# 504795243 02/27/2018

# PATENT ASSIGNMENT COVER SHEET

Electronic Version v1.1 Stylesheet Version v1.2 EPAS ID: PAT4841975

SUBMISSION TYPE:		NEW ASSIGNMENT	NEW ASSIGNMENT		
NATURE OF CONVEYANCE:		ASSIGNMENT	ASSIGNMENT		
CONVEYING PARTY D	ΑΤΑ	·			
		Name	Execution Date		
SAMUEL B. BRENEMAN	١		04/10/2013		
MICHAEL A. KAHWAJI			04/10/2013		
ANDREW C. KUBASIAK	-		04/10/2013		
JASON SCOTT LIND			04/11/2013		
<b>RECEIVING PARTY DA</b>	ТА				
Name:	WHIRLF	WHIRLPOOL CORPORATION			
Street Address:	2000 NORTH M-63				
City:	BENTO	BENTON HARBOR			
State/Country:	MICHIG	AN			
Postal Code:	49022				
PROPERTY NUMBERS	Total: 1				
Property Type		Number			
Application Number: 15		5902695			
CORRESPONDENCE D	ΔΤΔ				
Fax Number:		703)583-8301			
		the e-mail address first; if that is			
		; <i>if that is unsuccessful, it will be</i> 7035838300	sent via US Mail.		
Email:		nail@dwpatentlaw.com			
		DIEDERIKS & WHITELAW, PLC			
•		3885 HEDGEWOOD DR.	5 HEDGEWOOD DR.		
Address Line 2: SUITE 317					
Address Line 4:	V	WOODBRIDGE, VIRGINIA 22193			
ATTORNEY DOCKET NUMBER:		SUB-02834-US-CNT	SUB-02834-US-CNT		
NAME OF SUBMITTER:		EVERETT G. DIEDERIKS, JF	EVERETT G. DIEDERIKS, JR.		
SIGNATURE:		/Everett G. Diederiks, Jr./	/Everett G. Diederiks, Jr./		
DATE SIGNED:		02/27/2018	02/27/2018		
Total Attachments: 4					
source=Decl-Assign#page					
source=Decl-Assign#page	e2.tif				

