ) county of <u>Sebastian</u> )	
Personally appeared before me, Tyson J. Cogburn, to me known and known to me to be the person described and who executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged the same to be his act and deed in and for the purposes set forth in said instrument this	О

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