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Thomas J. Drury

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Street Address: 322 Main Street

City: Willimantic State: CT ZIP: 06226

Execution Date: November 5, 1999

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## **ASSIGNMENT**

WHEREAS I, THOMAS J. DRURY (hereinafter referred to as "assignor") depose and say that I am a citizen of the United States of America and an individual residing at 28 Lisa Lane, Tolland, Connecticut 06084 and have invented certain new and useful improvements in a tampon for which I have filed an application for United States Letters Patent executed even date herewith; entitled TAMPON; and

WHEREAS, TOLLAND DEVELOPMENT COMPANY, LLC (hereinafter referred to as "Assignee"), a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Connecticut, having a principal place of business at 322 Main Street, Willimantic, Connecticut 06226, is desirous of acquiring my entire right, title, and interest in and to the said invention, and in and to the said application and any Letters Patent that may issue thereon;

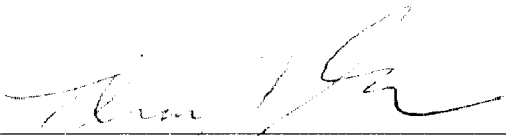
NOW THEREFORE, for and in consideration of five dollars (\$5.00), and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignor does hereby sell and assign to the said Assignee its successors and assigns, the entire right, title, and interest in and to the said invention and in and to the said application and all patents which may be granted therefor, and all divisions, reissues, substitutions, continuations, and extensions thereof; and Assignor hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents to issue all patents for said invention, or patents resulting therefrom insofar as his interest is concerned, to the said Assignee of his entire right, title, and interest;

Assignor also hereby sells and assigns to Assignee's successors and assigns, his foreign rights to the invention disclosed in said application, in all patent granting countries of the world, including the right to file applications and obtain patents for said invention in Assignee's own name in said countries and including all rights of priority in said countries under the terms of the

International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, and Assignor further agrees to execute any and all patent applications, assignments, affidavits, and any other papers in connection therewith necessary to perfect such patent rights;

Assignor hereby further agrees that he will communicate to said Assignee or to its successors, assigns, and legal representatives, any facts known to him respecting any improvements, and at the expense of said Assignee, to testify in any legal proceedings, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuation, reissue and substitute applications, make all lawful oaths, and generally do everything possible to aid said Assignee its successors, assigns, and nominees to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for said invention in all countries.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have set my hand and seal this 5<sup>th</sup> day of November, 1999.

  
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Thomas J. Drury