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Attorney Docket No.  
C562.100-1

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

1. Name of conveying party:  
Research Incorporated

- Individual(s)  Association
- General Partnership  Limited Partnership
- Corporation-State  Other Explain- 5/16/02

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

3. Nature of Conveyance:

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

Execution Date: November 9, 2001

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

Name: CVD Equipment Corporation

Internal Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: 1881 Lakeland Avenue

City Ronkonkoma State NY ZIP 11779-7432

- Individual(s) Citizenship \_\_\_\_\_
- Association \_\_\_\_\_
- General Partnership \_\_\_\_\_
- Limited Partnership \_\_\_\_\_
- Corporation-State New York
- 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

4A. Application No.(s)

Additional numbers attached?  Yes  No

4B. Registration No.(s)

2,067,994 2,470,019 2,502,630

Additional numbers attached?  Yes  No

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

Name: Theodore F. Neils  
KINNEY & LANGE, P.A.  
 Street Address: THE KINNEY & LANGE BUILDING  
312 South Third Street  
 City: Minneapolis State: MN ZIP 55415-1002

6. Total number of applications and registrations involved: 3

7. Total fee (37 CFR 2.6(b)(6)):.....\$ 90

8. Method of Payment

- Enclosed
- The Commissioner is authorized to charge payment of any additional recording fees or credit any overpayment to deposit account No. 11-0982. A duplicate copy of this page is enclosed.

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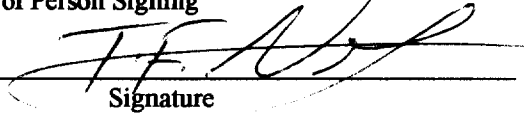
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9. Statement and signature.

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.

Theodore F. Neils

Name of Person Signing

  
Signature

5/16/02  
Date

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## INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY ASSIGNMENT

THIS INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY ASSIGNMENT (this "Assignment") is made as of this 9th day of November, 2001, by RESEARCH, INCORPORATED, a Minnesota corporation ("Research"), with its principal office at 6425 Flying Cloud Drive, Eden Prairie, Minnesota 55344, transferring and assigning the rights and interests identified below to CVD EQUIPMENT CORP., a New York Corporation ("CVD").

WHEREAS, Research and CVD are parties to a certain Asset Purchase Agreement, dated as of November 9, 2001 (the "Purchase Agreement"), pursuant to which, among other things, Research has agreed to sell to CVD, and CVD has agreed to purchase from Research, all of the assets of Research which are used in or associated with the SMT Business (as defined in the Purchase Agreement) and which are not in any manner used in or associated with the Retained Businesses (as defined in the Purchase Agreement), including, without limitation, the patents, patent applications, trademarks and trademark applications which are set forth on Exhibit A hereto (the "Intellectual Property Rights"), and the goodwill of the SMT Business (as defined in the Purchase Agreement) associated with the Intellectual Property Rights; and

WHEREAS, CVD wishes to acquire Research's entire right, title and interest in and to the Intellectual Property Rights, together with the goodwill of the SMT Business (as defined in the Purchase Agreement) associated with the Intellectual Property Rights.

NOW, THEREFORE, for the good and valuable consideration set forth in the identified Purchase Agreement, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Research does hereby sell and assign to CVD all the right, title and interest Research has in the Intellectual Property Rights, together with the goodwill of the SMT Business (as defined in the Purchase Agreement) associated with the Intellectual Property Rights.


Research shall assist in obtaining or providing any further documents which may be required to confirm the chain of title to the Intellectual Property Rights.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed this Intellectual Property

Assignment as of the date first written above.

RESEARCH, INCORPORATED

  
By: Brad Yopp  
Its: President rCFD

**EXHIBIT A**

| Patent  | Serial Number |
|---|---------------|
| Conveyor Guide Arrangement                        | 4,780,040     |
| Continuous Oven With a Plurality of Heating Zones | 5,440,101     |
| Automatic Reflow Soldering System                 | 5,573,174     |
| Provisional – Compartmentalized Oven              | 60/265,992    |

| Mark                                   | Serial Number/Application Serial Number |
|--|---|
| TOWER                                  | 75479355/2,470,019                      |
| RESEARCH INTERNATIONAL                 | 75038234/2,067,994                      |
| Pending Application – TOWER and design | 75/714,687                              |