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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, we, William T. Kowalchik of 1001 E. Highland, Jonesboro, Arizona 72401 and Wendell Wilson of 2638 Shadow Bluff Drive, Marietta, Georgia 30062 have invented certain new and useful improvements for a *Powered Grease Gun* for which we executed an application for Letters Patent in the United States identifying us as the only inventors thereof said application being assigned serial number 29/109,347 by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office and identified as Howell & Haferkamp, L.C., Docket 4034-1136; and

WHEREAS, McNeil (Ohio) Corporation, a corporation of the State of Minnesota having its principal office and place of business at 1500 Country Road B2, West, St. Paul, Minnesota 55133-3105 is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and improvements as disclosed in said application, in and to said application, and in and to the patent to be obtained thereon.

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) to us in hand paid, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and adequacy of all of which are hereby acknowledged, we, William T. Kowalchik and Wendell Wilson, have sold, assigned and transferred and do hereby sell, assign and transfer unto said McNeil (Ohio) Corporation, its successors or assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and improvements as the same are disclosed in said application which was executed by us in and to said application, and in and to any Letters Patent, including divisionals, continuations, reissues, reexaminations and extensions to be obtained therefor in the United States and all foreign countries; and we further agree to cooperate with the assignee hereunder in the obtaining and sustaining of any and all such Letters Patent as the assignee may desire to apply for, but at the expense of said assignee.

The Commissioner of Patents or other proper official is hereby authorized and requested to issue said Letters Patent to said McNeil (Ohio) Corporation in accordance with this Assignment.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand the 57H day of Octobers 1999.

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