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1. Name of conveying party(ies):

Compression Controls Corporation

- Individual
- General Partnership
- Corporation-State of Iowa
- Other
- Association
- Limited Partnership

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

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

Name: Roper Holdings, Inc.

Address: 300 Delaware Ave., Suite 1704

City: Wilmington State: Delaware ZIP: 19801

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

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

(Designation must be a separate document from Assignment)
Additional name(s) & address(es) attached? Yes No

3. Nature of conveyance:

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

Execution Date: June 9, 1999

4(a). Trademark Application No.(s):
75/455,707; 75/455,708

4(b). Trademark Registration No.(s): 1,221,255; 1,396,559
1,398,132; 1,398,133; 1,929,948; 1,943,620; 1,947,736
1,981,381

Additional numbers attached? Yes No

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

Name Gregory T. Gronholm, Esq.

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6. Total number of applications and registrations involved: 10

7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41) enclosed: \$ 265.00 **11**

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8. Statement and signature.

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Gregory T. Gronholm
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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, **COMPRESSOR CONTROLS CORPORATION**, a corporation of the State of Iowa, having its principal place of business at 11359 Aurora Avenue, Des Moines, Iowa 50322 USA (hereinafter "ASSIGNOR"), is the record owner in the United States Patent and Trademark Office of certain applications for Letters Patent of the United States of America and Letters Patent of the United States of America as listed in Schedules A and B attached hereto and hereafter collectively referred to as "Patents" and of certain applications for trademark registration and certificates of registration as listed in Schedules C and D attached hereto and hereafter collectively referred to as "Trademarks"; and

WHEREAS, **ROPER HOLDINGS, INC.**, a corporation of the State of Delaware, having a place of business at Suite 1704, 300 Delaware Avenue, Wilmington, Delaware 19801 USA (hereinafter, "ASSIGNEE") is desirous of acquiring an interest in the same;

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of Five Dollars (\$5.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNOR by these presents does sell, assign and transfer unto ASSIGNEE the full, exclusive and entire right, title, and interest in and to said Patents and Trademarks, in and to any divisions, continuations, and reissues thereof, including the right to sue for damages and other remedies in respect of any infringement of said Patents and Trademarks which may have occurred before the date of this assignment; and ASSIGNOR hereby requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any and all Letters Patent of the United States resulting from said Patents, or from a division, continuation, or reissue thereof, or any and all certificates of registration resulting from said Trademarks, to ASSIGNEE, as the assignee, for its interest and for the sole use and benefit of ASSIGNEE and its assigns and legal representatives.

For the same consideration, ASSIGNOR by these presents does sell, assign, and transfer to ASSIGNEE the full, exclusive, and entire right, title and interest in and to any foreign

application or applications corresponding to said Patents and Trademarks, in whole or in part, in countries other than the United States, in and to any Letters Patent and similar protective rights granted on said foreign applications, and in and to the right to claim any applicable priority rights arising from or required for said foreign applications under the terms of any applicable conventions, treaties, statutes, or regulations, said foreign applications to be filed and issued in the name of ASSIGNEE, or its designee insofar as permitted by applicable law.

AND, for the same consideration, ASSIGNOR agrees to sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuing, reissue and other applications, make all assignments and rightful oaths, and generally do everything possible to aid ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns, and nominees, to obtain and enforce proper protection for all said Patents and Trademarks in all countries throughout the world.

ASSIGNOR hereby covenants that no assignment, sale, agreement or encumbrance has been or will be made or entered into which would conflict with this assignment and sale.

ASSIGNOR further agrees that all necessary records of ASSIGNOR to establish priority of invention in any interference or similar proceeding will be made available at no additional charge to ASSIGNEE, in the event such records are needed in connection with any of the assigned Patents or Trademarks.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Assignment to be executed by its duly authorized officers and its seal to be affixed, this 9th day of June, 1999.

ASSIGNOR: COMPRESSOR CONTROLS
CORPORATION

[Corporate Seal]

By: 
A. Donald O'Steen, Vice-President

CERTIFICATE OF ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

STATE OF GEORGIA

Before me, the undersigned attesting officer duly authorized to administer oaths, a Notary Public in and for the county aforesaid, on this 9th day of June, 1999, personally appeared A. DONALD O'STEEN, to me known personally, and who, being by me duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the VICE-PRESIDENT of COMPRESSOR CONTROLS CORPORATION, and that the seal affixed to the foregoing instrument is the corporate seal of said corporation, and that said instrument was signed and sealed on behalf of said corporation by authority of its Board of Directors, and said A. DONALD O'STEEN acknowledged said instrument to be the free act and deed of said corporation.

Amanda J. Collins
NOTARY PUBLIC

(SEAL)

My Commission Expires:

Notary Public, Madison County, Georgia
My Commission Expires March 4, 2003

J&A Docket: 18536-6007

Schedule A

U.S. Patents

| <u>U.S. Patent No.</u> | <u>Issue Date</u> |
|------------------------|--------------------|
| 4,486,142 | December 4, 1984 |
| 4,494,006 | January 15, 1985 |
| 4,640,665 | February 3, 1987 |
| 4,949,276 | August 14, 1990 |
| 5,347,467 | September 13, 1994 |
| 5,508,943 | April 16, 1996 |
| 5,599,161 | February 4, 1997 |
| 5,609,465 | March 11, 1997 |
| 5,622,042 | April 22, 1997 |
| 5,699,267 | December 16, 1997 |
| 5,743,715 | April 28, 1998 |
| 5,752,378 | May 19, 1998 |

Schedule B

U.S. Patent Applications

| <u>Serial No.</u> | <u>Filing Date</u> |
|-------------------|--------------------|
| 08/761,124 | December 6, 1996 |
| 08/844,606 | April 21, 1997 |
| 08/976,308 | November 21, 1997 |
| 08/996,891 | December 23, 1997 |
| 09/008,869 | January 20, 1998 |

Schedule C

U.S. Trademark Registrations

| <u>Registration No.</u> | <u>Registration Date</u> |
|-------------------------|--------------------------|
| 1,221,255 | December 21, 1982 |
| 1,396,559 | June 10, 1986 |
| 1,398,132 | June 17, 1986 |
| 1,398,133 | June 17, 1986 |
| 1,929,948 | October 24, 1995 |
| 1,943,620 | December 26, 1995 |
| 1,947,736 | January 9, 1996 |
| 1,981,381 | June 18, 1996 |

Schedule D

U.S. Trademark Applications

| <u>Serial No.</u> | <u>Filing Date</u> |
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| 75/455,707 | March 24, 1998 |
| 75/455,708 | March 24, 1998 |