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Gary C. Harding

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

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

Name: Paramount Bedding, Inc. dba Paramount  
Manufacturing

Internal Address:

## 3. Nature of Conveyance:

- ☒ Assignment ☐ Merger  
☐ Security Agreement ☐ Change of Name  
☐ Other

Execution Date: August 24, 2001

Street Address: 19767 SE Sunnyside Road

City Damascus State OR ZIP

Additional name(s) & address(es) attached? ☐ Yes ☒ No

## 4. Application number(s) or patent number(s):

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of the application is: \_\_\_\_\_

A. Patent Application No.(s)

09/793,280

B. Patent No.(s)

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

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## 6. Total number of applications and patents involved: 1

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## 9. Statement and signature.

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David P. Petersen

September 7, 2001

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## ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, I, Gary C. Harding, of Archer, County of Alachua, State of Florida, together with Nels V. Lewis, of Portland, County of Multnomah, State of Oregon, have invented a certain invention, entitled METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR COMPRESSING A MATTRESS WITH AN INNER COIL SPRING, for which we filed United States Application Serial No. 09/793,280 for Letters Patent of the United States, said application having been filed on the 28th day of February, 2001; and

WHEREAS, Paramount Bedding, Inc. dba Paramount Manufacturing (hereinafter Paramount Manufacturing), a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Oregon, having a place of business at 19767 SE Sunnyside Road, Damascus, Oregon, desires to acquire an interest therein:


NOW, THEREFORE, for one hundred dollars (\$100), the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I, Gary C. Harding hereby sell, assign and transfer to Paramount Manufacturing, the full and exclusive right, title and interest in and to said invention, patent application and patent rights throughout the world, including foreign patent priority rights, the right to file and prosecute International Applications under the Patent Cooperation Treaty, and the right to file and prosecute applications under the European Patent Convention; said invention, application and letters patent in this or any foreign country, and all divisions, continuations, reissues and extensions thereof, to be held and enjoyed by Paramount Manufacturing, for its own use and benefit, and for its successors and assigns to the full end of the term for which letters patent may be granted in this or any foreign country, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by me had this assignment and sale not been made, and covenant that I have full right so to do,

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and agree that I will communicate to Paramount Manufacturing, or its successors and assigns, any facts known to me respecting said invention, and sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuing and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths, and do everything possible to aid Paramount Manufacturing, its successors and assigns to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for said invention in this or any foreign country.

I hereby grant the law firm of Klarquist Sparkman Campbell Leigh & Winston, LLP, the power to insert on this Assignment any further information which may be necessary or desirable in order to comply with all applicable legal requirements, including the rules of the United States Patent and Trademark Office, for submitting and recording this document.


Executed at the place and date opposite my signature below.

  
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Gary C. Harding


At Williston FL  
(City and State)  
on this 24 day of August, 2001.


STATE OF FLORIDA            )  
                                      )    ss.  
COUNTY OF ALACHUA        )

This 24 day of August, 2001, before me personally came the above-named Gary C. Harding, who executed the foregoing instrument in my presence, and who acknowledged to me that he executed the same of his own free will for the purposes set forth therein.

  
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Notary Public For Florida  
My commission expires:

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