## COMBINED ASSIGNMENT AND DECLARATION FOR UTILITY OR DESIGN APPLICATION USING AN APPLICATION DATA SHEET

	THIS DOCUMENT IS BEING SUBMITTED FOR DUAL PURPOSES
Title of	HINGED COOKTOP GRATE ASSEMBLY
Invention	
As the below name	d inventor, I hereby declare that:
is directed to:	United States application or PCT international application number
	filed on
The above-identifie	d application was made or authorized to be made by me.
I believe that I am t	he original inventor or an original joint inventor of a claimed invention in the application.
I hereby state that I acknowledge the d	reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims. I uty to disclose information material to patentability of this application in accordance with 37 C.F.R §1.56.
I hereby acknowled imprisonment of no	tge that any willful false statement made in this declaration is punishable under 18 U.S.C. 1001 by fine or It more than five (5) years, or both.
M-63, Benton Harb	LPOOL CORPORATION (hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNEE") having places of business at 2000 North or, Michigan 49022, U.S.A. is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and throughout the world;
receipt and sufficient unto said ASSIGNE including any and a and reissue of said a including the right accorded ASSIGNC treaties; and the ent	E, in accord with my obligations by law and/or agreement, and/or for good and valuable consideration, the new of are hereby acknowledged, I (hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNOR") hereby sell, assign and transfer E, the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and application throughout the United States, all United States Letters Patent granted on any division, continuation, continuation-in-part, reexamination application; and the entire right, title and interest in and to the said invention throughout the world, to apply for patents and inventor certificates in respect thereof and to claim priority pursuant to rights. We under terms of the Paris International Convention and all other available international conventions and ire right, title and to any and all patents, patents of addition, utility models, patents of tation patents and inventor certificates which may be granted throughout the world in respect of said
prosecution and ma and in foreign coun ASSIGNEE in and b but at no expense to information concerr testimony on behalf defense of any pater this instrument shal ASSIGNOR hereby Letters Patent referr ASSIGNEE'S sole us end of the term for y ASSIGNOR had this	thereby agrees to execute any documents that legally may be required in connection with the filing, intenance of said application or any other patent application(s) or inventor certificate(s) in the United States tries for said invention, including additional documents that may be required to affirm the rights of o said invention, all without further consideration. ASSIGNOR also agrees, without further consideration o ASSIGNOR, to identify and communicate to ASSIGNEE at ASSIGNEE'S request documents and ing the invention that are within ASSIGNOR'S possession or control and to provide further assurances and of ASSIGNEE that lawfully may be required of ASSIGNOR in respect of the prosecution, maintenance and of ASSIGNEE that lawfully may be required of ASSIGNOR in respect of the prosecution, maintenance and in application or patent encompassed within the terms of this instrument. ASSIGNOR'S obligations under lextend to ASSIGNOR'S heirs, executors, administrators and other legal representatives. authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any and all United States ed to above to ASSIGNEE, as the ASSIGNEE of the entire right, title and interest in and to the same, for se and behoof; and for the use and behoof of ASSIGNEE'S legal representatives and successors, to the full which such Letters Patent may be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by s agreement and sale not been made.
ASSIGNOR author in this document ne	izes any member or representative of WHIRLPOOL CORPORATION to insert or complete any information eded to effect its recordal in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.
LEGAL NAME OF I	NVENTOR
Inventor: SAMUEL B.	
Date: 4.10.1	2
	j

12699234665 >>

A76986735.7578-02834-US-NP

## COMBINED ASSIGNMENT AND DECLARATION FOR UTILITY OR DESIGN APPLICATION USING AN APPLICATION DATA SHEET

	THIS DOCUMENT IS BEING SUBMITTED FOR DUAL PURPOSES
Title of	HINGED COOKTOP GRATE ASSEMBLY
Invention	
As the below named inventor, I hereby of This declaration 🔀 The attached appli	lectare that: cation, or
is directed to: 🗍 United States appl	Ication or PCT International application number
filed on	
The above-identified application was ma	de or authorized to be made by me.
I believe that I am the original inventor o	r an original joint inventor of a claimed invention in the application.
I hereby state that I reviewed and under acknowledge the duty to disclose inform	stand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims. I ation material to patentability of this application in accordance with 37 C.F.R §1.56.
I hereby acknowledge that any willful fa imprisonment of not more than five (5) y	lse statement made in this declaration is punishable under 18 U.S.C. 1001 by fine or ears, or both.
WHEREAS, WHIRLPOOL CORPORAT M-63, Benton Harbor, Michigan 49022, in the United States and throughout the	TON (hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNEE") having places of business at 2000 North U.S.A. is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention world;
receipt and sufficiency of are hereby acknuttors and ASSIGNEE, the entire right, tit including any and all United States Letter and reissue of said application; and the elincluding the right to apply for patents a accorded ASSIGNOR under terms of the treaties; and the entire right, title and introduced the entire right.	obligations by law and/or agreement, and/or for good and valuable consideration, the nowledged. I (hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNOR") hereby sell, assign and transfer e and interest in and to said invention and application throughout the United States, rs Patent granted on any division, continuation, continuation-in-part, reexamination nitre right, title and interest in and to the said invention throughout the world, and inventor certificates in respect thereof and to claim priority pursuant to rights Paris International Convention and all other available international conventions and mest in and to any and all patents, patents of addition, utility models, patents of entor certificates which may be granted throughout the world in respect of said
prosecution and maintenance of said app and in foreign countries for said inventio ASSIGNEE in and to said invention, all w but at no expense to ASSIGNOR, to ident information concerning the invention tha testimony on behalf of ASSIGNEE that la defense of any patent application or pate this instrument shall extend to ASSIGNO	cute any documents that legally may be required in connection with the filing, lication or any other patent application(s) or inventor certificate(s) in the United States in, including additional documents that may be required to affirm the rights of lithout further consideration. ASSIGNOR also agrees, without further consideration ify and communicate to ASSIGNEE at ASSIGNEE'S request documents and t are within ASSIGNOR's possession or control and to provide further assurances and wfully may be required of ASSIGNOR in respect of the prosecution, maintenance and it encompassed within the terms of this instrument. ASSIGNOR's obligations under R'S heirs, executors, administrators and other legal representatives.
Letters Patent referred to above to ASSIG ASSIGNEE'S sole use and behoof; and for	ests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any and all United States NEE, as the ASSIGNEE of the entire right, title and interest in and to the same, for the use and behoof of ASSIGNEE'S legal representatives and successors, to the full tent may be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by not been made.
ASSIGNOR authorizes any member or r- in this document needed to effect its reco	presentative of WHIRLPOOL CORPORATION to insert or complete any information idal in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.
LEGAL NAME OF INVENTOR	and I a x-A
Inventor: MICHAEL A. KAHWAII Signa	we Muchael Ching
Date: 4/10/2013	$\sim$ $\circ$

