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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, **Hozumi KIYOTA**, a citizen of Japan, whose post office address is c/o **KIYOTA ENGINEERING CO., LTD.** 2-21-6 Minamigyotoku, Ichikawa-shi, Chiba 272-0138 JAPAN, hereinafter referred to as the **ASSIGNOR**, has invented a certain improvement relating to

LID BODY OF BEVERAGE CONTAINER

for which he has, on the date indicated below, executed an application for Letters Patent of the United States to be filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office.

AND WHEREAS, **KIYOTA ENGINEERING CO., LTD.**, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of Japan, whose post-office address is 2-21-6 Minamigyotoku, Ichikawa-shi, Chiba 272-0138 JAPAN, hereinafter known as the **ASSIGNEE**, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest for the United States in and to said invention and application, including any and all divisions and continuations thereof, and any and all Letters Patent which may be granted thereon, including any and all renewals, reissues, and prolongations thereof.

NOW, THIS WITNESSETH that for and in consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, said **ASSIGNOR** hereby assigns, sells and transfers to said **ASSIGNEE**, its assigns and legal representatives, the entire and exclusive right, title and interest in and to said invention and application, for the United States including any and all divisions and continuations thereof, and any and all Letters Patent which may be granted therefor, said **ASSIGNEE** and its assigns and legal representatives to have, hold, exercise and enjoy the said invention and application, including any and all divisions and continuations thereof, and any and all Letters Patent which may be granted thereon, including any and all renewals, reissues and prolongations thereof, with all the rights, powers, privileges, and advantages in any ways arising from or pertaining thereto, for and during the term or terms of any and all such Letters Patent when granted, including any and all renewals, reissues, and prolongations thereof, for the use and benefit of said **ASSIGNEE** and its assigns and legal representatives in as ample and beneficial a manner to all intents and purposes as the said **ASSIGNOR** might or could have held and enjoyed the same, if this assignment had not been made.

AND said **ASSIGNOR** hereby agrees to execute all papers necessary to file applications in the United States for said invention and to assign the same to said **ASSIGNEE**, or any assignee acquiring title to said invention, and to execute any other papers that may be needed in connection with filing said application and securing Letters Patent thereon.

AND said **ASSIGNOR** authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents to issue Letters Patent on said application, and on any and all divisions and continuations thereof, to said **ASSIGNEE**, its assigns and legal representatives, in accordance herewith.

IN TESTIMONY THEREOF, this assignment is executed by said ASSIGNOR, on the date indicated below.

Witnessed by:

Yasuyuki Matsuo    10/May/2000  
Name                      Date  
Yasuyuki Matsuo

Hozumi Kiyota                      10/May/2000  
Hozumi KIYOTA                      Date

Takuhiko Shinoda    10/May/2000  
Name                      Date  
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