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

1. Name of the conveying party(ies):
Avon Property Management Co.

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: Piranha Hose Products, Inc.
Internal
Address:

Street Address: 502 West 7th Street
City: Cadillac State: MI Zip: 49601

Individual(s) citizenship: _____
 Association: _____
 General Partnership: _____
 Limited Partnership: _____
 Corporation-State: Michigan
 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: October 1, 2002

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

A. Trademark Application No.(s)

B. Trademark Registration No.(s)
2,259,425

Additional numbers attached Yes No

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

Name: John E. McGarry
Internal Address: MCGARRY BAIR LLP
Street Address: 171 Monroe Avenue, NW, Suite 600

City: Grand Rapids State: MI Zip: 49503

6. Total number of applications and registrations involved: 9 (1)
7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41)..... \$ 40.00

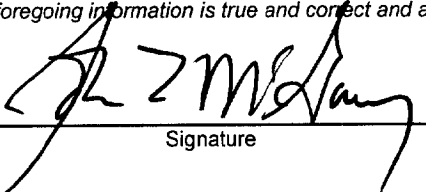
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9. Statement and signature.
To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document.

John E. McGarry, Reg. No. 22,360  October 11, 2002

Name of Person Signing Signature Date

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TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Avon Property Management Co., a Michigan corporation, having its principal place of business at 805 West Thirteenth Street, Cadillac, Michigan 49601, U.S.A. is the record owner of the entire right, title and interest in and to U.S. Trademark Registration No. 2,259,425 for the trademark PIRANHA (the "Trademark"); and

WHEREAS, Assignor has agreed to assign and transfer its entire right, title and interest in and to the Trademark, together with all of the goodwill associated therewith and symbolized thereby, including all common law rights associated with the Trademarks by virtue of their use in commerce, to Piranha Hose Products, Inc., a Michigan corporation, having its principal place of business at 502 West 7th Street, Cadillac, Michigan 49601, U.S.A. ("Assignee"); and

NOW, THEREFORE, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN, in view of the premises herein and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other valuable and legally sufficient consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged by Assignor, Assignor does hereby sell, convey, transfer and assign and deliver unto Assignee, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to the Trademark, together with the goodwill associated therewith and symbolized thereby, and in and to any and all renewals thereof, together with all rights to sue and recover for past infringement thereof, to have and to hold forever for the sole and exclusive use and benefit of Assignee.

Assignor hereby consents that a copy of this ASSIGNMENT shall be deemed a full legal and formal equivalent of any assignment, consent to file, or like document that may be required in any particular country for any purpose and more particularly in proof of the right of Assignee to claim the aforesaid benefit of the right of priority provided by the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, as amended.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, an officer of the said Assignor has hereunto set his hand on the date indicated below.

Avon Property Management Co.

Dated: 9-23-02

By: Dale H Rosser
Name: Dale H. Rosser
Title: Vice President

Assignor

STATE OF Michigan)
) ss.
COUNTY OF Wexford)

On this 23rd day of September, 2002, personally appeared before me the above-named Vice President Dale H. Rosser, to me known and known to me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument on behalf of Avon Property Management Co. and acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed in and for the purposes set forth in said instrument.

Susan K. Peterson
Notary Public **SUSAN K. PETERSON**
My commission expires: **NOTARY PUBLIC WEXFORD CO., MI**
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES Dec 14, 2003

Accepted: Brian K Jones
Name: Brian K Jones
Title: President
Piranha Hose Products, Inc., Assignee

STATE OF Michigan)
) ss.
COUNTY OF Wexford)

On this 1st day of October, 2002, personally appeared before me the above-named Brian Jones, to me known and known to me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument on behalf of Piranha Hose Products, Inc. and acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed in and for the purposes set forth in said instrument.

Kathleen M. Cress
Notary Public
My commission expires: 2/20/02

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