#### COMBINED ASSIGNMENT AND DECLARATION FOR UTILITY OR DESIGN APPLICATION USING AN APPLICATION DATA SHEET.

	THIS DOCUMENT IS BEING SUBMITTED FOR DUAL PURPOSES			
Title of	HINGED COOKTOP GRATE ASSEMBLY			
Invention				
	ed inventor, I hereby declare that:			
	United States application or PCT international application number			
	filed on			
The above-identifie	ed application was made or authorized to be made by me.			
f believe that I am the original inventor or an original joint inventor of a claimed invention in the application.				
I hereby state that I reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims. I acknowledge the duty to disclose information material to patentability of this application in accordance with 37 C.F.R §1.56.				
I hereby acknowledge that any willful false statement made in this declaration is punishable under 18 U.S.C. 1001 by fine or imprisonment of not more than five (5) years, or both.				
WHEREAS, WHIRLPOOL CORPORATION (hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNEE") having places of business at 2000 North M-63, Benton Harbor, Michigan 49022, U.S.A. is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention in the United States and throughout the world;				
receipt and sufficie unto said ASSIGNI including any and and reissue of said including the right accorded ASSIGNO treaties; and the en	<b>RE</b> , in accord with my obligations by law and/or agreement, and/or for good and valuable consideration, the new of are hereby acknowledged, 1 (hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNOR") hereby sell, assign and transfer EE, the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and application throughout the United States, all United States Letters Patent granted on any division, continuation, continuation-in-part, reexamination application; and the entire right, title and interest in and to the said invention throughout the world, to apply for patents and inventor certificates in respect thereof and to claim priority pursuant to rights DR under terms of the Paris International Convention and all other available international conventions and tire right, title and interest in and all patents, patents of addition, utility models, patents of dation patents and inventor certificates which may be granted throughout the world in respect of said			
prosecution and m and in foreign cour ASSIGNEE in and but at no expense t information concer testimony on behal defense of any pate	R hereby agrees to execute any documents that legally may be required in connection with the filing, aintenance of said application or any other patent application(s) or inventor certificate(s) in the United States atries for said invention, including additional documents that may be required to affirm the rights of to said invention, all without further consideration. ASSIGNOR also agrees, without further consideration o ASSIGNOR, to identify and communicate to ASSIGNEE at ASSIGNEE'S request documents and ning the invention that are within ASSIGNOR'S possession or control and to provide further assurances and f of ASSIGNEE that lawfully may be required of ASSIGNOR in respect of the prosecution, maintenance and mit application or patent encompassed within the terms of this instrument. ASSIGNOR'S obligations under il extend to ASSIGNOR'S heirs, executors, administrators and other legal representatives.			
Letters Patent refer ASSIGNEE'S sole u end of the term for	y authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any and all United States red to above to ASSIGNEE, as the ASSIGNEE of the entire right, title and interest in and to the same, for se and behoof; and for the use and behoof of ASSIGNEE'S legal representatives and successors, to the full which such Letters Patent may be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by is agreement and sale not been made.			
	rizes any member or representative of WHIRLPOOL CORPORATION to insert or complete any information reded to effect its recordal in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.			
LEGAL NAME OF	INVENTOR & & .			
Inventor: ANDREW C. KUBASIAK Signature: AYAs				
Date: <u>4.10.2</u> 0	17			

