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Atkins Technical, Incorporated
1855 N.E. 12th Avenue, Suite A
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Name: Atkins Acquiring Company

Internal Address: P.O. Box 450

Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? Yes No

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- Assignment Merger
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Street Address: 33 Reeds Gap Road

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A. Patent Application No.(s)

B. Patent No.(s)

6,180,889

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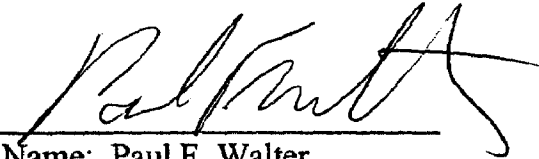
U.S. PATENT ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, **Atkins Technical, Inc.**, a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of Florida, and having a place of business at 1855 NE 12th Avenue, Suite A, Gainesville, Florida, hereinbelow called "Assignor", owns and has used in its business the United States Patent identified on Schedule A attached hereto (the "Patent"); and

WHEREAS, **Atkins Acquiring Company**, a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of Connecticut, and having a place of business at 33 Reeds Gap Road, Middlefield, Connecticut, hereinbelow called "Assignee", is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to the said Patent;

THEREFORE, BE IT KNOWN that for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) to it in hand paid, and other good and valuable consideration, the sufficiency and receipt of which are hereby acknowledged, Assignor hereby sells, assigns, transfers and sets over unto Assignee, its legal representatives and successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to the said Patent, to the full end of the term for which said Patent is granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by Assignee had this assignment and sale not been made.

ATKINS TECHNICAL, INC.

By: 
Print Name: Paul F. Walter
Print Title: Chairman of Board

Dated: October 9, 2001.

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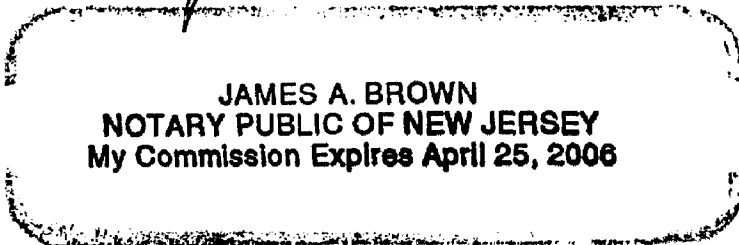
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Sworn to before me this 3rd day of October, 2001 before me personally appeared Paul F. Walter, to me known and known to me to be the person who executed the foregoing instrument, and who being by me duly sworn, did depose and say that he is the Chairman and Director of Atkins Technical, Inc., the corporation described in and on whose behalf was executed the foregoing instrument; and that he signed his name thereto on behalf of and with the authorization of the board of directors of said company as the free deed and act of said company.

Witness my hand and official seal.

James A Brown
Notary Public



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