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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, I, **VICKI INGRAM**, of 1021 Sunrise Drive, Emporia, KS 66801, have invented certain new and useful improvements in

WASH BRUSH SYSTEM WITH REMOVABLE HEAD

for which I am about to make application for Letters Patent of the United States; and

WHEREAS, **HOPKINS MANUFACTURING CORPORATION**, a Corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of **DELAWARE**, and having its principal place of business at 428 Peyton, P.O. Box 1157, Emporia, KS 66801-1157, is desirous of acquiring an interest in, to and under said invention, said application and any and all Letters Patent which may be granted for or upon said invention in the United States of America and all countries foreign thereto.

NOW, THEREFORE, to all whom it may concern be it known that for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, I, **VICKI INGRAM**, have sold, assigned and transferred, and by these presents do sell, assign and transfer unto said **HOPKINS MANUFACTURING CORPORATION**, the full and exclusive right, title and interest, throughout the world, in, to and under the following:

- (a) said invention as fully set forth and described in the specification prepared, and executed by me on even date herewith preparatory to obtaining Letters Patent of the United States therefor;
- (b) said application;
- (c) any and all refilings and continuations of said application;
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- (g) any and all refilings, divisions and continuations of said foreign-filed applications;

