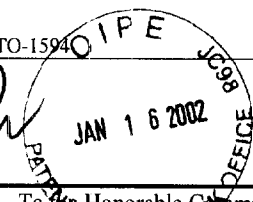


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To the Honorable Commissioner of P.

...the attached original documents or copy thereof.

1. Name of conveying party(ies): Fleet Capital Corporation

- Individual(s)
- General Partnership
- Corporation of
- Other Financial Institute
- Association
- Limited Partnership

Date of execution of attached Document: July 20, 2001

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

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

Name: Kendro Laboratory Products, L.P.

Address: 275 Aiken Road

Street Address:

City: Asheville State/Country: NC ZIP: 28804

- Individual(s) citizenship _____
- Association _____
- General Partnership _____
- Limited Partnership _____
- Corporation _____
- 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 Description/TAB

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

A. Trademark Application No.(s)

B. Trademark Registration Number(s): 1,834,379; 1,842,284; 803,052; 1,525,412; 1,899,584; 1,521,657; 1,818,398; 1,899,590; 1,959,224; 1,899,589; 2,127,643; 2,247,897; 2,082,159; 1,994,221

Additional numbers attached? Yes No.

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

Name: Dennis P. Cawley
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Washington Square, Suite 1100
1050 Connecticut Avenue, N.W.
Washington, D.C 20036-5304

6. Total number of applications and registrations involved: 14

7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41)..... \$365.00

- Enclosed
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8. Deposit account number: 50-2036

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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.

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Name of Person Signing

Signature

Date 1/16/2002

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**RELEASE OF ASSIGNMENT FOR SECURITY OF
PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS**

THIS RELEASE is made as of this 20th day of July, 2001, by Fleet Capital Corporation, as Administrative Agent ("Fleet") in favor of Kendro Laboratory Products, L.P. (formerly known as Sorvall Products, L.P.), a Delaware limited partnership ("Company").

FOR GOOD AND VALUABLE CONSIDERATION, the receipt and adequacy of which are hereby acknowledged, Fleet hereby unconditionally and expressly releases, terminates, and extinguishes any and all of its right, title and interest in and to, and any and all liens and security interests it may have upon, all of the trademarks and patents listed on Exhibit A attached hereto and made a part hereof, which liens and security interests were established under and pursuant to that certain Credit Agreement, dated as of April 30, 1998, between Company and Fleet, that certain Trademark Mortgage dated as of April 30, 1998, Patent Mortgage dated as April 30, 1998, First Supplement to Trademark Mortgage dated as November 9, 2000, and First Supplement to Patent Mortgage dated as of November 9, 2000, all between Company and Fleet (all agreements referred to herein as the "Agreements"). All obligations and duties listed under the Agreements to the extent they relate solely to the items listed on Exhibit A are hereby released and terminated, and Fleet hereby expressly releases and discharges without limitation all claims, demands and causes of action that it may now have or might subsequently accrue to it arising out of or connected with directly or indirectly, the Agreements to the extent they relate solely to the items on Exhibit A.

This Release shall be binding upon Fleet's legal representatives, assigns and

successors.

FLEET CAPITAL CORPORATION, AS
ADMINISTRATIVE AGENT


By: 
Name: David Fiorito
Title: SRP

EXHIBIT A**Trademarks**

| TRADEMARK | FEDERAL REGISTRATION NUMBER | REGISTRATION DATE |
|---|------------------------------------|--------------------------|
| CLEARCRIMP | 1834379 | 5/3/94 |
| SOFTSPIN | 1842284 | 6/28/94 |
| SORVALL | 803052 | 2/1/66 |
| SPIN-RIGHT | 1525412 | 2/21/89 |
| SUPER-LITE | 1899584 | 6/13/95 |
| SUPRASPEED | 1521657 | 1/24/89 |
| TC6 | 1818398 | 1/25/94 |
| ULTRA 80 | 1899590 | 6/13/95 |
| ULTRA PRO | 1959224 | 2/27/96 |
| ULTRACRIMP | 1899589 | 6/13/95 |
| WATCHLOG | 2127643 | 1/6/98 |
| CARR SEPARATIONS, INC. AND DESIGN | 2247897 | 5/25/99 |
| POWERFUGE PILOT | 2082159 | 7/22/97 |
| POWERFUGE | 1994221 | 8/13/96 |

Patents

| Patent No. | Issue Date | Title |
|-------------------|-------------------|---|
| 5,823,937 | 10/20/98 | Low-shear feeding system for use with centrifuges; for separating the solids components of a feed liquid |
| 5,425,698 | 06/20/95 | Centrifugal separator with flexibly suspended restrainable bowl |
| 5,356,367 | 10/18/94 | Centrifugal separator with flexibly suspended restrainable bowl |
| 5,328,441 | 07/12/94 | Imperforate bowl centrifugal separator with solids gate |
| 5,743,840 | 04/28/98 | Centrifuge with a heating jacket for drying collected solids |
| 5,733,238 | 03/31/98 | Scraping assembly having angularly offset scraper blades for removing solids from an imperforate bowl centrifuge |
| 5,674,174 | 10/07/97 | Low-shear feeding system for use with bottom feed centrifuges; for separating the solids component of a feed liquid |

Patent Applications

| Application No. | Filing Date | Title |
|------------------------|--------------------|---|
| 60/158,953 | 10/12/99 | Control of separation in a centrifuge |
| 60/205,955 | 05/19/00 | Low-shear feeding system for use with centrifuges |
| 60/205,956 | 05/19/00 | Centrifuge bowl with coaxial baffle |