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1. NAME OF CONVEYING PARTY(IES):

Edward Ross STORY
Daniel John HEINZ
Pasquale Michael BUZZEO

2. NAME AND ADDRESS OF RECEIVING PARTY(IES):

NAME: Lever Brothers Company, Division of Conopco, Inc.

STREET ADDRESS: 390 Park Avenue

CITY: New York
ZIP: 10022

STATE: NY

ADDITIONAL NAME(S) OF CONVEYING PARTY(IES) ATTACHED?
YES ☐ NO ☒ADDITIONAL NAME(S) & ADDRESS(ES) ATTACHED?
YES ☐ NO ☒

3. NATURE OF CONVEYANCE:

☒ ASSIGNMENT ☐ SECURITY AGREEMENT ☐ MERGER ☐ CHANGE OF NAME ☐ OTHER
EXECUTION DATE: March 20, 1998

4. APPLICATION NUMBER(S) OR PATENT NUMBER(S): 09/000,558 FILED: December 30, 1997

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GERARD J. MCGOWAN, ATTORNEY FOR APPLICANT(S)
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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, EDWARD ROSS STORY, a citizen of the United Kingdom, residing at 1 Teaneck Court, Timonium, Maryland 21093; DANIEL JOHN HEINZ, a citizen of the United States residing at 40 Neptune Drive, Joppa, Maryland 21085; and PASQUALE MICHAEL BUZZEO, a citizen of the United States, residing at 1485 Allen Way, Westminster, Maryland 21157, invented certain improvements in

DIE AND PROCESS ESPECIALLY FOR STAMPING DETERGENT BARS

(bearing Attorney's Docket Number 96-D541-OM,) which is found in:

- (a) ____ U.S. patent application executed on _____
- (b) X To comply with 37 CFR 3.21 for recordal of this assignment, I/WE an ASSIGNOR(S) signing below, hereby authorize and request my/our attorney, as named in the Declaration and Power of Attorney to insert below the filing date and application number when it becomes known.

U.S. application Serial No. 08/09/000558 filed on December 30, 1997.

- (c) ____ International Application No. PCT ____/____.

AND WHEREAS, **LEVER BROTHERS COMPANY, DIVISION OF CONOPCO, INC.**, a corporation of New York, having a principal place of business at 390 Park Avenue, New York, New York 10022 desires to acquire the entire right, title and interest in the said application and invention, and improvements and to any United States and foreign patents to be obtained therefor;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of one dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration in hand paid, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, I/We, the undersigned, hereby sell, assign and transfer to the aforesaid **LEVER BROTHERS COMPANY, DIVISION OF CONOPCO, INC.**, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to the said application and invention therein disclosed for the United States and all foreign countries, and all rights of priority under the International Convention resulting from the filing of said application, and in and to any and all divisional, continuation, continuation-in-part, reissue, or other applications describing said

invention or improvements thereon, and in and to any and all Letters Patent of the United States which may issue from said applications or any of them, and in and to any and all applications for patents describing said invention to countries foreign to the United States and in and to any and all patents which may be granted for said invention in said foreign countries, the same to be held by and for the sole and exclusive use and benefit of the said **LEVER BROTHERS COMPANY, DIVISION OF CONOPCO, INC.**, its successors and assigns.

AND I/We do hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents to issue the said Letters Patent of the United States to said **LEVER BROTHERS COMPANY, DIVISION OF CONOPCO, INC.**, as the assignee of the entire right, title and interest in and to the same.

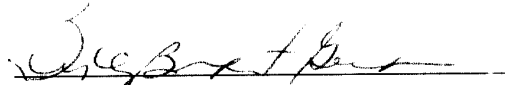
AND I/We do hereby agree to assist said **LEVER BROTHERS COMPANY, DIVISION OF CONOPCO, INC.**, in the prosecution of any and all said applications and in the prosecution of any and all interferences or other proceedings which may arise involving said invention, and to execute and deliver any powers of attorney, affidavits, assignments, applications, reissues, documents, or other written instruments which, in the opinion of counsel for said **LEVER BROTHERS COMPANY, DIVISION OF CONOPCO, INC.**, its successors and assigns, may be necessary in this or any foreign country fully to secure to said **LEVER BROTHERS COMPANY, DIVISION OF CONOPCO, INC.**, its successors and assigns, any and all said applications, inventions, improvements, Letters Patent, rights, titles and interests hereby sold, assigned, transferred and conveyed.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 20 day of March, 1998.

STATE OF MARYLAND)
COUNTY OF BALTIMORE)

 (Seal)
EDWARD ROSS STORY

On this 20th day of March, 1998 before me came EDWARD ROSS STORY to me known to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he/she executed the same.


Notary Public

SYLVIA BARNHART-GERBEN
NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF MARYLAND
My Commission Expires March 1, 2002

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 26 day
of March, 1998.

STATE OF MARYLAND)
COUNTY OF BALTIMORE)

Daniel John Heinz (Seal)
DANIEL JOHN HEINZ

On this 26th day of March, 1998 before me came DANIEL JOHN HEINZ
to me known to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing
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Sylvia Barnhart Gerben
Notary Public

SYLVIA BARNHART GERBEN
NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF MARYLAND
My Commission Expires March 1, 2002

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 26 day
of MARCH, 1998.

STATE OF MARYLAND)
COUNTY OF BALTIMORE)

Pasquale Michael Buzzo (Seal)
PASQUALE MICHAEL BUZZEO

On this 26th day of March, 1998 before me came PASQUALE
MICHAEL BUZZEO to me known to be the individual described in and who
executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he/she executed
the same.

Sylvia Barnhart Gerben
Notary Public

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