#### COMBINED ASSIGNMENT AND DECLARATION FOR UTILITY OR DESIGN APPLICATION USING AN APPLICATION DATA SHEET

THIS DOCUMENT IS BRING SUBMITTED FOR DUAL PURPOSES				
Title of HINGED COOKTOP GRATE ASSEMBLY				
Invention				
As the below named inventor, I hereby declare that: This declaration 🔯 The attached application, or				
is directed to: United States application or PCT international application number				
filed on				
The above-identified application was made or authorized to be made by me.				
I believe that I am the original inventor or an original joint inventor of a claimed invention in the application.				
I hereby state that I reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims. I acknowledge the duty to disclose information material to patentability of this application in accordance with 37 C.F.R §1.56.				
I hereby acknowledge that any willful false statement made in this declaration is punishable under 18 U.S.C. 1001 by fine or imprisonment of not more than five (5) years, or both.				
WHEREAS, WHIRLPOOL CORPORATION (hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNEE") having places of business at 2000 North M-63, Benton Harbor, Michigan 49022, U.S.A. is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention in the United States and throughout the world;				
NOW, THEREFORE, in accord with my obligations by law and/or agreement, and/or for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of are hereby acknowledged, I (hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNOR") hereby sell, assign and transfer unto said ASSIGNEE, the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and application throughout the United States, including any and all United States Letters Patent granted on any division, continuation, continuation-in-part, reexamination and reissue of said application; and the entire right, title and interest in and to the said invention throughout the world, including the right to apply for patents and inventor certificates in respect thereof and to claim priority pursuant to rights accorded ASSIGNOR under terms of the Paris International Convention and all other available international conventions and treaties; and the entire right, title and interest in and to any and all patents, patents of addition, utility models, patents of importation, revalidation patents and inventor certificates which may be granted throughout the world in respect of said invention.				
ALSO, ASSIGNOR hereby agrees to execute any documents that legally may be required in connection with the filing, prosecution and maintenance of said application or any other patent application(s) or inventor certificate(s) in the United States and in foreign countries for said invention, including additional documents that may be required to affirm the rights of ASSIGNEE in and to said invention, all without further consideration. ASSIGNOR also agrees, without further consideration but at no expense to ASSIGNOR, to identify and communicate to ASSIGNEE at ASSIGNEE's request documents and information concerning the invention that are within ASSIGNOR'S possession or control and to provide further assurances and testimony on behalf of ASSIGNEE that lawfully may be required of ASSIGNOR in respect of the prosecution, maintenance and defense of any patent application or patent encompassed within the terms of this instrument. ASSIGNOR's obligations under this instrument shall extend to ASSIGNOR's heirs, executors, administrators and other legal representatives. ASSIGNOR hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any and all United States Letters Patent referred to above to ASSIGNEE, as the ASSIGNEE of the entire right, title and interest in and to the same, for ASSIGNEE's ole use and behoof; and for the use and behoof of ASSIGNEE's legal representatives and successors, to the full end of the term for which such Letters Patent may be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by ASSIGNOR had this agreement and sale not been made.				
LEGAL NAME OF INVENTOR Inventor: JASON SCOTT LIND Signature:				
Inventor, JASON SCOTT LIND Signature:				
Date: <u>7.11.13</u>				

RECORDED: 02/27/2018