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To the Assistant Commissioner of Patents and 1			
 Name of conveying party(ies): William J. Cass MO 12-28 Nature of Conveyance: Assignment Execution Date: October 12, 1998 	2. Name and address of receiving party(ies): Name: Nike, Inc. Street Address: One Bowerman Drive City: Beaverton State: Oregon Zip: 97005-6453 Additional name(s) & address(es) attached? X No		
4. Application number(s) or patent number(s): If this document is being filed together with a new application A. Patent Application Serial No.: 29/095,426 Additional numbers a	n, the execution date of the application is; B. Patent No.(s) attached:Yes _X_No		
Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed: Name:Robert S. Katz	6. Total number of applications and patents involved: 1		
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9. Statement and signature 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.			
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AGREEMENTS

Confirmation/Assignment 1:

WHEREAS, I, <u>William J. Cass</u>, a citizen of the United States of America, residing at 19420 S.W. Vista Hill Drive, Hillsboro, <u>Oregon 97123</u>, respectively, have invented a <u>Shoe Upper</u> as shown in the attached photographs for which a patent application directed to its entirety, or parts thereof, will be filed in the United States; and

WHEREAS, I hereby authorize and request my attorneys Brian E. Hanlon, Registration No. 40,449, Patricia E. Hong, Registration No. 34,373, and Robert S. Katz, Registration No. 36,402 of Banner & Witcoff, Ltd., 1001 G Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20001-4597, to insert here in parentheses (Application No. 29/095,426 , filed 10/22/98) the filing date and application number of said application when known;

WHEREAS, NIKE, Inc., a corporation of the state of Oregon, having a place of business at One Bowerman Drive, Beaverton, Oregon 97005-6453, hereinafter the Assignee, is desirous of confirming that it has already been assigned, or, if not already assigned, is desirous of acquiring the entire worldwide legal and beneficial right, title and interest in and to the aforesaid invention, in and to the aforesaid application and in and to any Patents, Design Registrations, Industrial Models, Industrial Designs, Petty Patents, Utility Models, Copyrights and legal equivalents thereof anywhere in the world which may be granted for said invention, including the right to claim priority of the respective United States Patent application;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, I, the aforesaid William J. Cass, by these presents do confirm that I did (under the law of the jurisdiction(s) where the invention was conceived, reduced to practice and made, under the NIKE Employee Invention and Secrecy Agreement and/or under some other agreement with NIKE, Inc. including such a sale, assignment or transfer) sell, assign and transfer or, if not already done so, do sell, assign and transfer unto NIKE, Inc., its successors, legal representatives and assigns, the full, exclusive and worldwide right in and to said invention as shown in the attached photographs and described in said application, in and to the aforesaid application and in and to any Patents, Design Registrations, Industrial Models, Industrial Designs, Petty Patents, Utility Models, Copyrights and legal equivalents thereof anywhere in the world which may be granted for said invention and in and to any and all divisions, reissues, continuations, extensions and renewals thereof, including the right to claim priority of the respective United States Patent application;

AND I HEREBY agree that the said Assignee may apply for and receive Patents, Design Registrations, Industrial Models, Industrial Designs, Petty Patents, Utility Models, Copyrights and legal equivalents thereof anywhere in the world for said invention in its own name, we further authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks or any other proper officer or agency of any country to record this assignment and issue all said

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Patents, Design Registrations, Industrial Models, Industrial Designs, Petty Patents, Utility Models, Copyrights, and legal equivalents thereof to said Assignee;

AND I HEREBY warrant and covenant that we either had or do have the full right to convey the entire interest herein assigned at the time of the sale, assignment and transfer;

AND I HEREBY warrant and covenant that we have not executed and will not execute any instrument or assignment in conflict herewith;

AND I HEREBY agree to communicate to said assignee or its representatives any facts known to us respecting said invention, to execute all divisional, continuation, renewal, reissue and foreign applications, sign all lawful documents and make all rightful oaths and declarations relating to said invention, sign all lawful documents which the Assignee shall consider desirable for aiding in securing and maintaining proper protection for said invention and to testify in any judicial or administrative proceeding and generally do everything possible to aid said Assignee or any assignee of said Assignee to obtain and enforce said Patents, Design Registrations, Industrial Models, Industrial Designs, Petty Patents, Utility Models, Copyrights and legal equivalents thereof worldwide when requested so to do by said Assignee or any assignee of said Assignee.

IN WITNESS	WHEREOF,	I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 12 TH day of	
OCTOBER	1998.		

William J. Cass

STATE OF OREGON)
) ss
County of Washington)

On this 12 day of 0ctober, 1998, before me a Notary Public in and for the county and state aforesaid, personally appeared William J. Cass, to me known and known to me to be the person of that name who signed and sealed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged the same to be his/her free act and deed.

SEAL



Notary Public for Oregon
My Commission Expires:

The terms and conditions of this assignment are accepted by the Assignee, NIKE, Inc.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this <u>ldth</u> day of _______1998.

NIKE, Inc.

By:

Thomas M. Horgan Assistant Secretary

STATE OF OREGON

)) ss:

County of Washington

On this 12 day of 0 ctobge, 1998, before me a Notary Public in and for the county and state aforesaid, personally appeared Thomas M. Horgan, to me known and known to me to be the person of that name who signed and sealed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed.

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MY COMMISSION EXPIRES FEB. 12, 1999

RECORDED: 12/22/1998

Notary Public for Oregon My Commission Expires:

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