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<p>4. Application number(s) or registration number(s):</p> <p>A. Trademark Application No.(s)</p>	<p>B. Trademark Registration No.(s)    1,732,839     1,748,343     1,753,193</p> <p>Additional number(s) attached <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</p>
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<p>5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:</p> <p>Name: <u>Thomas P. Erwin</u>  Internal Address: <u>Suite 424</u></p> <p>Street Address: <u>One E. Liberty St.</u></p> <p>City: <u>Reno</u> State: <u>NV</u> Zip: <u>89501</u></p>	<p>6. Total number of applications and registrations involved: ..... <span style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">3</span></p> <p>7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41).....\$ <u>90.00</u></p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enclosed  <input type="checkbox"/> Authorized to be charged to deposit account</p> <p>8. Deposit account number: _____</p> <p><small>(Attach duplicate copy of this page if paying by deposit account)</small></p>
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SECURITY INTEREST

Whereas, Umpqua Technology Company, a Nevada corporation, and Putco, LLC, a Nevada limited liability company, have entered into an Option to Purchase and Asset Purchase Agreement (hereafter "Agreement") with Novation Environmental Technologies, Inc., a Delaware corporation formerly known as NETI Incorporated ("Novation"), in which the rights in and to the following listed U.S. Patents and U.S. Trademarks ("Patents & Trademarks") are being assigned to Novation:

PATENTS:

Patent No:	5,186,842	Issue Date:	February 16, 1993
Patent No:	5,244,478	Issue Date:	September 14, 1993
Patent No:	5,312,756	Issue Date:	May 17, 1994
Patent No:	5,559,035	Issue Date:	September 24, 1996
Patent No:	5,624,567	Issue Date:	April 29, 1997
Patent No:	5,643,799	Issue Date:	July 1, 1997
Patent No:	5,910,448	Issue Date:	June 8, 1999

TRADEMARKS:

Trademark Reg.	1,732,839	Reg. Date:	November 17, 1992
Trademark Reg.	1,748,343	Reg. Date:	January 23, 1993
Trademark Reg.	1,753,193	Reg. Date:	February 16, 1993

Whereas, as part of the above-described Agreement, Novation has agreed to convey to Umpqua Technology Company a security interest in all of the Patents & Trademarks to assure performance by Novation under the terms and conditions of the Agreement.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing, and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Novation hereby conveys, assigns and transfers a security interest in its entire right, title and interest in and to all of the Patents & Trademarks to Umpqua Technology Company.

Executed at Reno, State of Nevada, this 18<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2001.

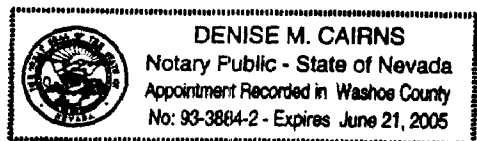
Novation Environmental Technologies, Inc.

By [Signature]  
Name Terry Smith  
Title \_\_\_\_\_

STATE OF Nevada)  
County of Washoe)

This 18<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2001, before me personally came the above-named individual known to me to be the persons who are described in and who executed the foregoing assignment instrument and acknowledged to me that they executed the same of their own free will for the purpose therein expressed.

Denise M. Cairns  
Notary Public for Washoe County  
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