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**IDENTIFICATION OF APPLICATION  
(37 CFR 3.21 and 37 CFR 3.31(a)(4))**

1. The  patent application  provisional patent application filed herewith and, to which the attached assignment (document) refers, is identified as follows:

- a. Type of application
  - Application of patent (37 C.F.R. 1.53(b))
  - Continued prosecution (nonprovisional) application (37 C.F.R. § 1.53(d))
  - Provisional application (37 C.F.R. 1.53(c))
  - International application (37 C.F.R. 1.431)

b. Date of execution:

NOTE: Leave this blank if assignment is for a provisional application.

c. Name of each inventor:

- 1: Robert A. St. John
- 2: Paul R. Holbrook
- 3: John D. McNair

d. Title of invention: Stand Mixer

**CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.10\***  
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**NAME OF PARTY(IES) CONVEYING INTEREST (37 CFR 3.31(a)(1))**

2. The party(ies) conveying this interest is (are):

Name 1: Robert A. St. John  
Name 2: Paul R. Holbrook  
Name 3: John D. McNair

**NAME AND ADDRESS OF PARTY(IES) RECEIVING INTEREST  
(37 CFR 3.31(a)(2))**

3. The rights are being conveyed to:

Name: HP Intellectual Corp.  
Address: C/O Windmere-Durable Holdings, Inc.  
5980 Miami Lakes Drive  
Miami Lakes, FL 33014-2467  
Telephone No.: (203) 926-3016

**DESCRIPTION OF INTEREST CONVEYED OR  
TRANSACTION RECORDED (37 CFR 3.31(a)(3))**

4. The accompanying document intends to accomplish:

- an assignment.
- a security agreement.
- a license.
- a merger.
- a change of name.
- a change of address.
- other.

**NAME AND ADDRESS OF PARTY TO WHOM CORRESPONDENCE  
SHOULD BE MAILED (37 CFR 3.31(a)(5))**

5. Please address correspondence to:

Name: Barry E. Deutsch, Esq.  
Address: Household Products, Inc.  
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Shelton, CT 06484

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**DATE ASSIGNMENT (DOCUMENT) EXECUTED (37 CFR 3.31(a)(7))**

14 September 1998, 16 September 1998,

6. The attached assignment (document) was executed on and 22 October 1998 :  
Date

**LANGUAGE OF ASSIGNMENT (DOCUMENT) TO BE RECORDED**

NOTE: "The Office will accept and record non-English language documents only if accompanied by an English translation signed by the individual making the translation." 37 CFR 3.26.

7. The attached document:

- is in the English language.
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8. Submitted herewith is:

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B. The fee for recordal (37 CFR 1.21(h)) is \$40.00.

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**STATEMENT (37 CFR 3.31(a)(9))  
AND SIGNATURE (37 CFR 3.31(a)(10))**

10. To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document.

Date: 11/6/98

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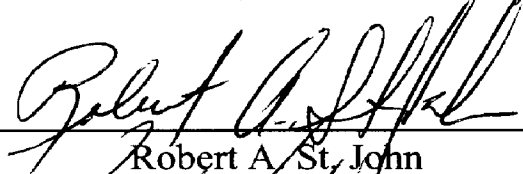
WHEREAS, we, Robert A. St. John, Paul R. Holbrook, and John D. McNair, have invented certain new and useful improvements in STAND MIXER (identified as Attorney Docket No. P-US-BP-0369) for which we are about to file application for Letters Patent of the United States;

AND WHEREAS, HP INTELLECTUAL CORP., a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, whose principal office is c/o Windmere-Durable Holdings, Inc., 5980 Miami Lakes Drive, Miami Lakes, Florida 33014-2467, U.S.A., is desirous of acquiring an interest, in the United States and all foreign countries, in and to the said invention and the Letters Patent to be obtained therefor;


NOW, THEREFORE, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN, be it known that, for and in consideration of the sum of ONE DOLLAR (\$1.00) in hand paid, and other good and valuable considerations, the receipt of all of which is hereby acknowledged, we have sold, assigned and transferred, and by these presents do sell, assign and transfer unto said HP INTELLECTUAL CORP. the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention in the United States and all foreign countries, as fully set forth and described in the application which we have executed on the 14 day of SEPTEMBER, 1998, the 16 day of SEPTEMBER, 1998, and the 22 day of OCTOBER, 1998, respectively, and we do hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents to issue said

application, and any and all Letters Patent that may be issued upon any and all revivals, re filings, continuations, continuations-in-part, divisions and reissues thereof, to the said HP INTELLECTUAL CORP., as assignee of the entire right, title and interest in and to the same, for the sole use and behoof of HP INTELLECTUAL CORP., its successors and assigns; and we do hereby agree that the said Corporation may apply for foreign Letters Patent on said invention and that we will execute all papers necessary in connection with the United States and foreign applications when called upon to do so by the said Corporation, its successors or assigns.

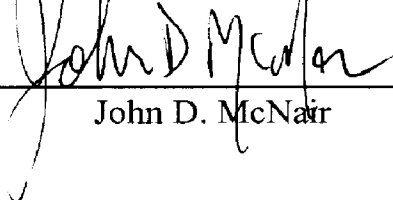
IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and seals.

  
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Robert A. St. John

Date 9-14-98

  
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Paul R. Holbrook

Date 9-16-98

  
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John D. McNair

Date 22 Oct 98