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ASSIGNMENT OF PATENT

Whereas, I, T. Y. TSAI, of Taipei, Taiwan, hereinafter referred to as "patentee", did obtain a United States Design Patent for an ornamental design for a Swivel Snap Hook, Patent Number Des. 399,726. dated October 20, 1998; and, whereas, I am the sole owner of said Design Patent; and

Whereas, Coastal Pet Products, Inc., a corporation formed and existing under the laws of the State of Ohio, hereinafter referred to as "assignee", whose post office address is 911 Leadway Avenue, City of Alliance, State of Ohio, Zip Code 44601 is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said Design Patent;

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of ten (\$10.00) Dollars and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt whereof is acknowledged, I, the patentee, by these presents do sell, assign and transfer unto the assignee the entire right, title and interest in and to the said Design Patent, including the right to sue for any past infringements of said Design Patent: the same to be held and enjoyed by the said assignee for its own use and behoof, and for its legal representatives and assigns, to the full end of the term for which said Design Patent is granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by me had this assignment and sale not been made.

EXECUTED this 24th day of July, 2000, at Shelby County, Tennessee.

T. Y. Tsai
T. Y. TSAI

State of Tennessee
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Before me personally appeared the said T. Y. Tsai and acknowledged the foregoing instrument to be his free act and deed this 24th day of July, 2000.

Colleen F. Sheehan
Notary Public

My Commission Expires: March 14, 2001

