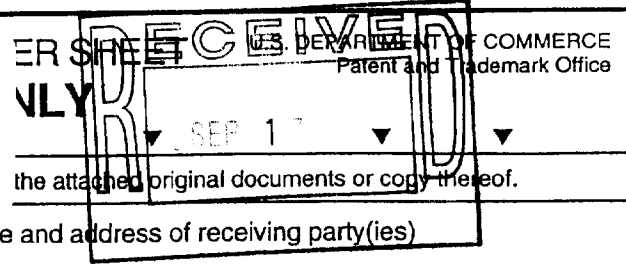


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the attached original documents or copy thereof.

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To the Honorable Commissione

1. Name of conveying party(ies):

Index Industries, Inc.

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies)

Name:

Internal Address: BetzDearborn Inc.

Street Address: 4636 Somerton Road

City: Trevoise State: PA ZIP: 19053

Individual(s) citizenship

Association

General Partnership

Limited Partnership

Corporation-State Pennsylvania

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

- Individual(s) Association
General Partnership Limited Partnership
Corporation-State (Michigan)
Other

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

3. Nature of conveyance:

- Assignment Merger
Security Agreement Change of Name
Other

Execution Date: 9/8/98

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

A. Trademark Application No.(s)

75/377,570

B. Trademark Registration No.(s)

Additional numbers attached? Yes No

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

Name: Daniel L. Girdwood

Internal Address: Price, Heneveld, Cooper, DeWitt & Litton

Street Address: 695 Kenmoor, S.E. P.O. Box 2567

City: Grand Rapids State: MI ZIP: 49501

6. Total number of applications and registrations involved: 1

7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41).....\$ 40.00

Enclosed

Authorized to be charged to deposit account

8. Deposit account number:

(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.

Daniel L. Girdwood

Name of Person Signing

[Handwritten Signature]

Signature

9/14/98

Date

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Examiner : Kelly Grannan  
Law Office : 105  
Applicant : Index Industries, Inc.  
Serial No. : 75/377,570  
Filed : October 24, 1997  
For : DIEVANATE

Assistant Commissioner for Trademarks  
2900 Crystal Drive  
Arlington, Virginia 2202-3513

Dear Sir:

ASSIGNMENT OF TRADEMARKS

WHEREAS, Index Industries, Inc., a business concern in the state of Michigan, having a place of business at 1645 Eastern Avenue, S.E., Grand Rapids, Michigan 49507 (hereinafter referred to as "Assignor"), having an ongoing and existing business, intends to use or has adopted, used, and is using the trademark DIEVANATE for which U.S. Trademark Application No. 75/377,570 has been filed with the United States Patent and Trademark Office.

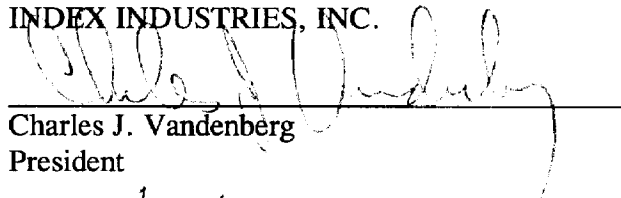
WHEREAS, pursuant to the terms of a certain Purchase Agreement dated 7/1, 1998, BetzDearborn Inc., a business concern in the state of Pennsylvania, having a place of business at 4636 Somerton Road, P.O. Box 3002, Trevoze, Pennsylvania 19053-6783 (hereinafter referred to as "Assignee"), is the successor to the business of Assignor to which said trademark and trademark application pertains.

WHEREAS, Assignee is desirous of acquiring title to said trademark and said application and to all of the goodwill appurtenant thereto.

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, said Assignor does hereby assign to said assignee all its rights, title, and interest in and to said trademark and said trademark application, and the goodwill of the business symbolized thereby.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand on the date appearing below my signature.

Witness:  
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INDEX INDUSTRIES, INC.  
By:   
Charles J. Vandenberg  
President  
Date 9/8/98