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ASSIGNMENT OF INVENTION AND  
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WHEREAS, we, Brian K. Groemminger, of 324 Woodfield Drive, Batesville  
in the State of IN 47006, and Christopher M. Wessel, of 10 Alvina Street, Batesville in  
the State of OH 47006 have invented a new and improved PERSONALIZED CASKET  
ORNAMENT DISPLAY PLAQUE as fully disclosed in an application for Patent filed  
October 5, 2001 as Serial No. 09/972,464 so entitled and executed by us on even date  
herewith preparatory to obtaining Letters Patent of the United States therefor; and whereas,  
Batesville Services, Inc., a corporation organized under the Laws of the State of Indiana  
and having its principal office at One Batesville Boulevard  
Batesville, IN 47006-7798  
desires to acquire the entire interest in and to the subject matter disclosed in said application  
and in and to all patents issued or to be issued thereon.

NOW, THEREFORE, to all whom it may concern, be it known that, for and in  
consideration of the sum of One Dollar to us in hand paid, and other good and valuable  
consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we have sold, assigned and  
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Commissioner of Patents to issue the Letters Patent granted on said application and all  
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Assignees, their legal representatives and assigns.

Witness my hand this 15 day of January, 2002

Brian K. Groemminger Inventor.  
Brian K. Groemminger

Witness my hand this 6 day of December, 2001.

Christopher M. Wessel Inventor.  
Christopher M. Wessel

STATE OF Indiana )  
COUNTY OF Ripley ) ss.

On this 15 day of January, 2002, before me personally appeared  
Brian K. Groemminger, to me known and known to me to be the Inventor  
aforesaid who duly acknowledged the signing of the foregoing instrument to be his voluntary  
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