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## **ASSIGNMENT**

WHEREAS, we, Herbert V. Kohler, Jr. of Kohler, Wisconsin; David J. O'Connell of Sheboygan, Wisconsin; Mary J. Reid of Sheboygan, Wisconsin; Erich D. Slothower of Sheboygan, Wisconsin; Carl F. Mueller of Sheboygan Falls, Wisconsin; Mark Johansen of Kohler, Wisconsin; John F. Quella of Kohler, Wisconsin; Mark H. Lowery of Judsonia, Arkansas; and Robert L. Jackson of Searcy, Arkansas, have made certain inventions which are described in an application for Letters Patent of the United States entitled SINK (a/k/a 26 x 60" Stainless Steel Sink (2 Basin + Drain)) filed April 8, 1999 as U.S. Serial No. 29/103,138 preparatory to obtaining United States Letters Patent therefor; and

WHEREAS, Kohler Co. (hereinafter referred to as Company), a Wisconsin corporation having a place of business at Kohler, Wisconsin, is desirous of acquiring the entire interest in said inventions worldwide (herein "worldwide" includes throughout the United States of America and its territories, throughout all other countries and under all international agreements);

NOW THEREFORE, for and in consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00) to us in hand paid, and other good and valuable consideration of which receipt is hereby acknowledged, we state and undertake the following:

We hereby sell, assign and transfer unto said Company the entire right, title and interest worldwide in and to said inventions, the aforesaid application, all other applications hereafter filed based in whole or in part on said inventions and all Letters Patent granted upon said applications, and we do hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue said Letters Patent to said Company. We further grant to said Company the right to claim for any of said applications the full benefits and priority rights of any international agreement between the United States and any foreign country or countries or between any other countries.

We hereby warrant that we have the full right to make the conveyance herein. We hereby covenant that upon request we will communicate to said Company and its representatives all facts known respecting said inventions; execute all divisional, continuing, reissue, reexamination and foreign or international applications, together with individual assignments therefor; make all rightful oaths; sign all lawful papers; testify in any legal proceeding and generally do everything possible to aid said Company to obtain Letters Patent.

This Assignment and our promises herein also obligate our heirs, legal representative and assigns, and they are for the benefit of said Company and its successors and assigns.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and seals at the location and on the date indicated with our signatures.

WITNESSES:

| Attical and a continuous of the date indicated with our signatures. (SEAL)

| Herbert V. Kohler, Jr. (SEAL)

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| COUNTY OF SHEBOYGAN | June |
| Before me this 55 | day of May, 1999, came Herbert V. Kohler, Jr., to me known to be the person named in the foregoing assignment and he acknowledged the execution thereof to be his free act and deed.

(SEAL)

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State of Wisconsin

My Commission expires: 6/10/01

WITNESSES:	
Shelly Jisal	David J. O'Connell (SEAL)
Hope Wintel	May 14, 1999 Date
STATE OF WISCONSIN ) SS	
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Before me this 1971 day of May, 1999, named in the foregoing assignment and he acknow	came David J. O'Connell, to me known to be the person rledged the execution thereof to be his free act and deed.
(SEAL)	Jenniter L. Dirks Notary Public, State of Wisconsin My Commission expires: 6/10/01
WITNESSES: Villy Jisdn  Loo Winkel	Mary J. Rold (SEAL)  May /7, 1999
STATE OF WISCONSIN  COUNTY OF SHEBOYGAN   Before me this 12th day of May 1999	Date
in the foregoing assignment and she acknowledged	came Mary J. Reid, to me known to be the person named the execution thereof to be her free act and deed.
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STATE OF WISCONSIN  SS  COUNTY OF SHEBOYGAN  Before me this day of May, 19 named in the foregoing assignment and he ack	1999, came Erich D. Slothower, to me known to be the person chowledged the execution thereof to be his free act and deed.  Jehnter L. Dirks
(SEAL)	Notaly Public, State of Wisconsin  My Commission expires: 6/10/01
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STATE OF WISCONSIN )SS COUNTY OF SHEBOYGAN  Before me this 19 th day of May, 19 named in the foregoing assignment and he ack	999, came Carl F. Mueller, to me known to be the person nowledged the execution thereof to be his free act and deed.
(SEAL)	Jenniter L. Dirks Notary Public, State of Wisconsin  My Commission expires: 6/10/01

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STATE OF WISCONSIN  COUNTY OF SHEBOYGAN  Before me this day of mamed in the foregoing assignment and he	y, 1999, came Mark Johansen, to me known to be the person acknowledged the execution thereof to be his free act and deed.	
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My Commission expires: 6/10/01

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OFFICIAL SEAL LARRY D. SMITH NOTARY PUBLIC - ARKANSAS WHITE COUNTY My Commission Expires: 03 - 09 - 2002	Notary Public, State of Arkansas  My Commission expires: 03-09-2002
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5. A Thomas	Robert L. Jøckson  June 21, 1999  Date
STATE OF ARKANSAS  COUNTY OF White  Before me this 2/ day of the 1999	came Robert I. Tackson, to me known to be the person
	came Robert L. Jackson, to me known to be the person pledged the execution thereof to be his free act and deed.
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