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WHEREAS,

ANDRE, MAX; 1, avenue de Villars, F-63400 Chamalières, France; AUBRY, XAVIER; 1, rue d'Assas, F-63400 Chamalières, France;

have made an invention in

### DEVICE FOR TRAINING AN ANIMAL ON THE LEASH

and have executed an application for Letters Patent of the United States of America based thereon

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- < > on even date herewith

AND WHEREAS, DYNAVET S.A.R.L., 51, rue Chappe, F-63100 Clermond-Ferrand, France, is desirous of acquiring the entire right (including priority rights under any and all International Conventions), title and interest in and to the said invention in and throughout the United States of America, its Territories, and all countries foreign thereto, and in and to the said application for Letters Patent, and in and to any and all Letters Patent of the United States of America and countries foreign thereto, which have been or may be granted on said invention or any part thereof;

NOW THEREFORE, for one dollar and other good and valuable consideration, receipt of which are hereby acknowledged the said

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have agreed to and do hereby sell, assign and transfer unto said DYNAVET S.A.R.L. the entire right (including priority rights under any and all International Conventions), title and interest in and throughout the United States of America, her Territories and all countries foreign thereto in and to said invention, said application for Letters Patent, and any and all Letters Patent and extensions thereto, of the United States of America and countries foreign thereto which have been or may be granted on said invention or any part thereof, or on said application or any divisional, continuing, renewal, re-issue or other applications based on whole or in part thereon, or based upon said invention;

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> And, we hereby appoint HORST M. KASPER to insert in this instrument after execution identifying information and in particular the serial number and the filing date of said application for United States Letters Patent when officially notified thereof.

> > In Witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hands and

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