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Whereas, UNI-CHARM CORPORATION, an organization existing under the laws of Japan having its principal office and place of business address located at 182 Shimobun, Kinsei-cho, Kawanoe-shi, Ehime-ken, Japan and hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNEE", wishes to acquire the entire right, title, and interest in and to said invention and any U.S. patent that may be granted therefor,

Now, Therefore, Witnesseth, That, for and in consideration of the sum of one dollar to us in hand paid by the said ASSIGNEE, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we do hereby sell, assign, and transfer to the said ASSIGNEE the said invention and application and all divisions and continuations thereof and any and all U.S. patents which may be granted therefor, and any and all reissues of said patents which may be obtained, the same to be held and enjoyed by the said ASSIGNEE and its assigns as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by us if this assignment had not been made.

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