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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, I, James G. Schultz, a citizen of the United States of America, residing at 45 N Buesching Unit 212, Lake Zurich, Illinois 60047, am an inventor of an invention entitled "APPARATUS FOR TOWING A WATER SPORTS PERFORMER," for which an application for Letters Patent of the United States was filed on June 21, 2017, and assigned Application No. 15/628,791; and whereas I made said invention in the course of my employment by Gere Marie Corporation, an Illinois corporation having an address of 1030 Commerce Drive, Lake Zurich, Illinois 60047, and whereas I agree that, as a condition of my employment, all right, title, and interest in, to, and under any inventions made by me in the course of the employment inures to the benefit of said Gere Marie Corporation, and whereas said Gere Marie Corporation has paid me the compensation agreed upon for my services as an employee;

NOW, THEREFORE, I hereby acknowledge that I have sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over, unto said Gere Marie Corporation, its successors, legal representatives, and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in, to, and under said invention, together with said application and any and all later-filed applications based thereon, including divisions, renewals, and continuations, and all Letters Patent of the United States which may be granted on such applications, and all reissues and extensions thereof, and all applications for Letters Patent or Certificate of Invention which may hereafter be filed for said invention in any country or countries foreign to the United States, and all Letters Patent and Certificates of Invention that may be granted for said invention in any country or countries foreign to the United States, and all extensions, renewals, and reissues thereof, and all rights of priority in any such country or countries based upon the filing of said applications for Letters Patent of the United States which are created by any law, treaty, or international convention; and I hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States, and any official of any country or countries foreign to the United States whose duty it is to issue Letters Patent or Certificates of Invention on applications as aforesaid, to issue all Letters Patent and Certificates of Invention for said inventions to Gere Marie Corporation, its successors, legal representatives, and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this instrument.


AND I HEREBY consent that a copy of this assignment shall be deemed a full and formal equivalent of any assignment, consent to file, or like document which may be required in any country or region for any purpose, and more particularly in proof of the right of my assignee or its nominees to claim the aforesaid benefit of the right of priority provided by the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, as amended, or by any convention which may henceforth be substituted for it.

AND 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.

AND I HEREBY further covenant and agree that I will communicate to said Gere Marie Corporation, 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 Gere Marie Corporation, its successors, legal representatives, and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper Letters Patent or Certificate of Invention protection for said invention in all countries.

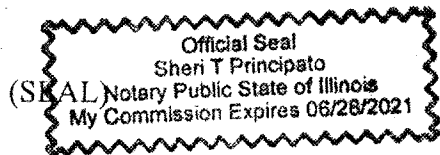
IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hands and seals the day and year set opposite my signature.

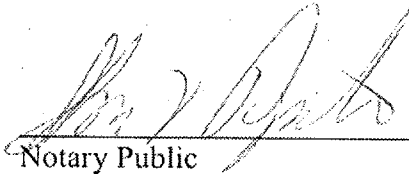
Date: June 11, 2018


James G. Schultz L.S.

STATE OF ILLINOIS)
) ss.
COUNTY OF LAKE)

On this 11 day of JUNE, 2018, before me, a Notary Public, did personally appear James G. Schultz, to me known and 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.




Notary Public