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For good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, Ramiro Arrez and Carlos Arrez (hereinafter referred to as Assignors) assign to Perkins Manufacturing Company (hereinafter referred to as Assignee), an Illinois corporation, having a principal place of business at 423 East Elm Avenue, La Grange, Illinois 60525, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, the entire right, title and interest throughout the world (1) in Assignors' invention in Damage-Resistant Refuse Receptacle Lifter, as described in the Utility Patent Application Serial No. 10/102,060 for Letters Patent of the United States therefor, filed on March 30, 2002, and being designated by Attorney Docket No. PERK 105, and (2) in any and all other United States applications, regular and provisional, and applications in any and all countries which Assignors may file, either solely or jointly with others, on said invention, (3) in any and all Letters Patent of the United States or of any other country which may be obtained on any of the said applications, (4) in any division, continuation, reexamination, reissue or extension of any of the foregoing, and (5) if any above United States application is provisional, in any regular application referring thereto pursuant to 35 USC 119(e) or other internal priority legislation.

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Assignors warrant that they are the owners of the entire right, title and interest in and to the invention and patent application herein assigned and have the right to make this assignment; and further warrant that there are no outstanding prior assignments, licenses, or other rights whatsoever in the interest herein assigned.

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Ramiro Arrez
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Date 4/10/02

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