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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, the Assignor, Stacey Renae Burke, having a residence address at 27620 Cool Water Ranch Road, Valley Center, California, 92082, USA, having made an invention for an "FERRET LITTER PAN", as a patent application executed for submission to the United States Patent Office on March 19, 2001 as a new application for a design patent.

NOW, therefore, to all whom it may concern: Be it known that for good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is acknowledged, the Assignor has agreed to assign and transfer and do hereby assign and transfer unto LEE'S AQUARIUM & PET PRODUCTS, a corporation of California, having its principal office at 294 La Moree Road, San Marcos, CA 92078, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to the said invention and application, and in and to any division, continuation or continuation-in-part, of said application, and in any and to all Letters Patent and reissues and extensions thereof, of the United States and countries foreign thereto (including the right to apply for Letters Patent in foreign countries in its own name and to claim any priority rights for such foreign applications to which such applications are entitled under international conventions, treaties, or otherwise), which have been or may be granted on any of the foregoing to be held and enjoyed as fully and exclusively as they would have been by the Assignor had this assignment and transfer not been made;

The Assignor further agrees to execute and deliver promptly without further consideration any further applications, assignments and documents, and all pertinent facts relating to said application, said invention and said Letters Patent, as may be known and accessible and will testify as to same in any interference or litigation related thereto, and to perform such other acts as lawfully possible, that may be deemed necessary by said Lee's Aquarium & Pet Products, and its successors, assigns, and nominees, fully to secure its interest as aforesaid and to obtain or maintain Letters Patent in any and all countries;

The Assignor hereby covenants that no assignment, transfer, sale, agreement or encumbrance has or will be made or entered into which would conflict with this assignment and transfer;

The Assignor hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents to issue any and all Letters Patent which may be granted upon said application, to said Lee's Aquarium & Pet Products, the Assignee of the entire interest therein.

The Assignor has hereunto signed his/her name on the day and year set forth below.

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Date


Stacey Renae Burke