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Whereas, I, Diego DELLA VALLE, Italian citizen residing at:

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have invented a certain improvement in "Footwear sole"

for which I have executed an application for Letters Patent of the United States and whereas TOD'S S.p.A., an Italian Joint-Stock Company of Via Filippo Della Valle 1, I-63019 SANT'ELPIDIO A MARE (Ascoli Piceno) Italy is desirous of acquiring an interest therein.

Now, therefore in consideration of the sum of One Dollar, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I, Diego DELLA VALLE

by these presents do sell, assign and transfer unto the said TOD'S S.p.A. the full and exclusive right to the said invention, as described in the specification executed by me of even date herewith preparatory to obtaining Letters Patent in the United States therefor; and hereby request the Commissioner of Patents to issue said Letters Patent to TOD'S S.p.A.

as the assignee, for its interest, for the sole use and behoof of said TOD'S S.p.A. and its legal representatives, successors and assigns, to the full end of the term for which said Letters Patent are granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by me had this assignment and sale not been made.

I hereby authorize and request my attorneys, SUGHRUE MION, PLLC of 2100 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20037-3213, U.S.A. to insert here in parentheses (Application number 29/177305 filed on March 10, 2003) the filing date and application number of said application when known.

Executed this 21st day of March

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