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ASSIGNMENT

I, HEINER R. W. FINK, residing in Neuss, Federal Republic of Germany and a citizen of the Federal Republic of Germany , for good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, have assigned and do hereby assign to H.R.W. FINK GmbH, having a principal place of business at In den Weiden 2, D40721 Hilden, Federal Republic $\circ f$ its successors, assigns Germany, and 1egal representatives (Assignee), the entire right, title and interest in and to all subject matter invented by me and disclosed in the application for Design Patent of the United States entitled

DECORATIVE ARTICLE

U.S. Application No. 29/117,671, filed January 27, 2000, and in and to all Patent and all Convention and Treaty rights of all kinds including the rights to claim priority therefrom, in the United States of America, for all such subject matter. I agree to sign all documents necessary to secure all said Design Patents and rights, and request issuance of all said Design Patents to the above assignee in accordance with this request.

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