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## ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS We, Dov Z. Glucksman of 137 Larch Row, Wenham,
Massachusetts 01984 and Gary P. McGonagle of 54 Greenwood Avenue, Lynn,
Massachusetts 01905 and Laura J. Nickerson of 29 Maple Avenue, Andover,
Massachusetts 01810, citizens of the United States of America (hereinafter called Assignors) have invented certain new and useful improvements in A HUMIDIFIER
for which an application for United States Letters Patent was filed on April 20, 2001,
Serial No. 09/838,880; and

WHEREAS Appliance Development Corporation, a corporation duly organized under the Laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, located at 130 Centre Street, Danvers, County of Essex, Massachusetts, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and in and to any Letters Patent that may be granted therefor in the United States and in any and all foreign countries;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of Ten (\$10.00) Dollars, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, and other good and valuable consideration, Assignors have sold, assigned and transferred and by these presents do sell, assign and transfer unto the said Appliance Development Corporation, its successors and assigns the full and exclusive right, title and interest in and to said invention and in and to said patent application in the United States of America and its territorial possessions and in any and all foreign countries and the entire right, title and interest in and to any and all Letters Patent which may be granted therefor in the United States of America or in any and all said foreign countries and in and to any and all divisions, continuations, renewals, substitutions or reissues and extensions thereof for the full term or terms for which the same may be granted;

PATENT REEL: 012092 FRAME: 0430 Assignors hereby covenant that no assignment, sale, agreement or encumbrance has been or will be made or entered into which would conflict with this assignment and sale;

Assignors hereby authorize and request the Patent and Trademark Office officials in the United States of America and any and all foreign countries to issue any and all of said Letters Patent, when granted, to said Appliance Development Corporation as the assignee of Assignors' entire right, title and interest in and to the same for the sole use and behoof of said Appliance Development Corporation, its successors and assigns to the full end of the term for which any of said Letters Patent may be granted as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by Assignors had this assignment and sale not been made;

Further, Assignors agree to communicate to Appliance Development
Corporation or its representatives any facts known to Assignors respecting said
invention, to testify in any legal proceeding, to sign all lawful papers, to execute all
divisional, continuation, substitution, renewal and reissue applications, to execute all
necessary assignment papers to cause any and all of said Letters Patent to be issued to
said Appliance Development Corporation, to make all rightful oaths and generally to
do everything possible to aid said Appliance Development Corporation, its
successors and assigns to obtain and enforce proper protection for said invention in the
United States of America and in any and all foreign countries without further
compensation, but at the expense of Appliance Development Corporation, its
successors, assigns or other legal representatives; and

Assignors hereby appoint the Secretary or any other officer of Appliance

Development Corporation as Assignors' attorney-in-fact and agent to execute all documents required or appropriate to perfect or enforce all rights assigned under this Agreement and further authorizes Assignors' attorney and attorneys and the attorney

PATENT REEL: 012092 FRAME: 0431 and attorneys for Appliance Development Corporation to register this assignment in any and all countries.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF Dov Z. Glucksman Gary P. McGonagle and	d
Laura F. Nickerson have hereunto set their hands and seals this <u>AD</u> day of August	t,
2001, this <u>/3</u> day of August, 2001, and this <u>/3</u> day of August, 2001.	

Dov Z. Glucksman

Gary P. McGonagle

Laura J. Nickerson

Commonwealth of Massachusetts	)	
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Essex County	)	

Before me personally appeared the above named **Dov Z. Glucksman** on the date aforesaid, known to me to be the person described herein, who executed the foregoing instrument before me and acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed.

(Notarial Seal)

Notary Public

My commission expires: 2/22/2002

Commonwealth of Massachusetts	)
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Before me personally appeared the	above named Gary P. McGonagle on the
date aforesaid, known to me to be the pers	
foregoing instrument before me and acknowledge	owledged the same to be his free act and
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<b>Essex County</b>	)
Before me personally appeared the	above named Laura P. Nickerson on the
date aforesaid, known to me to be the per	son described herein, who executed the
foregoing instrument before me and acknowledge	owledged the same to be her free act and
deed.	
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