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ASSIGNMENT

IN CONSIDERATION of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) to each of us in hand paid, and for other good and valuable consideration, receipt and sufficiency of which we hereby acknowledge, we,

(1) Kevin Hodges of 27 York Road, Leicester LE1 5TT, United Kingdom, and

(2) Christopher Drake of 27 York Road, Leicester LE1 5TT, United Kingdom

believing ourselves to be the joint inventors of the inventions, discoveries and improvements set forth and described in our application for United States Letters Patent for a **COFFEE MACHINE** which we have respectively executed and warranting that we have not granted or agreed to grant to others any assignment, license, mortgage, or other rights or encumbrances in conflict herewith, and in fulfillment of our obligation to make this assignment, do hereby assign, transfer and set over unto Societe des Produits Nestle S.A., a corporation organized and existing under laws of the Swiss Confederation, residing at Avenue Nestle 55, Vevey, Switzerland, its successors, assigns, legal representatives and nominees, the entire right, title and interest in and to said application, and all inventions, discoveries and improvements set forth and described therein, throughout the world, together with any and all other applications and patents either United States or foreign therefore, now or in the future, and all divisions, reissues, continuations, continuation-in-part, substitutions and extensions thereof and all rights to obtain patents thereon, as well as the right to apply for and obtain letters patent throughout the world, including the right to claim priority of said applications under and have full benefit of all applicable laws, treaties and international conventions, including specifically the Paris Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property.

And we hereby severally covenant and agree that we will communicate to said assignee, its successors, assigns, legal representatives and nominees, all facts known to us respecting said inventions, discoveries and improvements, and will, upon its or their request at any time, but without expense to us, sign all lawful papers, execute all United States and foreign original, divisional, substitute, continuing, reissue and extension applications and assignments thereof, make all rightful oaths, testify as to facts relating to said inventions, discoveries and improvements in any legal or administrative proceedings, and generally do everything reasonable and proper to aid said assignee, its successors, assigns, legal representatives and nominees, to receive proper protection for said inventions, discoveries and improvements in all countries.

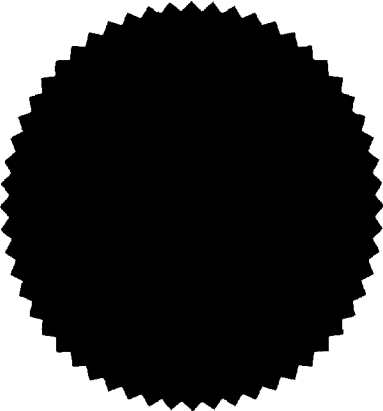
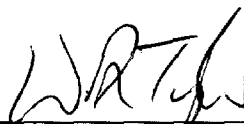
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have executed these presents.

(1)  (L.S.)

(2)  (L.S.)

(1) City STATE OF Leicester)
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On this 21st day of February, 2002, before me personally came KEVIN HODGES, to me known and known to me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, who duly acknowledged to me that (s)he did so as (his) (her) free act and deed.

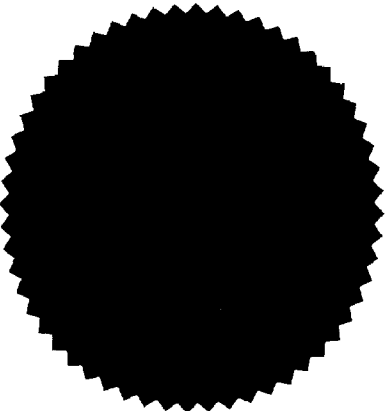
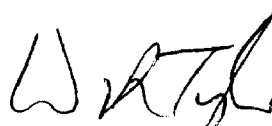



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On this 21st day of February, 2002, before me personally came CHRISTOPHER DRAKE, to me known and known to me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, who duly acknowledged to me that (s)he did so as (his) (her) free act and deed.

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