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T U.S. DEPT. OF COMMERCE  
PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

To The Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks: Please record ~~the~~ attached original documents or copy thereof.

1. Name of conveying party(ies):  
Hydro Group, Inc.

- Individual(s)
- General Partnership
- Corporation--State New York
- Other:

Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached?  
 Yes  No

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies):

Name: Layne Christensen Company

Internal Address:

Street Address: 1900 Shawnee Mission Parkway

City: Mission Woods State: KS Zip: 66205

- Individual(s) citizenship
- Association
- General Partnership
- Limited Partnership
- Corporation--State Delaware
- Other:

If assignee is not domiciled in the United States, a domestic representative designation is attached:  Yes  No

(Designations must be a separate document from assignment)

Additional name(s) & address(es) attached?  Yes  No

3. Nature of Conveyance:

- Assignment
- Merger
- Security Agreement
- Change of Name
- Other:

Execution Date: March 25, 1998

4. Application number(s) or registration number(s):

A. Trademark Application No(s):

B. Trademark Registration No(s): 1,185,637; 1,375,703;  
1,414,502; 1,451,314

Additional numbers attached?  Yes  No

5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:

Name: Richard R. Johnson

Internal Address: Shook, Hardy & Bacon L.L.P.  
One Kansas City Place

Street Address: 1200 Main Street

City: Kansas City

State: Missouri

Zip: 64105-2118

6. Total number of applications and registrations involved ... 4

7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41) ... \$115.00

- Enclosed
- Authorized to be charged to deposit account any deficiencies.

8. Deposit Account No.: 19-2112

(Attach duplicate copy of this page if paying by deposit account)

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9. Statement and signature.

To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document.

Clinton G. Newton

July 9, 1998

Name of person signing

Signature

Date

Total number of pages including cover sheet, attachments, and document: 2

Mail documents to be recorded with required cover sheet information to:  
Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Box Assignments  
Washington, D.C. 20231

ASSIGNMENT OF TRADEMARK

WHEREAS, Hydro Group, Inc., a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the state of New York, with principal offices at 1011 Route 22, Bridgewater, New Jersey 08807, is owner of the following marks and United States Trademark Registrations:

Table with 3 columns: Reg. No., Issued, Trademark. Rows include registration numbers 1,185,637, 1,375,703, 1,414,502, 1,451,314 and their respective issue dates and trademarks (RANNEY, HYDRO GROUP & Des., HYDRO GROUP).

WHEREAS, Layne Christensen Company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the state of Delaware with principal offices at 1900 Shawnee Mission Parkway, Mission Woods, Kansas 66205, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to the marks and the foregoing registrations, including the goodwill of the business symbolized by the marks.

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and adequacy of which is hereby acknowledged, Hydro Group, Inc. has sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents does hereby sell, assign transfer and set over, unto said Layne Christensen Company, as of March 25, 1998, the entire right, title and interest in and to the above listed marks and the above listed registrations, together with the goodwill of the business symbolized by the marks, and the right to recover for past infringement of said marks, to have and to hold the same to the full end of the term of said marks as fully and completely as the same might have been held by Hydro Group, Inc. had this sale and assignment not been made.

HYDRO GROUP, INC.

By [Signature] Name: G. M. Stahlman Title: President

STATE OF NEW JERSEY ) ) SS. COUNTY OF [Signature]

I, [Signature], a Notary Public, in and for the State and County aforesaid, do hereby certify that on this 25th day of March, 1998, appeared before me [Signature], who is known to be the President of Hydro Group, Inc., and who did sign the foregoing assignment on behalf of the said corporation.

Notary Public

ROBERTA SALIERNO A Notary Public of New Jersey My Commission Expires March 25, 2003

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My Commission Expires: \_\_\_\_\_

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