



## ASSIGNMENT

THIS ASSIGNMENT, by MICHAEL M. KOHANEK, residing at 338 ½ ORANGE AVE., BREA, CA 92821 (hereinafter referred to as "the Assignor), witnesseth:

WHEREAS, the Assignor has invented new and useful improvements in method and apparatus for forming A HAIR FASTENER as set forth in U.S. Patent 5,730,161: and

WHEREAS, HEAD GEAR, LLC, a corporation duly organized under and pursuant to the laws of CALIFORNIA, and having its principal place of business at 585 South Los Coyotes Anaheim Hills, CA 92807 (hereinafter referred to as "the Assignee"), is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title, and interest in and to said inventions.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and sufficient consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, the Assignor has sold, assigned, transferred, and set over, and by there presents does sell, assign, transfer, and set over, unto the Assignee, its successors, legal representatives, and assigns the entire right, title, and interest in and to the above-mentioned inventions, disclosed and claimed In U.S. Patent 5,730,161 including the right to file applications on said inventions and the entire right, title and interest in and to any applications for Letters Patent of the United States or other countries claiming priority to said application, and any and all Letters Patent of Patents of the United States of America and all foreign countries that may be granted therefore and thereon, and in and to any and all applications claiming priority to patent, said applications, divisions, continuations, and continuations-in-part of said applications, and reissues and extensions of said Letters Patent or Patents, and all rights under the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, the same to be held and enjoyed by the Assignee, for its own use and behalf and the use and behalf of its successors, legal representatives, and assigns, to the full end of the term or terms for which Letters Patent or Patents may be granted as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by the Assignor had this sale and assignment not been made;

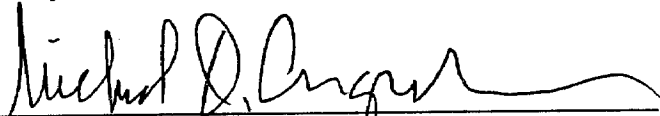
AND for the same consideration, the Assignor hereby covenants and agrees to and with the Assignee, its successors, legal representatives, and assigns, that, at the time of execution and delivery of these presents, the Assignor is the sole and lawful owner of the entire right, title, and interest in and to the inventions set forth in said U.S. Patent 5,730,161 and said U.S. Patent 5,730,161 is unencumbered, and that the Assignor has good and full right and lawful authority to sell and convey the same in the manner set forth;

AND for the same consideration, the Assignor hereby covenants and agrees to and with the Assignee, its successors, legal representatives, and assigns, shall advise that any proceeding in connection with said inventions or said Letters Patent or Patents, or any proceeding in connection with Letters or Patents for said inventions in any country, including interference proceedings, is lawful and desirable, or that any application claiming priority to said application, division, continuation, or continuation-in-part of any application for Letters Patent or Patents, or any reissue or extension of any Letters Patent or Patents to be obtained thereon, is lawful and desirable, sign all papers and documents, take all lawful oaths, and do all acts necessary or required to be done for the procurement, maintenance, enforcement and defense of Letters Patent or Patents for said inventions, without charge to the Assignee, its successor, legal representatives, and assigns, but at the cost and expense of the Assignee, its successors, legal representatives, and assigns.

AND the Assignor hereby requests the Commissioner of Patents to record the assignment of U.S Patent 5,730,161 to ASSIGNEE and issue any and all said Letters Patent of the United States to the Assignee, as the Assignee of said inventions and the Letters Patent to be issued thereon for the sole use and behalf of the Assignee, its successors, legal representatives, and assigns.

Date 1/4/00 Signature of Assignor   
MICHAEL M. KOHANEK

Sworn and Subscribed to me this 4<sup>th</sup> day of January 2000.

  
Notary Public in and for the State of California

