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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS we, R. Dennis Nesbitt of 70 Deer Path Lane, Westfield, Massachusetts 01085, U.S.A.; Mark L. Binette of 241 Elizabeth Drive, Ludlow, Massachusetts 01056, U.S.A.; John T. Neill of 196 County Road, Woodstock, Connecticut 06281, U.S.A.; and Michael J. Sullivan of 3 River Oak Road, Barrington, Rhode Island 02806, U.S.A., all citizens of the United States of America, have invented a new product entitled,

MULTI-LAYER GOLF BALL, and,

WHEREAS an application for Letters Patent of the United States was filed on January 22, 2000 and was assigned U.S. Serial No. 09/490,183, and

SPALDING SPORTS WORLDWIDE, INC., a corporation of Delaware, with its principal place of business at 425 Meadow Street, P.O. Box 901, Chicopee, Massachusetts 01021-0901, U.S.A., is desirous of acquiring certain rights thereunder,

NOW THEREFORE, for one dollar (\$1) or other valuable consideration to us in hand paid by SPALDING SPORTS WORLDWIDE, INC., we have agreed to and do hereby sell, assign, and set over to said SPALDING SPORTS WORLDWIDE, INC., its successors or assigns, our entire right, title and interest in, to and under said invention and any Letters Patent of the United States of America and/or any country foreign thereto, including any and all divisionals, continuing applications, substitute, renewal, reissue which have been or may be filed on improvements of said application that may be granted to us therefore. Further, we hereby

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PATENT REEL: 012146 FRAME: 0802 authorize the above-mentioned assignee to insert in this instrument the identifying serial number and filing date of our said application when received.

We hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue said Letters Patent in accordance with this Assignment.

WITNESS my hand and seal this 28day of u_5 -2001. R. Dennis Nesbitt COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS SS: Chicopee COUNTY OF HAMPDEN On this 28 day of Uneust , 2001, before me, a Notary Public, personally appeared the above named **R**. Dennis Nesbitt, to me known to be the person who executed the foregoing Assignment and who has acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed. Notary Public Signature MICHELLÉ BUGBEE Notary Public Z006 My Commission Expires: Commonwealth of Massachusetts My Commission Expires September 1 2006 WITNESS my hand and seal this $\cancel{844}$ day of Mark L. Binette COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS SS: Chicopee COUNTY OF HAMPDEN , 2001, before me, a Notary Public, On this day of personally appeared the above named Mark L. Binette, to me known to be the person who executed the foregoing Assignment and who has acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed. MICHELLE BUGBEE Notary Public Signature Notary Public My Commission Expires: Commonwealth of Massachusetts My Commission Expires September 1, 2006 Page 2 of 3

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WITNESS my hand and seal this <u>8</u> day of <u>unquest</u> , 2001.
John T. Neill STATE OF <u>Connecticut</u> COUNTY OF <u>Windkam</u> On this <u>8</u> <u>H</u> day of <u>August</u> , 2001, before me, a Notary Public, personally appeared the above named <u>John T. Neill</u> , to me known to be the person who executed the foregoing Assignment and who has acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed. <u>Saura</u> <u>A</u> <u>Marshall</u> Notary Public Signature My Commission Expires: <u>August 31</u> , 2003
WITNESS my hand and seal this 25 th day of , 2001. , Michael J. Sullivan
STATE OF <u>MASSAERASETT</u> COUNTY OF <u>BRISTEL</u> On this <u>25</u> day of <u>July</u> , 2001, before me, a Notary Public, personally appeared the above named <u>Michael J. Sullivan</u> , to me known to be the person who executed the foregoing Assignment and who has acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed. <u>Susce</u> <u>L</u> <u>Cockwood</u> Notary Public Signature My Commission Expires: <u>Sept. 30, 2005</u>

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