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## ASSIGNMENT OF PATENT

WHEREAS, COASTAL JEWELRY CO., LLC, a Delaware limited liability company having a place of business at 100 Dupont Drive, Providence, Rhode Island 02907 ("Assignor") owns the patent set forth in Schedule I attached hereto and made a part hereof; and

WHEREAS, PLANTATIONS PEN CO., INC., a Rhode Island corporation having a place of business at 100 Dupont Drive, Providence, Rhode Island 02865 ("Assignee"), is desirous of acquiring all rights in such patent and the registration thereof;

WHEREAS, Assignor hereby represents and warrants to Assignee that Assignor has good and marketable title to the patent set forth in Schedule I hereto, free and clear of any and all liens, charges, encumbrances, licenses, claims, restrictions, equities, easements and other exceptions to title; and that the use of the patent set forth in Schedule I hereto does not and will not infringe upon the rights of any person.


NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, Assignor does hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over unto Assignee all right, title and interest in and to the patent and patent registration listed in Schedule I together with the good will of the business symbolized by the patent and the listed registration, including, without limiting the generality of the foregoing, the right or priority to file corresponding applications in any and all countries; the patent to be held by Assignee for its own use and enjoyment and for the use and enjoyment of its successors and assigns as fully and entirely as they would have been held and enjoyed by Assignor had such assignment not been made.

Assignor hereby authorizes and requests the duly authorized officials of any

jurisdiction to take such action as may be required to give effect to the sale, assignment and transfer made herein, including the issuance of any patent registration on Schedule I to Assignee, its successors and assigns; and Assignor further agrees to do all things as Assignee may reasonably request to effectuate such sale, assignment and transfer in respect to the patent and patent registration.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Assignor expressly intending to be legally bound hereby, has cause this assignment to be executed by its duly authorized officer as of the 12<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1999.

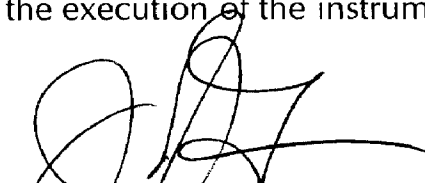
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By:   
Title: Operating Manager

**ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**

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On this 12<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1999, Gary B. Jacobsen, the Operating Manager of Coastal Jewelry Co., LLC, personally appeared before me, and to me personally known, stating that the foregoing instrument was signed on behalf of such limited liability company pursuant to proper authority and acknowledged the execution of the instrument as the free act and deed of the limited liability company.

  
James J. McGair, Notary Public  
My commission expires: 7/16/01

**SCHEDULE I**

**PATENT**

A. Patent Registration

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