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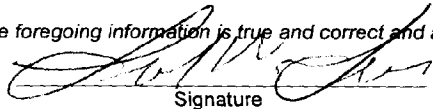
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GLOBAL GENERAL ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS I/we, the undersigned inventor(s) herewith declare that I am the sole inventor/we are the joint inventors and I/we have made a certain invention as set forth in a patent application (including industrial designs and utility models) entitled **Devices and Methods for Eliminating Termite colonies**, Attorney's Docket No. **8438** and filed in the **United States** Patent Office as Number 09/799,184, on **March 5, 2001** (the hereinafter named assignee being authorized to insert said Number and filing date when ascertained):

- Philip Frederick Brode, III** of **Cincinnati**, County of **Hamilton**, State of **Ohio**;
- Garry Steven Garrett** of **Fairfield**, County of **Butler**, State of **Ohio**;
- Leo Timothy Laughlin** of **Mason**, County of **Warren**, State of **Ohio**;
- Randall Stryker Matthews** of **Cincinnati**, County of **Hamilton**, State of **Ohio**;
- Dale Edwin Barker** of **Hamilton**, County of **Butler**, State of **Ohio**;
- Daniel James Kinne** of **Cincinnati**, County of **Hamilton**, State of **Ohio**;
- Gary Eugene McKibben** of **Middletown**, County of **Warren**, State of **Ohio**;
- Christopher Miles Miller** of **Milford**, County of **Clermont**, State of **Ohio**.
- Timothy Robert Probst** of **Cincinnati**, County of **Hamilton**, State of **Ohio**.

I/We made said invention set forth in said patent application while employed by, or otherwise under an obligation to assign said invention to The Procter & Gamble Company or one of its Affiliates (including, Procter & Gamble Asia Pacific Ltd.; Procter & Gamble Australia Pty. Ltd.; Procter & Gamble Technology (Beijing) Co., Ltd.; Procter & Gamble Far East, Inc.; Procter & Gamble Hong Kong Ltd.; Procter & Gamble India, Ltd.; Procter & Gamble Indonesia; Procter & Gamble Korea, Inc.; Procter & Gamble Malaysia Sdn. Bhd.; Procter & Gamble Philippines, Inc.; Procter & Gamble Taiwan Ltd; Procter & Gamble Manufacturing (Thailand) Ltd.; Procter & Gamble (Guangzhou) Ltd.; Procter & Gamble de Mexico; and Procter & Gamble de Venezuela) and acknowledge my/our obligation at the time the invention was made to assign said invention to The Procter & Gamble Company or the Affiliate, respectively. Pursuant to said obligation and (in the case of employment by or obligation to the Affiliate) at the request of the Affiliate, I/we assign to The Procter & Gamble Company, its legal representatives, successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest (including the right to claim priority of the filing date of said patent application under international conventions) in said invention as set forth in said patent application, and in all patents of the United States and of any other country which may be issued for said invention, as fully and completely as the same would have been held by me/us had this assignment not been made. The entire right, title and interest shall vest irrevocably in The Procter & Gamble Company. I/We further agree upon request, without additional compensation but at no expense to me/us, to execute or assent to applications, and to execute all other legal documents as may be necessary or desirable to vest the enjoyment of the rights assigned to The Procter & Gamble Company, its legal representatives, successors and assigns, or as said Company may direct.

I/We request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any Letters Patent of the United States which may be issued for said invention herein assigned and as set forth in U. S. Application Serial Number 09/799,184 (the hereinafter named assignee being authorized to insert said U.S. Serial Number when ascertained) to The Procter & Gamble Company, its legal representatives, successors or assigns, as the sole owner of the entire right, title, and interest in said patent and the invention and the invention covered thereby.

The ASSIGNMENT of said invention is effective as of the earlier of 1) the date of execution shown below or 2) the filing date of said patent application.

Philip Frederick Brode, III  
Philip Frederick Brode, III

3/5/2001  
Date

State of Ohio }  
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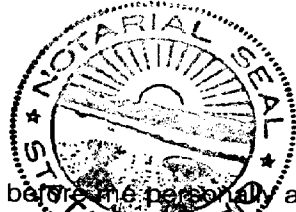
On this 2nd day of March, 2001, before me personally appeared Philip Frederick Brode, III, to me known to be the person named in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.



Gayle H. Memory  
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Gayle H. Memory  
Notary Public, State of Ohio  
My Commission Expires June 21, 2005

Garry Steven Garrett  
Garry Steven Garrett

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County of Hamilton } SS



3-2-01  
Date

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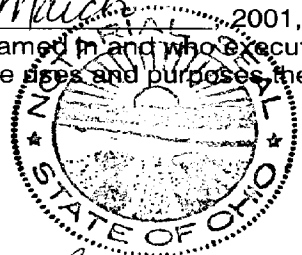
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**BRIDGET M. STROBL**  
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Leo Timothy Laughlin  
Leo Timothy Laughlin

State of Ohio }  
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**BRIDGET M. STROBL**  
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On this 2 day of March, 2001, before me personally appeared Leo Timothy Laughlin, to me known to be the person named in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

Bridget M. Strobl  
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3/5/01  
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Randall Stryker Matthews  
Randall Stryker Matthews

State of Ohio }  
County of Hamilton } SS

On this 5 day of March, 2001, before me personally appeared Randall Stryker Matthews, to me known to be the person named in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

Gayle H. Memory  
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Dale Edwin Barker  
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State of Ohio }  
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On this 2 day of March, 2001, before me personally appeared Dale Edwin Barker, to me known to be the person named in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

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Daniel James Kinne  
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3-2-01  
Date

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County of Butler } SS

On this 2 day of March, 2001, before me personally appeared Daniel James Kinne, to me known to be the person named in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

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Gary Eugene McKibben  
Gary Eugene McKibben

3-2-01  
Date

State of Ohio }  
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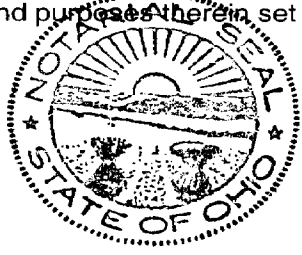
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Christopher Miles Miller  
Christopher Miles Miller

State of Ohio }  
County of Hamilton } SS

On this 5th day of March, 2001, before me personally appeared Christopher Miles Miller, to me known to be the person named in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.



Gary H. Memory  
Notary Public, State of Ohio  
My Commission Expires June 21, 2005

3-2-01  
Date

Timothy Robert Probst  
Timothy Robert Probst

State of Ohio }  
County of Butler } SS  
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On this \_\_\_\_\_ day of March, 2001, before me personally appeared Timothy Robert Probst, to me known to be the person named in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

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