

Handwritten initials "D" and "H" at the top center.

07-03-2001



101768066

FORM PTO-1594 (Rev. 6-93) OMB No. 0651-0011 (exp. 4/94)

RECORDATION FORM COVER SHEET TRADEMARKS ONLY

Tab settings

To the Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks: Please record the attached original documents or copy thereof.

1. Name of conveying party(ies):

Castex Incorporated

Handwritten: 6.18.01

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

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

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies)

Name: Tennant Company

Internal Address:

Street Address: 701 North Lilac Drive P.O. Box 1452

City: Minneapolis State: MN ZIP: 55440

- Individual(s) citizenship, Association, General Partnership, Limited Partnership, Corporation-State Minnesota, 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

3. Nature of conveyance:

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

Execution Date:

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

A. Trademark Application No.(s)

75/666,436 75/717,353 75/717,354

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: Hugh D. Jaeger

Internal Address:

Street Address:

1000 Superior Blvd., Suite 302

City: Wayzata State: MN ZIP: 55391

6. Total number of applications and registrations involved:

3

7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41).....\$ 90.00

- Enclosed, Authorized to be charged to deposit account

8. Deposit account number:

10-0230

(Attach duplicate copy of this page if paying by deposit account)

DO NOT USE THIS SPACE

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.

Hugh D. Jaeger

Name of Person Signing

Handwritten signature: HD Jaeger

Signature

6.13.01

Date

Total number of pages including cover sheet, attachments, and document:

Mail documents to be recorded with required cover sheet information to: Commissioner of Patents & Trademarks, Box Assignments Washington, D.C. 20231

TRADEMARK REEL: 002322 FRAME: 0976

ASSIGNMENT OF APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION OF A MA



06-18-2001

U.S. Patent & TMO/TM Mail Rpt Dt. #26

Whereas Castex Incorporated  
(name of assignor)  
of 12875 Ransom Street, Holland, MI 49424  
(address)  
has adopted and is using a mark for which said assignor has filed application in the United States Patent and Trade-

mark Office for registration, Serial No. 75/666,436 ; and 75/717,353 & 75/717,354; and

Whereas Tennant Company  
(name of assignee)  
of 701 North Lilac Drive, P.O. Box 1452, Minneapolis, MN 55440-1452  
(address)

is desirous of acquiring said mark;

Now, therefore, for good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, said

Castex Incorporated

(name of assignor)

does hereby assign

unto the said

Tennant Company

(name of assignee)

all right, title and interest in and to the said mark, together with the good will of the business symbolized by the mark, and the above identified application for registration of said mark.

The Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks is requested to issue the certificate of registration to said assignee.

2 CASTEX INCORPORATED

June 12, 2001  
Date

(signature of assignor. If assignor is a corporation or other juristic organization, give the official title of the person who signs for assignor)  
James J. Seifert, Vice President & Secretary

Certificate of Mailing

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Assistant Commissioner for Trademarks, 2900 Crystal Drive, Arlington, VA 22202-3513, on 6-14-01

J. A. RATH  
Name of Person Making Deposit

Signature

6-14-01  
Date of Signature

\* The wording of the acknowledgment may vary from this illustration but should be wording acceptable under the law of the jurisdiction where the document is executed; the person who signs the acknowledgment must be authorized to do so by the law of the jurisdiction where the document is executed, and the seal or stamp of the notary, or other evidence of authority in the jurisdiction of execution, must be affixed.

FOOTNOTES

(1) If the postal address of the assignee is not given either in the instrument or in an accompanying paper, registration to the assignee may be delayed pending receipt of such address.

(2) If assignee is not domiciled in the United States, a domestic representative must be designated. See form 4.4, changing the word "applicant" to "assignee."

May 11, 1999

Receipt on the DATE OF FILING of the application for registration and filing fees is acknowledged for the mark identified below. The DATE OF FILING is contingent upon the collection of any payment made by check or draft. Your application will be considered in the order in which it was received and you will be notified as to the examination thereof. Action on the merits should be expected from the Patent and Trademark Office in approximately 06 months from the filing date. When inquiring about this application, include the SERIAL NUMBER, DATE OF FILING, OWNER NAME, and MARK.

MAY 17 1999

ANNE L. SHINIER  
TENNANT, 701 NORTH LILAC DRIVE  
P.O. BOX 1452  
MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55440-1452

ATTORNEY  
REFERENCE NUMBER

**PLEASE REVIEW THE ACCURACY OF THE FILING RECEIPT DATA.**

A request for correction to the filing receipt should be submitted within 30 days to the following address: ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR TRADEMARKS, 2900 CRYSTAL DRIVE, ARLINGTON, VIRGINIA 22202-3513. The correspondence should be marked to the attention of the Office of Trademark Program Control. The Patent and Trademark Office will review the request and make corrections when appropriate.

SERIAL NUMBER: 75/666436  
FILING DATE: Mar 23, 1999  
REGISTER: Principal  
LAW OFFICE: 104  
MARK: BLUESTAR  
MARK TYPE(S): Trademark  
DRAWING TYPE: Words, letters, or numbers in typed form  
FILING BASIS: Sect. 1(b) (Intent to Use)

OWNER: CASTEX INCORPORATED (MICHIGAN, Corporation)  
12875 Ransom Street  
Holland, MICHIGAN 49424

FOR: vacuum cleaners, carpet extractors, floor scrubbers, blowers, wet/dry vacuums, power operated burnishers, buffers, portable carpet and upholstery spot cleaners  
INT. CLASS: 007

ALL OF THE GOODS/SERVICES IN EACH CLASS ARE LISTED