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# ASSIGNMENT (Design)

WHEREAS, I (we), Peter QUIJO  
whose post office address(es) appear(s) below, hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNOR, have invented a certain new and useful  
DESIGN for Precious stone

(hereinafter referred to as the DESIGN) for which an application for United States Letters Patent was

- executed on even date herewith
- executed on:
- filed on: 2 April 1999 Serial No.: 29/102.896

WHEREAS, QUIJO, Fernand & Peter, besloten vennootschap met beperkte aansprakelijkheid  
whose post office address is Breidelstraat 18 B-8000 BRUGGE (Belgium)  
hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to the same in the  
United States;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I (we), ASSIGNOR,  
by these presents do sell, assign and transfer unto said ASSIGNEE, the entire right, title, and interest in and to said DESIGN  
and application throughout the United States of America and in and to any and all DESIGN Patents granted on any division,  
continuation, continuation-in-part and reissue of said application.

ALSO, ASSIGNOR hereby agrees to execute any documents that legally may be required in connection with the filing,  
prosecution and maintenance of said application or any other patent application(s) in the United States for said DESIGN,  
including additional documents that may be required to affirm the rights of ASSIGNEE in and to said DESIGN, all without  
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<p><i>Assignor Name</i> Peter QUIJO</p>	<p><i>Address</i> Breidelstraat 18 B-8000 BRUGGE Belgium</p>
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