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**PATENT**  
**REEL: 009948 FRAME: 0084**

**ASSIGNMENT**

FOR ONE DOLLAR (\$1.00) and other valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, we, **DAVID C. HORAN**, a citizen of the United States of America, and a resident of 1012 North Harriman Street, Appleton, Wisconsin 54911 and **THOMAS R. LEE**, a citizen of the United States of America and a resident of 2600 Keating Court, Appleton, Wisconsin 54911, having co-invented certain new and useful improvements in

**MULTILAYER PLASTIC STRUCTURES, CONTAINERS  
MADE THEREFROM, AND METHODS OF MAKING  
THE STRUCTURES**

hereby assign unto **AMERICAN NATIONAL CAN COMPANY**, a Delaware corporation having a principal office at 101 Merritt 7, Norwalk, Connecticut 06856-5121 (hereinafter referred to as "Assignee"), the entire right, title and interest in and to such invention, together with the patent rights and rights of protection to the same throughout the world, including any patent rights which may result from the application for United States Letters Patent which was filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on March 29, 1999 and assigned Application Serial No. 09/280,623, and any continuations, divisions, continuation-in-part applications, inventor's certificates and extensions thereof, preparatory to obtaining Letters Patent of the United States therefor; said invention, application and Letters Patent to be held and enjoyed by said Assignee for its own use and behoof and for the use and behoof of its successors and assigns, to the full end of the term for which said Letters Patent or other rights of protection may be granted as entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by us had the assignment not been made.

**AND WE COVENANT and AGREE and WARRANT** that we have the full and unencumbered title to the invention hereby assigned, and we further covenant and agree that we have the right to grant such rights to said invention and application and

Letters Patent and that we will, at any time upon request without cost to us or further compensation, execute and deliver any and all papers or instruments that, in the opinion of the Assignee, may be necessary or desirable to secure said Assignee the full enjoyment of the rights and properties herein conveyed or intended to be conveyed by this instrument.

IN WITNESS WHEREFORE, we have hereunto set our hands and seal:

Date: MAY 4, 1999, 1999 *David C. Horan*  
By: DAVID C. HORAN

STATE OF Wisconsin )  
COUNTY OF Winnebago ) SS

Sworn to before me this 4 day of MAY, 1999.

*Don W. Luedke*  
Notary Public Notary Public, State at Large, WI  
My commission expires Dec. 16, 2001

Date: May 4, 1999, 1999 *Thomas R. Lee*  
By: THOMAS R. LEE

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COUNTY OF Winnebago ) SS

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