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11/03/2000

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Name (line 1) Syndicate Sales, Inc.

Name (line 2)

Address (line 1) 2025 N. Wabash St.

Address (line 2) P.O. Box 756

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IN USA

46903-0756

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Patent Application Number(s)**Patent Number(s)**

D399,781

6,012,250

5,987,814

D410,409

6,055,769

D399,782

If this document is being filed together with a new Patent Application, enter the date the patent application was signed by the first named executing inventor.

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John V. Moriarty

Name of Person Signing

Signature

Date

ASSIGNMENT

This Assignment is by and between Floral Ever Fresh Products, Inc., (Assignor) a corporation of _____, and Syndicate Sales, Inc. (Assignee), a corporation of Indiana having a principal place of business at 2025 N. Wabash St., P.O. Box 756, Kokomo, Indiana 46903-0756.

WHEREAS, Assignor is the owner of the entire right, title and interest in the inventions disclosed, described and claimed or intended so to be in the following U.S. Patents:

Pat. No. D399,781	Title: Floral Display Holder	Issued 10/20/98
Pat. No. 5,987,814	Title: Floral Display Holder	Issued 11/23/99
Pat. No. 6,055,769	Title: Holder for Floral Arrangements	Issued 5/2/00
Pat. No. 6,012,250	Title: Floral Display Holder	Issued 1/11/00
Pat. No. D410,409	Title: Floral Display Holder	Issued 6/1/99
Pat. No. D399,782	Title: Holder for Floral Arrangements	Issued 10/20/98

and in, and under said U.S. Patents, and any and all applications thereon and arising therefrom, and any and all patents to be issued and obtained therefore and thereon; and

WHEREAS, Assignee, desires to acquire all of the entire right, title, and interest in, to and under said inventions disclosed, described and claimed or intended so to be in said U.S. Patents, and in, to and under said U. S. Patents, and in, to and under any and all applications and patents, United States, which may be obtained therefor and thereon;

NOW, THEREFORE, to all whom it may concern, be it known that for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good, valuable and sufficient considerations to Assignor in hand paid, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignor has sold, assigned and transferred, and by these presents does sell, assign and transfer unto Assignee, all of the entire right, title, and interest in, to and under said inventions disclosed, described and claimed or intended so to be in said U.S. Patents D399,781, 5,987,814, 6,055,769, 6,012,250, D410,409, and D399,782, and in, to and under said U.S. Patents, and any and all applications thereon and arising therefrom, including any and all divisions and continuations, continuations-in-part, extensions, re-examinations thereof, and any and all patents to be issued and obtained therefor and thereon.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, Assignor has executed, or caused to be executed by its duly authorized and appointed representative, this Assignment as of the date written below.

Floral Ever Fresh Products, Inc.

By: James E. Ray

Name: JAMES E. RAY

Title: President

Date: Nov 3/2000

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**FEE TRANSMITTAL
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Complete if Known

Patent Numbers	D399,781;5,987,814; 6,055,769; 6,012,250; D410,409; D399,782
Issue Date	10/20/98; 11/23/99; 5/2/00; 1/11/00; 6/1/99; 10/20/98
First Named Inventor	James E. Ray
Group Art Unit	
Examiner Name	
Attorney Docket Number	5427-1

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METHOD OF PAYMENT

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- Charge any Additional Fee Required
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- Under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17

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- Applicant claims small entity status.
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- See 37 CFR 1.27.

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FEE CALCULATION**1. BASIC FILING FEE**

Large Fee Code	Entity Fee (\$)	Small Fee Code	Entity Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
101	710	201	355	Utility Filing Fee	
106	320	206	160	Design Filing Fee	
107	490	207	245	Plant Filing Fee	
108	710	208	355	Reissue Filing Fee	
114	150	214	75	Provisional Filing Fee	
SUBTOTAL (1) (\$)					

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

		Extra Claims	Fee From Below	Fee Paid
Total Claims	-20** =		X	
Independent Claims	-3** =		X	
Multiple Dependent				

Large Fee Code	Entity Fee (\$)	Small Fee Code	Entity Fee (\$)	Fee Description
103	18	203	9	Claims in excess of 20
102	80	202	40	Independent claims in excess of 3
104	270	204	135	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
109	80	209	40	**Reissue independent claims over original patent
110	18	210	9	**Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

SUBTOTAL (2) (\$)

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FEE CALCULATION (continued)**3. ADDITIONAL FEES**


Large Fee Code	Entity Fee (\$)	Small Fee Code	Entity Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
105	130	205	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
127	50	227	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet.	
139	130	139	130	Non-English specification	
147	2,520	147	2,520	For filing a request for <i>ex parte</i> reexamination	
112	920*	112	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner	
113	1,840*	113	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
115	110	215	55	Extension for reply within first month	
116	390	216	195	Extension for reply within second month	
117	890	217	445	Extension for reply within third month	
118	1,390	218	695	Extension for reply within fourth month	
128	1,890	228	945	Extension for reply within fifth month	
119	310	219	155	Notice of Appeal	
120	310	220	155	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121	270	221	135	Request for oral hearing	
138	1,510	138	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140	110	240	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
141	1,240	241	620	Petition to revive - unintentional	
142	1,240	242	620	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143	440	243	220	Design issue fee	
144	600	244	300	Plant issue fee	
122	130	122	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
123	50	123	50	Petitions related to provisional applications	
126	240	126	240	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
581	40	581	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	240
146	710	246	355	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))	
149	710	249	355	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))	
179	710	279	355	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
169	900	169	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	

Other Fee (specify)

* Reduced by Basic Filing Fee Paid

SUBTOTAL (3) (\$ 240)

Complete (if applicable)

SUBMITTED BY		Registration No.	26,207	Telephone	(317) 634-3456
Name (Print/Type)		John V. Moriarty		Date	December 5, 2000
Signature					

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