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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, We, Geoffrey Robert Hammond, of 574 James Reckitt Avenue, Hull, HU8 0LG Great Britain, William John McCarthy, of 1 Sunnybank Cottages, Donhead St. Mary, Shaftesbury, Dorset, SP7 9DL, Great Britain, and Richard Rogers, of Meadows View, Harling Road, Great Hockham, Thetford, Norfolk, IP24 1NT, Great Britain, have invented certain new and useful improvements in a Dishwasher Detergent Capsule for which an application has been made for Letters Patent of the United States, said application having been identified in the United States Patent and Trademark Office by Serial No. 29/143,772, filed June 20, 2001; and

WHEREAS, Reckitt Benckiser N.V., organized and existing under the laws of The Netherlands, and having its principal offices at De Fruittuinen 2-12, 2132 NZ Hoofddorp, The Netherlands, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, said application and in, to and under any and all Letters Patent to be obtained therefor;

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of one US Dollar (USD \$1.00) and other good and valuable considerations to me in hand, paid by said Reckitt Benckiser N.V., the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we have sold, assigned and transferred, and by these presents do hereby sell, assign and transfer unto the said Reckitt Benckiser N.V., its successors and assigns, our entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, said application and the Letters Patent, both foreign and domestic, that may or shall issue, including all of my rights under the International Convention, and I do hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue said Letters Patent to the above-mentioned assignee in accordance herewith.

We hereby authorize said assignee, its successors and assigns, or anyone it may properly designate, to apply for Letters Patent, in its own name if desired, in any and all foreign countries, and additionally claim the filing date of said United States application and/or otherwise take advantage of the provisions of the International Convention.

Upon said consideration, we do hereby covenant and agree with the said assignee, its successors and assigns, that I will not execute any writing or do any act whatsoever conflicting with these presents, and that we or our executors or administrators will at any time upon request, without further or additional consideration, but at the expense of the said assignee, its successors and assigns, execute such additional writings and do such additional acts as said assignee, its successors and assigns, may deem necessary or desirable to perfect the assignee's enjoyment of this grant, and render all necessary assistance in making application for and obtaining original, divisional, continuation, reissued or extended Letters Patent of the United States, or of any and all foreign countries on said invention, and in enforcing any rights occurring as a result of such applications or patents, by giving testimony in any proceedings or transactions involving such applications or patents.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereto set my hand and seal this 12th day of September, 2001.

Geoffery Robert HAMMOND
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(Signature of witness)

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereto set my hand and seal this ____ day of _____, 2001.

William John McCARTHY

(Signature of witness)

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Upon said consideration, we do hereby covenant and agree with the said assignee, its successors and assigns, that I will not execute any writing or do any act whatsoever conflicting with these presents, and that we or our executors or administrators will at any time upon request, without further or additional consideration, but at the expense of the said assignee, its successors and assigns, execute such additional writings and do such additional acts as said assignee, its successors and assigns, may deem necessary or desirable to perfect the assignee's enjoyment of this grant, and render all necessary assistance in making application for and obtaining original, divisional, continuation, reissued or extended Letters Patent of the United States, or of any and all foreign countries on said invention, and in enforcing any rights occurring as a result of such applications or patents, by giving testimony in any proceedings or transactions involving such applications or patents.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereto set my hand and seal this _____ day of _____, 2001.

Geoffery Robert HAMMOND

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereto set my hand and seal this 25 day of September, 2001.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereto set my hand and seal this 22 day of Sept, 2001.

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