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have invented and own the entire United States right, title and interest in an invention for: 54016

AUTOMATED NUGGET DISPENSER


disclosed in my (our) application for United States Letter Patent filed:

- concurrently herewith
- on January 2, 2002 and assigned Serial No. 10/040,892; and

I (we) hereby authorize and request any attorney of Vidas, Arrett & Steinkraus, P.A., Suite 2000, 6109 Blue Circle Drive, Minnetonka, MN 55343-9185, to insert the filing date and application number of said application above when known.

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Dated: 2-21-02 First Inventor's Signature:   
First Inventor's Name: **Brian R. Rudesill**

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