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To the Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Tradem.

1. Name of conveying party(ies):

James Hardie Irrigation, Inc.

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

Additional names(s) of conveying party(ies) Yes No

3. Nature of conveyance:

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

Execution Date: 2/16/99

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

Name: The Toro Company

Internal Address:

Street Address: 5825 Jasmine Street

City: Riverside State: CA ZIP: 92504

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

If assignee is not domiciled in the United States, a domestic designation is Yes N
(Designations must be a separate document from Additional name(s) & address(es) Yes N

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

A. Trademark Application No.(s)

B. Trademark Registration No.(s)

1,794,852

Additional numbers Yes No

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

Name: Richard L. Myers

Internal Address:

Myers, Dawes & Andras

Street Address: 650 Town Center Drive

Sixth Floor

City: Costa Mesa State: CA ZIP: 92626

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

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

- Enclosed
- Authorized to be charged to deposit account

8. Deposit account number: 13-5117

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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.

R. L. MYERS

2/22/99

Name of Person Signing

Signature

Date

Total number of pages including cover sheet, attachments, and

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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, James Hardie Irrigation, Inc., a corporation of the State of Nevada, having its place of business at 5825 Jasmine Street, Riverside, California 92504 (hereinafter called "ASSIGNOR"), is sole owner by Certificate of Amendment of Articles of Incorporation of the entire right, title and interest in and to the following described trademark and United States application for registration thereof.

Trademark: SNAP-JET
Registration No.: 1,794,852
Registration Date: September 28, 1993

and

WHEREAS, The Toro Company, a corporation of the State of Delaware, having its place of business at 5825 Jasmine Street, Riverside, California 92504 (hereinafter called "ASSIGNEE"), is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to the aforesaid trademark in the United States of America, and in any and all countries foreign thereto;

NOW, THEREFORE, TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN, be it known that, for and in consideration of the sum of ONE DOLLAR (\$1.00) paid to Assignor by the said Assignee, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, by these present does sell, assign and transfer unto said Assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, the full and exclusive right, title and interest for the territory of the United States of America and all countries foreign thereto (including the right to apply for trademarks in foreign countries in its own name and to claim any priority rights for such foreign applications to which such applications are entitled under international conventions, treaties or otherwise), in and to the said trademark as described in said application, and in and to all trademark registrations granted thereon, and Assignor hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue all Registrations of said trademark resulting therefrom to said Assignee, as assignee of the entire right, title and interest, and Assignor covenants that it has full right so to do and agrees that it will communicate to said Assignee, or its successors, any and all facts known to it regarding said trademark whenever requested and will testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, and generally do everything possible to aid said Assignee, its successors and assigns, to obtain and enforce trademark protection for said mark in all countries.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, Assignor has caused these present to be signed by the president thereunto duly authorized as of the 16th day of February 1998.



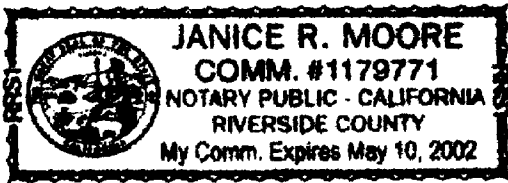
Richard W. Parod, President
James Hardie Irrigation, Inc.

State of California)
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County of Riverside)

On February 16, 1999, before me Janice R. Moore, Notary Public, personally appeared Richard W. Parod personally known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same in his authorized capacity, and that by his signature on the instrument the person or the entity upon behalf of which the person acted, executed the instrument.

Witness my hand and official seal.

Signature Janice R. Moore



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