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ASSIGNMENT

IN CONSIDERATION of One Dollar and other good and valuable considerations, the sufficiency and receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we, John Griebat and Alan Koechner, hereby assign to THE QUAKER OATS COMPANY, a corporation of the State of New Jersey having its principal office in Chicago, Illinois, United States of America, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in the container design inventions, as set forth below in a utility patent application for CORN MILLING AND SEPARATING DEVICE AND METHOD, as set forth in an application filed on the 19th day of August, 1999, and assigned Serial No. 09/377,083, attorney's docket number 1690, executed by us respectively, the 6th day of October, 1999, and the 11th day of December, 1999, (a representative of the named assignee being hereby authorized to insert said execution dates when ascertained), including any improvements, thereof and any and all divisional and continuation applications, and in any and all Letters Patents, reissues and extensions issuing thereon, and we hereby authorize and request the Assistant Commissioner of Patents to assign said Letters Patents to said THE QUAKER OATS COMPANY.

FOR SAID CONSIDERATION, we hereby agree, upon the request and on behalf of said assignee, its successors and assigns, to execute any and all divisional and continuing applications for said invention or improvements, and any necessary oath or supplemental oath or affidavit relating thereto, and any application for the reissue or extension of said Letters Patents and any Letters Patent that may be granted upon any divisional and continuation applications that said assignee, its successors or assigns, may deem necessary or expedient, and for the said considerations we further agree upon the request of said assignee, its successors and assigns, in the event of said Letters Patents or any division or continuation thereof, or any Letters Patent issued thereon, or any reissue or application for the reissue thereof, becoming involved in interference, to cooperate to the best of our ability with said assignee, its successors or assigns, in the matters of preparing and executing the preliminary statement and giving and producing evidence in support thereof, we hereby agree to perform, upon such request and at the expense of said assignee, any and all affirmative acts to obtain said Letters Patents and vest all rights therein hereby conveyed in the said assignee, its successors and assigns, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by us if this assignment and sale had not been made. And for the said considerations we hereby assign to said THE QUAKER OATS COMPANY, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in said invention or improvements for any and all foreign countries and agree upon the request of said THE QUAKER OATS COMPANY, its successors and assigns, to execute any and all documents that shall be required of us to be executed in connection with any and all applications for foreign Letters Patent therefor, including the prosecution thereof, and to execute any and all documents necessary to vest title in said foreign applications and patents in said assignee, without further compensation, but at the expense of said assignee.

EXECUTED this 6th day of October, 1999.

By: [Signature]
Name: John Griebat

STATE OF Iowa)
COUNTY OF Linn) SS.

On this 6th day of October, 1999, before a Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid, appeared John Griebat, to me personally known to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he executed said instrument as a free and voluntary act and for the uses and purposes therein expressed.

WITNESS my hand and seal the day and year last above given.

[Signature] (SEAL)
Notary Public

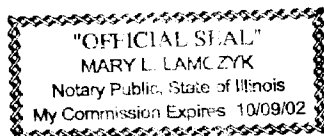
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By: [Signature]
Name: Alan Koechner

STATE OF Illinois)
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On this 11 day of October, 1999, before a Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid, appeared Alan Koechner, to me personally known to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he executed said instrument as a free and voluntary act and for the uses and purposes therein expressed.

WITNESS my hand and seal the day and year last above given.



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