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have invented certain improvements in:

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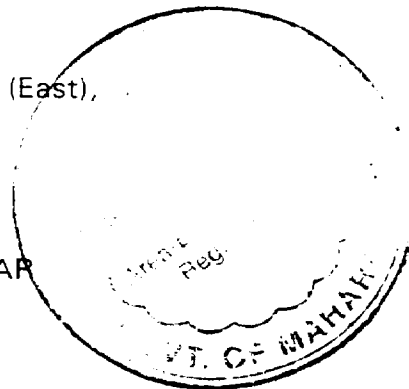
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AND WHEREAS, **UNILEVER HOME & PERSONAL CARE USA, DIVISION OF
CONOPCO, INC.**, a corporation of **NEW YORK**, having a principal place of business at **33
BENEDICT PLACE, GREENWICH, CONNECTICUT 06830, USA** desires to acquire the
entire right title and interest in and to the aforesaid invention, and to said United States
application or any reissues, divisions, continuation, or continuation-in-part thereof, and in
any Letters Patent which may issue therefrom;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of one dollar (\$1.00) and other good and
valuable consideration in hand paid, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby
acknowledged, I/We, the undersigned, hereby sell, assign and transfer to the aforesaid
UNILEVER HOME & PERSONAL CARE USA, DIVISION OF CONOPCO, INC., its successors
and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to the said application and invention
therein disclosed for the United States, and in and to any and all divisional, continuation,
continuation-in-part, reissue or other applications describing said invention or
improvements thereon, and in and to any and all Letters Patent of the United States which
may issue from said applications or any of them, the same to be held by and for the sole
and exclusive use and benefit of the said **UNILEVER HOME & PERSONAL CARE USA,
DIVISION OF CONOPCO, INC.**, its successors and assigns.



AND I/We do hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents to issue the said Letters Patent of the United States to said **UNILEVER HOME & PERSONAL CARE USA, DIVISION OF CONOPCO, INC.**, as the ASSIGNEE of the entire right, title and interest in and to the same.

AND I/We do hereby agree to assist said **UNILEVER HOME & PERSONAL CARE, USA, DIVISION OF CONOPCO, INC.**, in the prosecution of any and all said applications and in the prosecution of any and all interferences or other proceedings which may arise involving said invention, and to execute and deliver any powers of attorney, affidavits, assignments, applications, reissues, documents, or other written instruments which, in the opinion of counsel for said **UNILEVER HOME & PERSONAL CARE USA, DIVISION OF CONOPCO, INC.**, its successors and assigns, may be necessary in this country fully to secure to said **UNILEVER HOME & PERSONAL CARE USA, DIVISION OF CONOPCO, INC.**, its successors and assigns, any and all said applications, inventions, improvements, Letters Patent, rights, titles, and interests hereby sold, assigned, transferred and conveyed.

In witness whereof, I/we have hereunto set my/our hand

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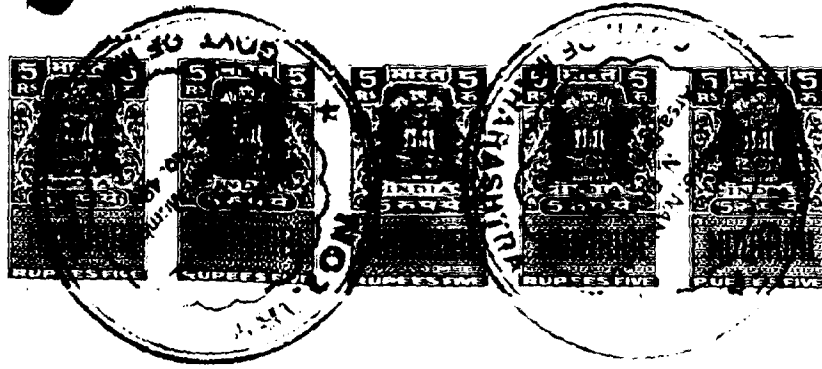
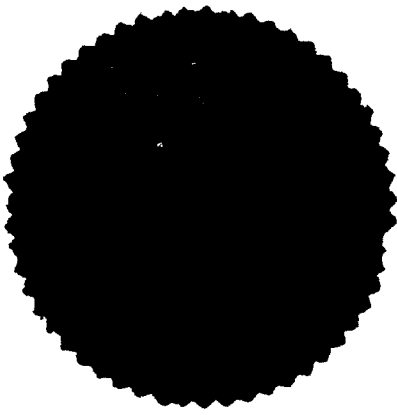
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