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## **ASSIGNMENT**

Of: FABRIC CONTAINER LINER

From: R & B Designs, Inc.

To: The Longaberger Company

R & B Designs, Inc., a corporation of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania having an address at 100 Sunset Boulevard West, Chambersburg, Pennsylvania 17201, for good and valuable consideration paid to it from The Longaberger Company, a corporation of the State of Ohio whose corporate offices are located at 1500 East Main Street, Newark, Ohio 43058-3400, the receipt and sufficiency of which it acknowledges, by this Assignment;

Does hereby sell, assign, and transfer to The Longaberger Company its entire and undivided right, title, and interest in and to the invention of FABRIC CONTAINER LINER, any applications for Letters Patent of the United States filed on said invention and all rights appurtenant thereto and in all applications related thereto, including each of the following: the right to apply for any letters patent for said invention in the United States and all foreign countries, all other applications for letters patent on said invention, in whatsoever countries, including all divisional, renewal, substitute, and continuation applications based in whole or in part upon said invention or upon said application or related thereto; all letters patent that may issue thereon in the United States and foreign countries and all reissues, extensions, renewals, divisions, or continuations of letters patent granted for said inventions or upon said applications, to the full end of the term or terms for which said letters patent may be issued; and every priority

or other right accorded by every international convention, treaty, or agreement that is or may be predicated upon or arise from said invention, application and other applications or letters patent therefor, all to be held and enjoyed by The Longaberger Company, its successors and assigns, all the same as R & B Designs, Inc. would have held and enjoyed had this Assignment not been made;

R & B Designs, Inc. authorizes and grants the right to The Longaberger Company to file and prosecute patent applications in all countries for any part of said invention as The Longaberger Company may deem advisable under any international convention, treaty, or agreement or otherwise;

R & B Designs, Inc. authorizes the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States and the empowered officials of all other countries to grant, issue, and transfer any letters patent for the said inventions arising out of said applications to The Longaberger Company, as assignee of the entire right, title, and interest therein, in accordance with this instrument of assignment;

R & B Designs, Inc. hereby represents and warrants that there are no rights or interests outstanding inconsistent with the rights and interests granted herein; it covenants that it will not execute, grant, or transfer any rights or interests inconsistent herewith; it binds itself and agrees to bind its successors and assigns, to execute and deliver to The Longaberger Company, its successors and assigns, any further documents or instruments and to perform any further acts that may be deemed necessary to enable The Longaberger Company, its successors and assigns, to file the said applications for letters patent for the said invention in any country in which it may

elect to file such applications, and to vest in The Longaberger Company, its successors and assigns, the title herein conveyed and intended to so be conveyed, and to enable such title to be recorded in the United States and each foreign country in which each such application may be filed so that any patent issued thereon shall be issued to The Longaberger Company, its successors and assigns; and it further binds itself and agrees to bind its successors and assigns, upon request, to communicate to The Longaberger Company, its successors and assigns, any facts relating to the said invention and the history thereof, known to R & B Designs, Inc. and to testify as to the same in any interference or other litigation when requested to do so by The Longaberger Company, its successors and assigns.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, R & B Designs, Inc. has caused this instrument to be

signed on the day indicated.

R & B DESIGNS, INC.

By: Barbara A. Sherman

Printed Name: Barbara A. Sherman

Title: President

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA )

COUNTY OF FRANKLIN )

SS:

On this 18<sup>th</sup> day of MAY, 1999, before me personally appeared Barbara A. Sherman, who executed the foregoing instrument and who acknowledged to me that she is President of R & B Designs, Inc. and that she voluntarily executed the same on behalf of R & B Designs, Inc. for the purpose therein set forth.

Barbara D. Barnhart  
Notary Public

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