



ASSIGNMENT OF INVENTION

In consideration of One Dollar and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the undersigned has assigned and hereby assigns to **Pechiney Emballage Flexible Europe**, its successors, assigns and legal representatives (hereinafter called "said assignee") the entire right, title and interest in the invention or improvements of the undersigned disclosed in U.S. patent application serial number 09/193,677 filed November 17, 1998 now U.S. Patent No. 6,113,841 issued September 5, 2000 and continuation patent application serial number 09/629,473 filed July 31, 2000, both entitled **MULTIPLE IN-LINE PARISON CONTROL**, and in said patent and application and any and all other applications for United States Patent, which the undersigned may file, either solely or jointly with others, on said invention or improvements, and in any and all United States Patents, which may be obtained on any of said applications, and in any reissue, reexamination or extension thereof.

The undersigned hereby authorize(s) and request(s) the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue said Letters Patent to said assignee and authorize(s) and request(s) the attorney(s) of record in said application to insert in this assignment the date and serial number of said application.

For said consideration, the undersigned hereby agree(s) upon the request and at the expense of said assignee or its assignees, to execute any divisional, continuation or substitute application for said invention or improvements, and any oath or affidavit relating thereto, and any application for the reissue, reexamination or extension of any Patent that may be granted upon said application, and, in the event of any application or Patent assigned herein becoming involved in Interference, to co-operate to the best of the ability of the undersigned in the matters of preparing and executing the preliminary statement and giving and producing evidence in support thereof. The undersigned agree(s) to perform, upon request, any affirmative acts to obtain said United States Patent and vest in said assignee and its assignees all rights therein, whereby said Patent will be held and enjoyed by said assignee and its assignees, to the full end of the term for which said Patent may be granted as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by the undersigned if this assignment had not been made.

And for said consideration, the undersigned hereby assign(s) to said assignee the entire right, title and interest in said invention or improvements for all foreign countries, including all priority rights under the International Convention, and agree(s) to execute, at the request of said assignee or its assignees, all documents in connection with any application for foreign letters patent therefor.

Date 8/2/01

Gary Nielsen  
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STATE OF ILLINOIS )

COUNTY OF COOK )

SS: 469 88 9322

On this 2nd day of August, 2001, before me, a Notary Public in and for said county, appeared Gary Nielsen, who is personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing assignment document, and acknowledged that he/she signed and delivered the document as his/her free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein set forth.



Notary Public Jane F. McGinnity  
My Commission Expires: 8/25/02

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