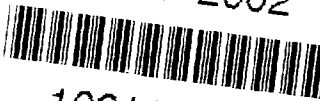


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WHEREAS, I, the undersigned, JEROME A. TURNER of Irvine, in the County of Orange, State of California am the sole inventors of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled a SHOE INCORPORATING IMPROVED SHOCK ABSORPTION AND STABILIZING ELEMENTS for which I have executed an Application for United States Letters Patent on the 30th day of April, 2002 and

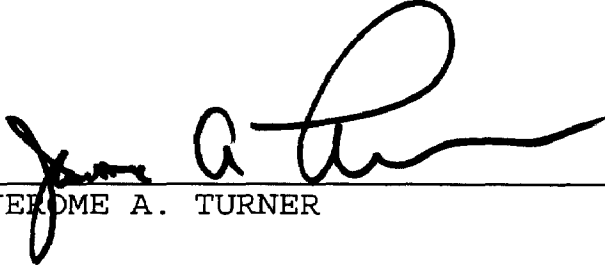
WHEREAS, AMERICAN SPORTING GOODS CORPORATION, a Delaware corporation having its principal place of business at 2323 Main Street, Irvine, California 92614, is desirous of acquiring the whole right, title and interest in and to said invention, application and Letters Patent to issue thereon, in the United States and throughout the world, and likewise, in and to any and all improvements that we may make upon said invention.

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I, the undersigned, JEROME A. TURNER, do hereby sell, assign and transfer unto AMERICAN SPORTING GOODS CORPORATION all of my entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, application and Letters Patent to issue thereon, including any Division, Continuation and Reissue, in the United States and throughout the world; and likewise, in and to any and all improvements that I may make thereon; directing and authorizing the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue the United States Design Letters Patent

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Executed this 30th day of April,

2002 at Irvine, California.



JEROME A. TURNER

STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
) ss.
COUNTY OF ORANGE)

On April 30, 2002, before me, Lucia Lopez,
_____, personally appeared JEROME A. TURNER,
personally known to me (or proved to me on the basis of satisfac-
tory evidence) to be the person(s) whose name is subscribed to
the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the
same in his authorized capacity, and that by his signature on the
instrument the person, or the entity upon behalf of which the
person acted, executed the instrument.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.





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