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# ASSIGNMENT

We, John Joseph Schwartz, Reuben Earl Oder and Adam Ross Nichols (address shown below), have made a certain new, and useful invention as set forth in an application for United States Letters Patent entitled A Non-Resealable, Snap-Fitted Closure, Attorney's Docket 7317, Serial No. 09/129,309, filed the 27th day of October, 1998, (the hereinafter named assignee being hereby authorized to insert said US Serial Number or Number of International Application designating the US and filing date when ascertained):

We made said invention set forth in said patent application while employed by, or otherwise under an obligation to assign said invention to The Procter & Gamble Company or one of its Affiliates (including, Procter & Gamble Far East, Inc.; Procter & Gamble India, Ltd.; and Procter & Gamble Philippines, Inc.), hereinafter "Affiliate"; and acknowledge our obligation at the time the invention was made to assign said invention to The Procter & Gamble Company or the Affiliate, respectively. Pursuant to said obligation (and, in the case of employment by or obligation to an Affiliate, at the request of the Affiliate), we assign to The Procter & Gamble Company, its legal representatives, successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest, including the right to claim priority of the filing date of said patent application under international conventions, in said invention as set forth in said patent application, and in all patents of the United States and of any other country which may be issued for said invention, as fully and completely as the same would have been held by us had this assignment not been made. The entire right, title and interest shall vest irrevocably in The Procter & Gamble Company. We further agree upon request, without additional compensation but at no expense to me, to execute or assent to applications in other than the United States, and to execute all other legal documents as may be necessary or desirable to vest the enjoyment of the rights assigned to The Procter & Gamble Company, its legal representatives, successors and assigns, or as said Company may direct.

AND we request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any Letters Patent of the United States which may be issued for said invention to said The Procter & Gamble Company, its legal representatives, successors or assigns, as the sole owner of the entire right, title, and interest in said patent and the invention covered thereby.

John Joseph Schwartz  
John Joseph Schwartz  
of Cincinnati, Ohio, County of Hamilton  
Date: 17 Nov 98

**PENNY D. SCHON**  
Notary Public, State of Ohio  
My Commission Expires June 18, 2002


Reuben Earl Oder  
Reuben Earl Oder  
of Union, Kentucky, County of Boone  
Date: 11-17-98

**PENNY D. SCHON**  
Notary Public, State of Ohio  
My Commission Expires June 18, 2002

Adam Ross Nichols  
Adam Ross Nichols  
of Cincinnati, Ohio, County of Hamilton  
Date: 12/29/98


State of Ohio }  
County of Butler } SS

On this 17<sup>th</sup> day of Nov, 1998, before me personally appeared John Joseph Schwartz to me known to be the person named in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

  
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PENNY D. SCHON  
Notary Public, State of Ohio  
My Commission Expires June 18, 2002

State of Ohio }  
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On this 12<sup>th</sup> day of Nov, 1998, before me personally appeared Reuben Earl Oder to me known to be the person named in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

  
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On this 29<sup>th</sup> day of Dec, 1998, before me personally appeared Adam Ross Nichols to me known to be the person named in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.



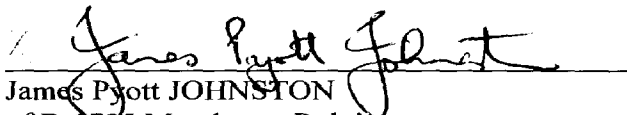
WILLIAM SCOTT ANDES, Attorney at Law  
Notary Public, State of Ohio  
My Commission Has No Expiration Date  
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# ASSIGNMENT

I, James Pyott Johnston (address shown below), have made a certain new, and useful invention as set forth in an application for United States Letters Patent entitled A Non-Resealable, Snap-Fitted Closure, Attorney's Docket 7317, Serial No. 09/179,309, filed the 27th day of October, 1998, (the hereinafter named assignee being hereby authorized to insert said US Serial Number or Number of International Application designating the US and filing date when ascertained):

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James Pyott JOHNSTON  
of B-1785 Merchtem, Belgium  
Date: X 16/11/98