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James Naylor Limited

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Bromsgrove Industries PLC

Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? Y Yes X No

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Name: Smuthers Oasis Company

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City: Cuyahoga Falls State: Ohio ZIP: 44221

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A. Patent Application No.(s)

B. Patent No.(s) 4,887,385

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- (1) JAMES NAYLOR LIMITED
- (2) BROMSGROVE INDUSTRIES PLC
- (3) SMITHERS OASIS COMPANY

US PATENT ASSIGNMENT

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THIS ASSIGNMENT is made the *20* day of *December* 1993

BETWEEN

(1) JAMES NAYLOR LIMITED whose registered office is at Neville House, Hagley Road, Edgbaston, Birmingham B16 8PZ ("James Naylor")

AND

(2) BROMSGROVE INDUSTRIES PLC of Neville House, Hagley Road, Edgbaston, Birmingham B16 8PZ ("Bromsgrove")

together "the Assignors"

AND

(3) SMITHERS OASIS COMPANY of 2020 Front Street, Suite 301, Falls, Ohio 44221, USA (hereinafter "the Assignee").

WHEREAS

(A) James Naylor is the registered proprietor of the patent 1 Schedule 1 hereto (hereinafter called "the Patent").

(B) By agreements dated 31st March 1992 and 30th November 1993, beneficial interest in the Patent has been assigned to Bromsgrove.

(C) By an agreement made between Bromsgrove and the Assignee on the 20th day of December 1993 (hereinafter called "the Agreement") it was agreed that the Assignors assign the Patent on the terms hereof.

NOW IT IS HEREBY AGREED as follows:-

1. Pursuant to the Agreement the Assignors hereby assigns and assigns to the Assignee free from encumbrances:-

1.1. all their right title and interest in and to the Patent together with all rights and powers arising or accrued therefrom including



the right to sue for damages and other remedies in respect of any infringement of such rights or other acts within the scope of the claims of any published specification of the Patent or accompanying any application therefor prior to the date hereof;

1.2. the right to apply for prosecute and obtain patent or similar protection throughout the world in respect of the inventions claimed in the Patent including the right to claim priority therefrom to the intent that the grant of any patents or similar protection shall be in the name of and vest in the Assignee.

2. The Assignors further covenant that at the request and cost of the Assignee they will at all times hereafter do all such acts and execute all such documents as may reasonably be necessary or desirable both to secure the vesting in the Assignee of all rights assigned to the Assignee hereunder and to assist in the resolution of any question concerning the Patent.

3. This assignment shall be governed by and construed in accordance with English law. The parties hereto irrevocably submit to the ~~exclusive~~ jurisdiction of the High Court of Justice ~~in London~~

IN WITNESS whereof the parties hereto have executed this assignment as a DEED the day and year first above mentioned.

SCHEDULE 1Patents

<u>Country</u>	<u>No.</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Issue Date</u>	<u>Inventors</u>
USA	4887385	Connecting means for frangible and friable articles	19.12.89	Barry D. James Herbert W. James

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