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Internal Address: _____
Street Address: 12106 N.E. Ainsworth Circle
City Portland State OR ZIP 97220

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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, I, Benjamin C. Rivera, residing at 19485 Suncrest Drive, West Linn, Oregon 97068, have invented an improvement in a FOLDING PLIERS for which on even date herewith I executed an application for United States letters patent, which is a continuation-in-part of United States design patent application Serial No. 29/078,069, which is a division of U.S. design patent application Serial No. 29/047,298, now U.S. Patent No. Des. 385,168;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of One (\$1.00) Dollar and other valuable consideration paid to me by Leatherman Tool Group, Inc., an Oregon corporation, having a post office address at 12106 N.E. Ainsworth Circle, Portland, Oregon 97220, the receipt whereof is acknowledged, I do hereby assign unto the said Leatherman Tool Group, Inc. the entire interest in said invention for the United States and all foreign countries and any letters patent to be issued therefor in the United States or any foreign country and any divisions, continuations, continuations-in-part, improvements, reissues or extensions that may be made or granted thereon.

AND the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks is requested to issue such letters patent in accordance herewith. And I agree to execute further instruments proper for effectuating the premises.

Dated 1/28/99

Benjamin C. Rivera
Benjamin C. Rivera

STATE OF OREGON)
) ss.
County of Multnomah)

Before me, a Notary Public for the State of Oregon, personally appeared Benjamin C. Rivera known to me to be the person who executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged it to be his free act and deed.

Witness my hand and seal January 28, 1999.
Monica S. Hosler
Notary Public for Oregon

[Notarial Seal]

My Commission Expires: Oct. 28, 2000

