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Internal Address:

Street Address: 2339 Harris Avenue

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ASSIGNMENT OF INVENTION AND
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WHEREAS, I, Charles A. Miller of 14786 Eastwood Road, Williamsburg, in the State of Ohio 45176, invented a new and improved carton carrier as fully disclosed in an application for Patent and filed by me on even date herewith, preparatory to obtaining Letters Patent of the United States therefor; and whereas, The C.W. Zumbiel Co. a corporation organized under the Laws of the State of Ohio, and having its principal office at 2339 Harris Avenue, Cincinnati, Ohio 45212 desires to acquire the entire interest in and to the subject-matter disclosed in said application and in and to all patents issued or to be issued thereon.

NOW, THEREFORE, to all whom it may concern, be it known that, for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar to me in hand paid, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I have sold, assigned and transferred, and by these presents do sell, assign and transfer unto the said The C.W. Zumbiel Co. my entire right, title and interest in and to the subject-matter disclosed in said application and in and to all Letters Patent Domestic and Foreign issued or to be obtained thereon, including all rights and interests with priority rights under the Paris Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, the International Patent Cooperative Union, European Patent Convention, Common Market Convention, or any other Convention or Union for each country of said Convention or Union; and I do hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents to issue the Letters Patent granted on said application and all future patents granted upon the subject-matter disclosed therein to the above named Assignee, its legal representatives and assigns.

Witness my hand this 7 day of January 1999, December 1998, mlh.
Charles A. Miller Inventor.
Charles A. Miller

STATE OF Ohio)
) ss.
COUNTY OF Hamilton)

On this 7th day of January 1999, December 1998, before me personally appeared Charles A. Miller, to me known and known to me to be the above named individual who duly acknowledged the signing of the foregoing instrument to be a voluntary act and deed and who executed the same for the uses and purposes therein specified.

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MARY LOUISE LYONS
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