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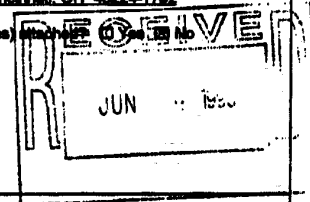
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ASSIGNMENT


WHEREAS we, Pamela Jean Brown of Maineville, County of Warren, State of Ohio; Thomas Ward Osborn, III, of Cincinnati, County of Hamilton, State of Ohio; and Matthew Preston Fitzpatrick of Cincinnati, County of Hamilton, State of Ohio, respectively, have made a certain new and useful invention as set forth in an application for United States Letters Patent entitled

FEMININE HYGIENE SYSTEM AND KIT USING
AN ABSORBENT INTERLABIAL DEVICE

Attorney's Docket 7147, executed by us, respectively, the 3rd day of June, 1998, the 22nd day of May, 1998, and 21st day of May, 1998, Serial No. 09/071,444, filed the 1st day of May, 1998, (the hereinafter named assignee being hereby authorized to insert said Serial Number and filing date when ascertained):

We made said invention set forth in said patent application while employed by The Procter & Gamble Company, and acknowledge our obligation at the time the invention was made to assign said invention to The Procter & Gamble Company. Pursuant to said obligation, we assign to The Procter & Gamble Company, its legal representatives, successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest, including the right to claim priority of the filing date of said patent application under international conventions, in said invention as set forth in said patent application, and in all patents of the United States and of any foreign country which may be issued for said invention, as fully and completely as the same would have been held by us had this assignment not been made. The entire right, title and interest shall vest irrevocably in The Procter & Gamble Company. We further agree upon request, without additional compensation but at no expense to us, to execute or assent to foreign applications, and to execute all other legal documents as may be necessary or desirable to vest the enjoyment of the rights assigned to The Procter & Gamble Company, its legal representatives, successors and assigns, or as said Company may direct.

AND we request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any Letters Patent of the United States which may be issued for said invention to said The Procter & Gamble Company, its legal representatives, successors or assigns, as the sole owner of the entire right, title, and interest in said patent and the invention covered thereby.


PAMELA JEAN BROWN


THOMAS WARD OSBORN, III


MATTHEW PRESTON FITZPATRICK

State of Ohio }
County of Hamilton } SS

On this 3rd day of June, 1998, before me personally appeared Pamela Jean Brown to me known to be the person named in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that she executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

Matthew Fitzpatrick
Notary Public

MATTHEW PRESTON FITZPATRICK, Attorney at Law
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State of Ohio }
County of Hamilton } SS

On this 22nd day of May, 1998, before me personally appeared Thomas W. Osborn, III to me known to be the person named in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

MATTHEW PRESTON FITZPATRICK, Attorney at Law
Notary Public

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