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 Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning documents should be mailed:

> Tyco Healthcare Retail Group, Inc. 610 Allendale Road King of Prussia, PA 19406

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PATENT REEL: 013504 FRAME: 0377

ASSIGNMENT OF INVENTION

WHEREAS, I, **Elizabeth Miller**, residing in King of Prussia, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, have made a certain new, original and ornamental design in a **ABSORBENT ARTICLE WITH STITCH DESIGN** and are about to apply for Design Letters Patent of the United States cased thereon;

WHEREAS, I, **Elizabeth Miller**, am an employee of Tyco Healthcare Retail Group Inc., a company affiliated with TYCO HEALTHCARE RETAIL SERVICES, AG, a corporation of Switzerland having a business address of Schwertstrasse 9, Ch-8201 Schaffhausen, Switzerland (hereinafter "TYCO HEALTHCARE RETAIL SERVICES, AG");

WHEREAS, I, **Kim Babusik**, residing in Wenonah, in the State of New Jersey, have made a certain new, original and ornamental design with the above stated title and are about to apply for Design Letters Patent of the United States cased thereon;

WHEREAS, I, **Kim Babusik**, am an employee of Tyco Healthcare Retail Group Inc., a company affiliated with TYCO HEALTHCARE RETAIL SERVICES, AG;

WHEREAS, TYCO HEALTHCARE RETAIL SERVICES, AG is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to the design and all improvements thereon which may be made, conceive or acquired by us during the course of our association with Tyco Healthcare Retail Group Inc., aforesaid and for one year thereafter, in and throughout the United States, its territories and all countries foreign thereto, and in and to said application for Design Letters Patent and in and to any and all Design Letters Patent of the United States and all countries foreign thereto which have been granted or may be granted on said design or any part thereof, or any improvements thereon.

NOW, THEREFORE, IN CONSIDERATION of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00), and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we, **Elizabeth Miller** and **Kimberly H. Babusik**, by this present do sell, assign and transfer unto the said TYCO HEALTHCARE RETAIL SERVICES, AG, aforesaid our entire right, title and interest in and throughout the United Stares, its territories and all countries foreign thereto in and to said design and any improvements thereon which may be made, conceived or acquired by us during the course of our association with the said Tyco Healthcare Retail Group Inc., and for one year thereafter, in and to said application for Design Letters Patent and any and all Design Letters Patent and extensions thereof, of the United States and countries foreign thereto which have been or may be granted on said design or any part thereof, or improvements thereon or on said application, or any divisional, continuing, renewal, reissue, or other application and all international priority rights

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PATENT REEL: 013504 FRAME: 0378 associated therewith, based in whole or in part thereon, or based upon said design, or any improvements thereon;

TO BE HELD AND ENJOYED by the said TYCO HEALTHCARE RETAIL SERVICES, AG and its legal representatives and assigns to the full ends of the terms for which said Design Letters Patent, or any of them, have granted as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by us had no sale and assignment of said interest been made; and we do hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any and all Design Letter Patent which may be granted upon the said application above referred to, or any of them, or upon said design or any part thereof, or upon any improvements thereon which may be made, conceived or acquired by us during the course of our association with Tyco Healthcare Retail Group Inc. and for one year thereafter, to TYCO HEALTHCARE RETAIL SERVICES, AG aforesaid, and we hereby agree for ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, to execute without further consideration, any further legal documents and any further assignments and any releases, reissues, renewals or other application for Design Letters Patent that may be deemed necessary by the Assignee herein named, fully to secure to the said Assignee its interest as aforesaid in and to said design or any part thereof or any improvements thereon, and in and to said several Design Letters Patent, or any of them.

We do hereby covenant for ourselves and our legal representatives, and agree with TYCO HEALTHCARE RETAIL SERVICES, AG, and its legal representatives, that we have granted no license to make or sell the said design, that prior to the execution of this deed our right, title and interest in the said design has not been encumbered, that we then had good right and title in and to the design and that we have not executed and will not execute any instrument in conflict therewith.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, Elizabeth Miller have hereunto affixed my hand and seal this <u>30th</u> day of <u>October</u> , 2002.
Elizabeth Miller
COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA: : SS
COUNTY OF Montogomery:
Before me personally appeared said <u>Elizabeth Miller</u> and acknowledged the foregoing instrument to be his free act and deed this <u>30th</u> day of <u>October</u> , 2002.
Notary Public (SEAL)
My Commission Expires: Notarial Seal Deborah Kirchhevel, Notary Public Upper Merion Twp., Montgomery County My Commission Expires Jan. 31, 2005
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, Kimbery H. Babusik have hereunto affixed my hand and seal this <u>30^m</u> day of <u>October</u> , 2002.
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COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA: : SS
COUNTY OF Montogomery:
Before me personally appeared said Kimberly H. Babusik and acknowledged the foregoing instrument to be his free act and deed this_30+h day of, 2002.
Welvel (SEAL) Notary Public My Commission Expires:
Deborah Kirchhevel, Notary Public Upper Merion Twp., Montgomery County My Commission Expires Jan. 31, 2005

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