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To the Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks: Please record the attached original document(s) or copy thereof.

1. Name of conveying party(ies) (assignor(s)):

Jones Apparel Group Holdings, Inc.
250 Rittenhouse Circle, Keystone Park
Bristol, Pennsylvania 19007

Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? ☐ yes ☒ no

2. Name and Address of Party(ies) receiving an interest (assignee(s)):

Name: Jack Asset Sub Inc.
Address: Nine West Plaza
1129 Westchester Avenue
City: White Plains
State: New York Zip: 10604-3529
Country: U.S.A.

Additional name(s) & address(es) attached? ☐ yes ☒ no

3. Nature of Conveyance:

- ☒ Assignment ☐ Merger ☐ Change of Name
☐ Verified Translation ☐ Security Agreement ☐ Other

Execution Date: June 15, 1999

4. Application number(s) or patent number(s): See Attachment

If this document is being filed together with a new application, the execution date(s) of the application is:

A. Patent Application No(s).

B. Patent No(s). See enclosed ADDENDUM TO SECTION FOUR.

Others on additional sheet(s) attached? ☒ Yes ☐ No

5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:

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6. Total number of applications and patents involved:

Application(s) + Patent(s): 39 = Total \$1,560.00

7. Total Fee (37 CFR 3.41) \$ \$1,560.00

- ☒ Enclosed
☐ Authorized to be charged to deposit account

8. Deposit Account Number:
(Duplicate copy of this sheet attached)

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9. Statement and signature

To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is true copy of the original document.

Kurt F. James
Name of Person Signing

Signature

Date

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ASSIGNMENT

(Patents)

1. **WHEREAS**, Jones Apparel Group Holdings, Inc. of 250 Rittenhouse Circle, Keystone Park, Bristol, Pennsylvania 19007, a corporation duly organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Delaware (hereinafter referred to as Assignor), is the owner of the entire right, title, and interest in and to certain letters patent of the United States and countries foreign thereto and the inventions disclosed therein; and to certain applications for letters patent of the United States and countries foreign thereto and the inventions disclosed therein; and

2. **WHEREAS**, JACK ASSET SUB INC. (to be renamed NINE WEST GROUP INC.) of 1129 Westchester Avenue, White Plains, New York 10604-3529, a corporation duly organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Delaware (hereinafter referred to as Assignee), is desirous of acquiring said right, title, and interest of Assignor;

3. **NOW, THEREFORE**, for good and valuable consideration by Assignee to Assignor, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignor has agreed to and does hereby sell, assign and transfer unto Assignee, its successors and assigns, all of Assignor's right, title and interest in and throughout the United States of America (including its territories and dependencies) and all countries foreign thereto, in and to said letters patent and all reissues thereof and reexamination certificates therefor, and the inventions disclosed therein, including Assignor's full right to sue for and recover all damages recoverable from past infringements of said letters patent; including specifically, without limiting the generality of the foregoing, the United States and

foreign patents listed in Schedules A and B attached hereto; and Assignor has further agreed to and does hereby sell, assign and transfer unto Assignee, its successors and assigns, all of Assignor's right, title and interest in and throughout the United States of America (including its territories and dependencies) and all countries foreign thereto, in and to said inventions, said United States and foreign applications, any other United States and foreign applications (including provisional, non-provisional, divisional, continuing, or reissue application) based in whole or in part on said United States and foreign applications or in whole or in part on said inventions, any other foreign applications based in whole or in part on any of the aforesaid United States and/or foreign applications or in whole or in part on said inventions, and any and all patents (including extensions thereof) of any country which have been or may be granted on any of the aforesaid applications or on said inventions or any part thereof; including, specifically, without limiting the generality of the foregoing, the United States and foreign applications listed on Schedules A and B.

4. **TO BE HELD AND ENJOYED BY** Assignee, its successors and assigns, to the full ends of the respective terms full for which said patents have been or may be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by Assignor had this sale and assignment not been made.

5. **AND** Assignor hereby authorized and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States of America to issue any and all United States patents which may be granted upon said United States patent applications to Assignee, its successors and assigns.

