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That **WHEREAS I, Björn Kling** , a citizen of Germany and residing at Schweizer Str. 6 in 60594 Frankfurt/Main, Federal Republic of Germany, have invented a new ornamental design for a

COFFEE MACHINE

and have disclosed the same in an application for Design Letters Patent in the United States therefor, said application having been dated and executed by me on the 17h day of May 2002 and:

WHEREAS, BRAUN GMBH, a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the Federal Republic of Germany, and having a place of business at 61476 Kronberg, Frankfurter Straße 145, Federal Republic of Germany, hereinafter called BRAUN GMBH, is desirous of acquiring the said application for Design Letters Patent of the United States, all inventions therein disclosed, and any and all Design Letters Patent of the United States and of all other countries which may be granted for the said design, or any of them;

NOW THEREFORE, for good and valuable considerations to me paid by BRAUN GMBH, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, I do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over unto BRAUN GMBH, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in, to and under the said application for United States Design Letters Patent, including all priority rights arising therefrom, all designs therein disclosed, and any and all Design Letters Patent of the United States and of all other countries which may be granted for the said designs, or any of them.

TO HAVE, HOLD AND ENJOY the said design, the said application, and the said Design Letters Patent to said BRAUN GMBH, its successors and assigns, to its and their own use and behoof to the full end of the term or terms for which said Design Letters Patent may be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by me had this assignment and sale not been made.

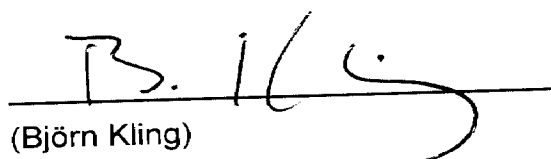
And I do hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States to issue any United States Design Letters Patent which may be granted on the said application, or any divisional, reissue or continuation applications, or for the said

designs or any of them, to said BRAUN GMBH, its successors and assigns, as assignees of the entire right, title and interest therein and thereto.

And I do hereby, for myself and for my legal representatives, covenant and agree with BRAUN GMBH, its successors and assigns, that I have granted to others no licence to make, use or sell any of the said design, that my right, title and interest in the said inventions has not been encumbered, that I have good right and title to sell and assign the same, and that I will not execute any instrument in conflict therewith.

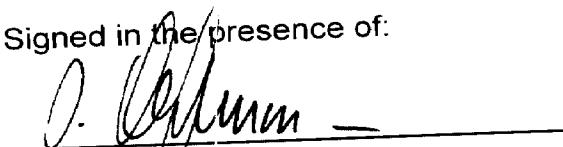
And I do hereby, for myself and for my legal representatives, further covenant and agree with BRAUN GMBH, its successors and assigns, that upon request I will, and they shall, execute divisional, reissue or continuation applications, amended specifications, or rightful oaths; communicate to BRAUN GMBH, its successors and assigns, any facts known to me relating to the said inventions or the history thereof; execute preliminary statements and testify in any interference proceedings; execute and deliver any application papers, assignments, or other instruments, and do all other acts which, in the opinion of counsel for BRAUN GMBH, may be necessary or convenient to secure the grant of Design Letters Patent to BRAUN GMBH, its successors and assigns, or its nominees, in the United States and in all other countries where BRAUN GMBH may desire to have the said inventions or designs, or any of them, patented, with drawings, specifications and claims in such form as shall be approved by counsel for BRAUN GMBH, and to vest and confirm in BRAUN GMBH, its successors and assigns, or its nominees, the full and complete legal and equitable title to all such Design Letters Patent, without further consideration than now paid but at the expense of BRAUN GMBH, its successors and assigns.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 17h day of May 2002.


(Björn Kling)

WITNESS:

Signed in the presence of:


Irmgard Hofmann

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