### 101387961

Docket No.: 4169-003

## 6-8-00

### IN THE UNITED STATED PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE PATENT ASSIGNMENT RECORDATION COVER SHEET

**Box ASSIGNMENT** Comm'r Patents & Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Please record the attached original document a copy thereof.

Name of conveying party(ies): 1)

Michael Pietrafesa

2) Name and address of receiving party(ies):

> Goldberger Doll Mfg. Co., Inc. 538 Johnson Avenue Brooklyn, NY 11237

- The nature of the conveyance is an assignment, which was executed on 3) 5/30/2000.
- This document is to be recorded against the U.S. Application enclosed herewith. 4) The total number of patents and/or applications involved is 1.

Please send all correspondence regarding this paper to the firm address shown below.

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

Please send all correspondence regarding this paper to the firm address shown below. To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document.

Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$ 40.00. Please charge any additional fees required by this paper, and credit any overpayment, to the firm's Deposit Acct.

No. 08-2776

Certificate of Mailing Under 37 C.F.R. 1.8

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as Express Mail in an envelope addressed to: Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, BOX ASSIGNMENT, Washington, D.C. 20231

on June 6, 2000

with a Takonen

06/23/2000 DNGUYEN 00000085 09087950

01 FC:581

40.00 DP

Respectfully submitted,

Bradley N. Ruben

Reg. No. 32,058

Hopgood, Calimafde, Kalil,

& Judlowe

60 East 42nd Street New York, NY 10165

June 6, 2000

**PATENT** REEL: 010865 FRAME: 0661

#### **ASSIGNMENT**

This assignment, by Michael Pietrafesa (hereinafter the "assignor"), witnesseth:

WHEREAS, the said assignor have invented certain new and useful improvements in SOFT BABY DOLL as set forth in an application for Letters Patent of the United States filed on 1 June 1998 and accorded serial no. 09/087,950, now U.S. Pat. No. 6,030,271 issued 29 February 2000; and

WHEREAS, Goldberger Doll Mfg. Co., Inc., a corporation duly organized under and pursuant to the laws of the State of New York, and having its principal place of business at 538 Johnson Ave., Brooklyn, NY 11237 (hereinafter the "assignee"), is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title, and interest in and to said inventions and said application, and in and to any Letters Patent or Patents, United States or foreign, to be obtained therefor and thereon.

NOW, THEREFORE, for valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, the assignor hereby sells, assigns, transfers, and sets over, unto the assignee, its successors, legal representatives, and assigns, the entire right, title, and interest in and to the abovementioned inventions, application, and any and all Letters Patent or Patents in the United States of America and all foreign countries which may be granted therefor and thereon, and in and to any and all divisions, continuations, and continuations-in-part of said application, or reissues or extensions thereof, and to invoke and claim for any application for patent or other form of protection for said invention(s) filed by it or them, the benefit of all rights under the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, as amended, or by any convention which may henceforth be substituted for it, the same to be held and enjoyed by the assignee, for its own use and behoof and that 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 transfer not been made.

AND for the same consideration, the said assignor hereby covenants and agrees to and with the said assignee, its successors, legal representatives, and assigns, that, at the time of execution and delivery of these presents, the said assignor is the sole and lawful owner of the entire right, title, and interest in and to the said invention(s) and the application(s) and/or patent(s) above mentioned, and that the same are unencumbered and that the said assignor have good and full right and lawful authority to sell and convey the same in the manner herein set forth.

U.S. Pat. No. 6,030,271

Page 1

4169-003

AND for the same consideration, the said assignor hereby covenants and agrees to and with the said assignee, its successors, legal representatives, and assigns, whenever counsel of any of the same shall advise that any proceeding in connection with said inventions or said application for Letters Patent, or any proceeding in connection with Letters Patent for said inventions in any country, including interference proceedings, is lawful and desirable, or that any division, continuation, or continuation-in-part of any application for Letters Patent, or any reissue or extension of any Letters Patent for said inventions in any country to be obtained thereon is lawful and desirable, that they shall 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 for said inventions, without charge to the assignee, its successors, legal representatives, and assigns, but at the cost and expense of the assignee, its successors, legal representatives, and assigns.

We hereby consent that a copy of this assignment shall be deemed a full legal and formal equivalent of any assignment, consent to file or like document which may be required in any country for any purpose and more particularly in proof of the right of the said assignee or nominee to claim the aforesaid benefits provided under the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, as amended, or by any convention which may henceforth be substituted for it.

I covenant with said assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, that the rights and property herein conveyed are free and clear of any encumbrance, and that we have full right to convey the same as herein expressed.

Date: 5/30/00	Signature of Inventor: Thehat Highe	1
, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,		~

Before me, a notary public in and for

Michael Pietrafesa, to me known to be the person described in the foregoing instrument, who, being first duly sworn, acknowledged his signature on the same and in my presence and declared the same to be his free act and deed on the date written above opposite his signature.

MYRA PLAPINGER

Notary Public Notary Public, State of New York

My commission existed in Kings County

(SEAL) Commission Expires Feb. 28, 2001

U.S. Pat. No. 6,030,271

Page 2

4169-003

Please type a plus sign (+) inside this box $\longrightarrow$ $ extstyle  extst$	+	
--	---	--

valid OMB control number.

PTO/SB/21 (12-97)

Approved for use through 9/30/00. OMB 0651-0031
Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a

# **TRANSMITTAL FORM**

(to be used for all correspondence after initial filing)

Total Number of Pages in This Submission

Patent Number	6,030,271	
Issue Date	February 29, 2000	
First Named Inventor	Michael Pietrafesa	
Group Art Unit	3712	
Examiner Name	J. Ricci	
Attorney Docket Number	4169-003	

ENCLOSURES (check all that apply)					
Fee Transmittal Form	Assignment Papers (for an Application)	After Allowance Communication to Group			
Fee Attached	Drawing(s)	Appeal Communication to Board of Appeals and Interferences			
Amendment / Response	Licensing-related Papers	Appeal Communication to Group (Appeal Notice, Brief, Reply Brief)			
After Final	Petition Routing Slip (PTO/SB/69) and Accompanying Petition	Proprietary Information			
Affidavits/declaration(s)	To Convert a Provisional Application	Status Letter			
Extension of Time Request	Power of Attorney, Revocation Change of Correspondence Address	Additional Enclosure(s) (please identify below):			
Express Abandonment Request	Terminal Disclaimer	check for \$ 40.00/return receipt postcard			
Information Disclosure Statemen	Small Entity Statement  Request for Refund				
Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)	Remarks				
Response to Missing Parts/ Incomplete Application					
Response to Missing Parts under 37 CFR 1.52 or 1.53					
	I JRE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR	AGENT			
Firm or Individual name		ration No. 32,058			
Signature Bradly N./					
Date	<b>y</b>				
CERTIFICATE OF MAILING					

4

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231 on this date: 6 June 2000 Heather A. McLennand Typed or printed name 6 June 2000 Date Homan, Signature

Burden Hour Statement: This form is estimated to take 0.2 hours to complete. Time will vary depending upon the needs of the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you are required to complete this form should be send to the Chief Information Officer, Patent and Trademark Office, Washington, DC 20231. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, DC 20231.

RECORDED: 06/08/2000

**PATENT** REEL: 010865 FRAME: 0664