



1                                   **ASSIGNMENT OF INVENTION**  
2                                   **(NOT ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION)**  
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5       **WHEREAS, Philip K. Sykes**, hereinafter sometimes referred to as "said Inventor", a  
6 citizen of the United States of America, whose post office address is: 5865 Fernwood  
7 Street, Shoreview, Minnesota 55126, has invented certain new and useful  
8 improvements in: **"PROTECTIVE STORAGE CASE FOR DIGITAL DISCS,**  
9 **COMPUTER GAME CARTRIDGES AND THE LIKE"**, for which he has executed an  
10 application for United States Letters Patent the same day he has executed this  
11 assignment, which invention (hereinafter referred to as "Invention") has been disclosed  
12 to and filed, under Docket No. **SYKES-2**, and which invention is covered by patent  
13 application Serial No. 08/962,009 filed October 31, 1997;  
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15       **WHEREAS, UFE, Inc.**, a Minnesota corporation, having a business address of 1850  
16 South Greeley Street, Stillwater, Minnesota 55082, is desirous of acquiring the entire  
17 right, title and interest in, to and under the said improvements, and the said application;  
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19       **NOW, THEREFORE**, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00), and for other  
20 good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby  
21 acknowledged, I, **Philip K. Sykes**, have sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and  
22 by these presents do sell, assign, transfer and set over, unto the said **UFE, Inc.**, its  
23 successors, legal representatives and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in, to  
24 and under the said improvements, and all rights of priority thereto pursuant to the  
25 International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, and the said  
26 applications and all divisions, renewals and continuations thereof, and all Letters  
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1 Patents which may be granted for said improvements in any country or countries  
2 foreign to the United States and all extensions, renewals and reissues thereof; and I  
3 hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents of the United States, and  
4 any Official of any country or countries foreign to the United States, whose duty it is to  
5 issue patents on applications as aforesaid to the said **UFE, Inc.**, its successors, legal  
6 representatives and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this instrument.

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8 **AND**, I hereby covenant that I have full right to convey the entire interest herein  
9 assigned, and that I have not executed and will not execute, any agreement in conflict  
10 herewith.

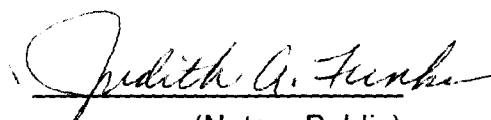
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12 **AND**, I hereby further covenant and agree that I will communicate to the said **UFE,**  
13 **Inc.**, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, any facts known to me  
14 respecting said improvements, and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful  
15 papers, execute all divisional, continuing and reissue applications, make all rightful  
16 oaths, and generally do everything possible to aid said **UFE, Inc.**, its successors, legal  
17 representatives and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for said  
18 improvements in all countries.

1 IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and seal this 22 day  
2 of OCTOBER 1997.

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6 Philip K. Sykes

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8 State of Minnesota  
9 } ss.  
10 County of Ramsey

11 On this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of October 1997 before me Judith A. Funke  
12 (Notary Public) personally appeared **Philip K. Sykes**, personally known to me or  
13 proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person whose name is  
14 subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same  
15 in his authorized capacity, and that by his signature on the instrument the person or the  
16 entity upon behalf of which the person acted, executed the instrument. WITNESS my  
17 hand and official seal.

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19 (Notary Public)

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21 (SEAL)

