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thereof.

1. NAME OF CONVEYING PARTY(IES):

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

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3. NATURE OF CONVEYANCE:

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WHEREAS, I/WE,

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have invented certain improvements in: PROCESS FOR SHAPING FISH AND
PRODUCTS THEREOF

(bearing Attorney's Docket Number: F 3183 (C)), which is found in

[Check and complete (a), (b) or (c)]

(a) _____ U.S. patent application executed on _____

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in the Declaration and Power of Attorney to insert below the filing date and application
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U.S. application Serial No. 09/094,326 filed on June 9, 1998

(c) _____ International Application No. PCT/ _____

AND WHEREAS, **GORTON'S, DIVISION OF CONOPCO, INC.**, a corporation of
NEW YORK having a principal place of business at **128 ROGERS STREET,
GLOUCESTER, MASSACHUSETTS 01930** desires to acquire the entire right title and
interest in and to the aforesaid invention, and to said United States application or any
reissues, divisions, continuation, or continuation-in-part thereof, and in any Letters
Patent which may issue therefrom;

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
GORTON'S, 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 in and to any and all divisional, continuation, continuation-in-part,
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and to any and all Letters Patent of the United States which may issue from said
applications or any of them, the same to be held by and for the sole and exclusive use
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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 **GORTON'S, 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 GORTON'S, 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 GORTON'S, DIVISION OF CONOPCO, INC., its successors and assigns, may be necessary in this country fully to secure to said GORTON'S, 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/we have hereunto set my/our hand

Dated: 15 June 98 (1) Nicholas David Hedges
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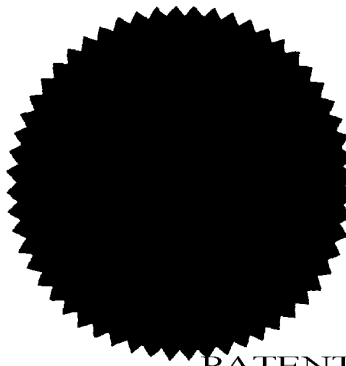
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