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The Fairbanks Company

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- Corporation - California
- Other:
- Association
- Limited Partnership

Additional name(s) of conveying parties attached? Yes No

3. Nature of conveyance:

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

Effective Date: January 19, 2001

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

Name: **Zidell Valve Corporation**
Address: **10600 Corporate Drive**
Stafford, Texas 77477

- Individual(s) Citizenship
- Association
- General Partnership
- Limited Partnership
- Corporation - 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(s) attached: Yes No

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

A. Trademark Application No.(s)

B.

Trademark Registration No.(s)

49,354

Additional Numbers attached? Yes No

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

Name: **Jonathan D. Reichman, Esq.**
Address: **KENYON & KENYON**
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New York, New York 10004

6. Total number of applications and registrations involved:

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TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT

This Assignment, effective as and from this 19th day of January, 2001 is from The Fairbanks Company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of California, whose principal place of Business is at 202 Division Street, Rome, Georgia 30161 (hereinafter the "Assignor"), to Zidell Valve Corporation, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, whose principal place of business is at 10600 Corporate Drive, Stafford, Texas 77477 (hereinafter the "Assignee").

WITNESSETH THAT:

WHEREAS, the Assignor is the owner of all right, title and interest in and to the U.S. registration which is identified in Schedule "A" hereto: and

WHEREAS, the Assignee wishes to acquire from Assignor all of Assignor's right, title and interest in and to the said registration described above, together with the "F and Design" Trademark for valves as shown in the registration and any goodwill of the business appertaining thereto and symbolized thereby.

NOW THEREFORE, to all whom it may concern, be it known that for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the Assignor by these presents does hereby assign, sell transfer, bequeath, and convey unto the Assignee its entire right, title and interest in and to the said "F and Design" trademark for valves, including without limitation all common law rights therein which is identified in Schedule "A" hereto, together with the right to sue and recover for the past infringement thereof, and the goodwill of the business appertaining thereto and which is symbolized thereby,

The Fairbanks Company

Date: January 19, 2001

By: 
Robert P. Lahre, President

SCHEDULE "A"

Trademark

Registration No.

Registration Date

"F and Design"

49,354

January 30, 1986