6. **AND** Assignor hereby agrees to execute without further consideration any further lawful documents and any further assurances, and any provisional, non-provisional, divisional, continuing, reissue or other applications

for patents of any country, that may be deemed necessary by said Assignee, its successors or assigns fully to secure its interest as aforesaid in and to said inventions or any part thereof, and in and to said several patents or any of them.

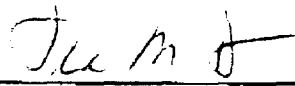
7. **AND** Assignor covenants that Assignor has granted no right or license to make, use or sell said inventions to anyone except said Assignee, that prior to the execution of this deed, Assignor's right, title, and interest in said inventions has not been otherwise encumbered, and that Assignor has not executed and will not execute any instrument in conflict herewith.

8. The United States and foreign patents and applications are those in **SCHEDULES A and B** attached hereto and forming a part of this Agreement.


9. **IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, Assignor has caused these presents to be executed by its officers thereunto duly authorized and its corporate seal to be affixed this 15th day of June, 1999.

JONES APPAREL GROUP
HOLDINGS, INC.

(Corporate Seal)

By: 
Name: J. M. Consky
Title: President

ATTEST:


Secretary

State of New York)
County of New York) ss.

On this 15th day of June, 1999, before me personally appeared

Joe M. Danksy, to me known, who, being by me duly sworn, did depose and say that he is President of JONES APPAREL GROUP HOLDINGS, INC., the corporation described in and which executed the above instrument; that he knows the seal of said corporation; that the seal affixed to said instrument is such corporate seal; that it was so affixed by order of the Board of Directors of said corporation; and that he signed his name thereto by like order.

Ann Margaret Lemonda
Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

(SEAL)

ANN MARGARET LEMONDA
Notary Public, State of New York
No. 24-4719977
Qualified in Nassau County
Certificate Filed in New York County
Commission Expires June 30, 2000

This Assignment has been read and accepted on this 15th day of June, 1999.

JACK ASSET SUB INC.

By: Joe M. Danksy
Name: Joe M. Danksy
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SCHEDULE B**Canadian Patents**

	<u>Patent No.</u>	<u>Issue Date</u>	<u>Title</u>
1.	1,151,365	08/09/83	Shoe Molding Process

Canadian Applications

	<u>Serial No.</u>	<u>Filing Date</u>	<u>Title</u>
1.	2,226,707	01/13/98	Exercise Shoe Having Fit Adaptive Upper
2.	2,227,070	01/15/98	Footwear Having Slow Recovery Liner
3.	2,227,133	01/15/98	Indoor Exercise Shoe and Sole Therefor

Japanese Applications

	<u>Serial No.</u>	<u>Filing Date</u>	<u>Title</u>
1.	16818/1998	01/29/98	Exercise Shoe Having Fit Adaptive Upper
2.	16820/1998	01/29/98	Footwear Having Slow Recovery Liner
3.	16823/1998	01/29/98	Indoor Exercise Shoe and Sole Therefor

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	<u>Patent No.</u>	<u>Issue Date</u>	<u>Title</u>
1.	5186	12/22/92	Shoe With Improved Dual Hardness Heel-Lift

SCHEDULE B (Cont.)**South African Patents**

	<u>Patent No.</u>	<u>Issue Date</u>	<u>Title</u>
1.	91/0879	02/26/92	Shoe With Improved Dual Hardness Heel-Lift

Taiwan Patents

	<u>Patent No.</u>	<u>Issue Date</u>	<u>Title</u>
1.	NI-072050	10/23/95	Shoe Design
2.	UM-89003	05/25/94	Shoe With Improved Dual Hardness Heel-Lift

United Kingdom Applications

	<u>Serial No.</u>	<u>Filing Date</u>	<u>Title</u>
1.	9800836.0	01/15/98	Exercise Shoe Having fit Adaptive Upper
2.	9800838.6	01/15/98	Footwear Having Slow Recovery Liner
3.	9800841.0	01/15/98	Indoor Exercise Shoe and Sole Therefor