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CarnaudMetalbox PLC (formerly known
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CMB Packaging (UK) Limited

September 13, 2001

First Assignor

Date of Execution

Second Assignor

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Third Assignor

Date of Execution

Fourth Assignor

Date of Execution

Fifth Assignor

Date of Execution

Sixth Assignor

Date of Execution

Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? () YES (X) NO

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies):

Name: Crown Cork & Seal Technologies Corporation

Street Address: 11535 S. Central Avenue

City: Alsip

State Illinois

ZIP 60803-2599

Additional name(s) & address attached? () YES (X) NO

3. Nature of Conveyance (check only one):

- (x) New Assignment () Merger
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() Cross-reference of Assignment filed in United States
Application No. ____/____, recorded on ____ at
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4. Identification of Application number(s), patent number(s) OR date of execution of application to which assignment refers:

Application Nos.:

Patent Nos.: D305,990
5,059,460
4,957,820
5,168,742

Date application was signed by the first
named executing inventor

(Fill-in this date only if assignment is
filed together with a new application)

5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning documents should be mailed:

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6. Total number of applications and patents involved: 4

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Harold H. Fulmer, Reg. No. 42,560

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October 16, 2001

Date

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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, **CarnaudMetalbox PLC** formerly known as **CMB Foodcan plc** formerly known as **CMB Packaging (UK) Limited** (as noted on attached copy of **Certificate from Registrar of Companies for England and Wales**), hereinafter referred to as the **ASSIGNOR**, a Corporation of the United Kingdom, having its principal place of business at **Downsview Road, Wantage Oxfordshire OX12 9BP** is the owner of certain inventions or improvements for which applications for Letters Patent have been made or for which Letters Patent have been issued, all of which are listed on Attachment A hereto (hereafter Patent Property); and

WHEREAS, **Crown Cork & Seal Technologies Corporation**, hereinafter referred to as the **ASSIGNEE**, a corporation of **Delaware**, having its principal place of business at **11535 S. Central Avenue, Alsip, Illinois 60803-2599**, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to the said Patent Property in any and all countries;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, **ASSIGNOR** has sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over to said **ASSIGNEE**, the entire right, title and interest in and to said Patent Property and any and all continuations, divisions and renewals of and substitutes for said Patent Property and to and under any and all additional Letters Patent which may be granted on or as a result thereof in the United States and any and all other countries, and any reissue or reissues or extension or extensions of said Letters Patent, and the full right to sue for and recover all profits and damages recoverable for past infringement of the same, and assign to and authorize said **ASSIGNEE** to file applications for Letters Patent in all countries, to be held and enjoyed by said **ASSIGNEE**, its successors, assigns, nominees or legal representatives, to the full end of the term or terms for which said Letters Patent respectively may be granted, reissued or extended, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by **ASSIGNOR** had this assignment, sale and transfer not been made.

It is hereby covenanted that **ASSIGNOR** has full right to convey the entire interest herein assigned, and that **ASSIGNOR** has not executed and will not execute any agreement in conflict herewith, and **ASSIGNOR** further covenants and agrees that it will each time request is made and without undue delay, execute and deliver all such papers as may be necessary or desirable to perfect the title to said Patent Property in said assignee, its successors, assigns, nominees, or legal representatives, and **ASSIGNOR** agrees to communicate to said **ASSIGNEE** or to its nominee all known facts respecting said Patent Property, to testify in any legal proceedings, to sign all lawful papers to execute all disclaimers and divisional, continuing, reissue and foreign applications, to make all rightful oaths, and generally to do everything possible to aid said **ASSIGNEE**, its successors, assigns, nominees and legal representatives to obtain and enforce for its or their own benefit proper patent protection for said inventions or improvements in any and all countries, all at the expense, however, of said **ASSIGNEE**, its successors, assigns, nominees or legal representatives.

AND ASSIGNOR hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States and any official of any country or countries foreign to the United States whose duty it is to issue patents on applications as aforesaid, to issue to said ASSIGNEE, as assignee of the entire right, title and interest, any and all Letters Patent for Patent property, including any and all Letters Patent of the United States which may be issued and granted on or as a result of any applications included in said Patent Property, in accordance with the terms of this assignment.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned, being properly authorized to execute this Assignment, hereunto sets their hand and seal.

CarnaudMetalbox PLC

By: Debra J. Smith
Name: DEBRA JANE CLARE SMITH

Its: authorised signatory
Title:

Date: 13 September 2001

Witnessed by: Debra J. Smith On 13 September 2001

**THE COMPANIES ACT 1985**

Company No. 178090

The Registrar of Companies for England and Wales hereby certifies that CarnaudMetalbox plc, (originally called ALLIED TIN BOX MAKERS, LIMITED, changed its name on 7th April 1922 to METAL BOX & PRINTING INDUSTRIES, LIMITED, which was changed on 26th September 1930 to THE METAL BOX COMPANY, LIMITED, which was changed on 20th December 1974 to METAL BOX LIMITED, each change having been made by special resolution and to which approval has been given in accordance with the provisions of the relevant Companies Acts) was incorporated under the Companies Acts 1908 to 1917 as a limited company on 29th November 1921, re-registered under the Companies Acts 1948 to 1980 as a public company on 31st December 1981 to METAL BOX PUBLIC LIMITED COMPANY, which name was changed on 30th September 1988 to MB GROUP plc, which name was changed on 25th April 1989 to CMB PACKAGING (UK) LIMITED, each change having been made by special resolution.

The Registrar further certifies that on the same 25th April 1989 the said company re-registered under the Companies Act 1985 as a private company, which name was changed by special resolution on 1st May 1990 to CMB Foodcan plc.

The Registrar also certifies that on the same 1st May 1990 the said company re-registered under the Companies Act 1985 as a public company, which name was changed by special resolution on 1st November 1992 to CarnaudMetalbox plc.

The Registrar further certifies that according to the latest notice given by the company, the situation of the registered office is DOWNSVIEW ROAD, WANTAGE, OXON OX12 9BP.

Given at Companies House, Cardiff the 11th January 1995

MRS. M. JEYA
for the Registrar of Companies



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Attachment A

Attorney Docket No.	Patent Number	Issue Date	Title
CC-3131	Des.305,990	February 13, 1990	Container Closure
CC-3139	5,059,460	October 22, 1991	Laminated Metal Sheet
CC-3142	4,957,820	September 18, 1990	Laminated Metal Sheet
CC-3149	5,168,742	December 8, 1992	Method and Apparatus for Forming Wall Ironed Articles