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Name SUPPLY SALES CO.

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Formerly

- Individual General Partnership Limited Partnership Corporation Association
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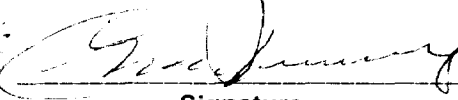
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THE NEWDELL COMPANY By: Charles E. Hulbert  V.P. 03-29-00

Name of Person Signing Signature Date Signed

ASSIGNMENT OF TRADEMARK

WHEREAS Grinnell Corporation ("Grinnell"), a Delaware corporation, and Supply Sales Co. ("Supply Sales"), a Delaware corporation, together with related entities, entered into a stock and asset purchase agreement dated August 13, 1999 which called for, among other things, the sale and assignment to Supply Sales of certain Grinnell assets, including intellectual property of the Grinnell Supply Sales Division:

WHEREAS Grinnell wishes to assign to Supply Sales, and Supply Sales wishes to acquire a certain trademark known as the "Smith and Design" trademark, together with related goodwill and including the right to sue for past infringement thereunder, as registered with the United States Patent and Trademark Office, Registration Number 915,378 (the "Trademark");

WHEREAS Supply Sales and The Newdell Company ("Newdell"), a Texas corporation, have entered into an asset purchase agreement dated March 2, 2000 which calls for the sale and assignment from Supply Sales to Newdell of certain assets, including the Trademark;

NOW THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, the parties hereto agree as follows:

Grinnell does hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over unto Supply Sales its entire right, title and interest in, to and under the Trademark, together with the goodwill of the business in connection with which the Trademark is used. Supply Sales hereby acknowledges the rights of RFPC Holding Corp. as licensee of the Trademark to the extent set forth in that certain Asset Purchase Agreement by and among Smith Valve Corporation, RFPC Holding Corp. and Westinghouse Railway (Canada), Ltd., dated as of February 27, 1995. For purposes of this assignment, Supply Sales agrees to be subject to the obligations of Smith Valve under that certain Trademark Maintenance Agreement dated as of March 1, 1995 by and between Smith Valve and RFPC.

Supply Sales in turn does hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over unto Newdell its entire right, title and interest in, to and under the Trademark, together with the goodwill of the business in connection with which the Trademark is used. Newdell hereby acknowledges the rights of RFPC Holding Corp. as licensee of the Trademark to the extent set forth in that certain Asset Purchase Agreement by and among Smith Valve Corporation, RFPC Holding Corp. and Westinghouse Railway (Canada), Ltd., dated as of February 27, 1995. Newdell agrees to be subject to the obligations of Smith Valve under that certain Trademark Maintenance Agreement dated as of March 1, 1995 by and between Smith Valve and RFPC.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, on this 2ND day of March, 2000, Grinnell, Supply Sales and Newdel have each in turn executed this Assignment of Trademark.

GRINNELL CORPORATION

SUPPLY SALES CO., INC.

BY: M. Brian Moroze

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ITS: Director and Secretary

BY: Thomas E Fish

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V.P. Finance

THE NEWDELL COMPANY

BY: David W. Scott

ITS: President

Linda M. Farrell

LINDA M. FARRELL, Notary Public
My Commission Expires August 18, 2004