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

1. Name of conveying party(ies):

Liquid Carbonic Corporation

- Individual(s) Association
- General Partnership Limited Partnership
- Corporation-State Delaware
- Other _____

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

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies)

Name: Praxair Technology, Inc.

Internal

Address: _____

Street Address: 55 Old Ridgebury Road

City: Danbury State: CT Zip: 06810-5113

- Individual(s) citizenship _____
- Association _____
- General Partnership _____
- Limited Partnership _____
- Corporation-State _____
- 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: 07/01/2002

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

A. Trademark Application No.(s) _____

B. Trademark Registration No.(s) 1183652;
1384165

Additional number(s) attached Yes No

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

Name: Robert J. Follett

Internal Address: Praxair, Inc.

Law Department

Street Address: 39 Old Ridgebury Road

City: Danbury State: CT Zip: 06810-5113

6. Total number of applications and registrations involved: _____

2

7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41).....\$ 65.00

- Enclosed
- Authorized to be charged to deposit account

8. Deposit account number:

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9. Signature.

Robert J. Follett

Name of Person Signing

Robert J. Follett
Signature

November 21, 2002

Date

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Washington, D.C. 20231

UNITED STATES TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Liquid Carbonic Corporation, a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware (the "Assignor"), having a place of business at 39 Old Ridgebury Road, Danbury, Connecticut 06810, is the owner of the following trademarks and registrations therefor in the United States Patent and Trademark Office:

| <u>Trademark</u> | <u>Regn. Number</u> | <u>Regn. Date</u> |
|---|---------------------|-------------------|
| Design (Cryo CO2 Shield and Diamond Design) | 1183652 | December 29, 1981 |
| Design (Nitro N2 Shield and Diamond Design) | 1384165 | February 25, 1986 |

WHEREAS, Praxair Technology, Inc., a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware (the "Assignee"), having a place of business at 55 Old Ridgebury Road, Danbury, Connecticut 06810-5113, is desirous of acquiring the said trademarks and registrations thereof;

NOW THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignor does hereby:

SELL, ASSIGN AND TRANSFER to Assignee, its successors and assigns, all of its right, title and interest in and to said trademarks and United States registrations thereof, together with that part of the goodwill of the business of ASSIGNOR connected with the use of and symbolized by said trademarks;

AUTHORIZE AND REQUEST the issuing authority to issue any United States renewals, reissues, continuations or extensions granted on such trademark registrations to the Assignee;

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Assignment to be duly executed as of the 1st day of July, 2002.

Liquid Carbonic Corporation

By:  _____

Name: Mark S. Lyon

Title: Assistant Secretary