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**ASSIGNMENT**

WHEREAS I, *David J. Stevens*, residing at 97 Station Street, Port Melbourne, Victoria 3207, Australia, have made an invention relating to a sealing assembly for sealing flexible packaging materials for use in packaging applications, which invention is described in an application for Letters Patent of the United States entitled SEALING ASSEMBLY, filed July 27, 2001 as Application Serial No. 10/333,109; and


WHEREAS CRYOVAC AUSTRALIA PTY LTD, having an address at 1126 Sydney Road, Fawkner, Victoria 3060, Australia, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title, and interest in and to said invention and in and to any Letters Patent that may be granted therefor;

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of Ten Dollars, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I, *David J. Stevens*, by these presents do sell, assign, and transfer to CRYOVAC AUSTRALIA PTY LTD, its successors and assigns the full, exclusive, and world-wide right to the said invention and the entire right, title, and interest in, to, and under any Letters Patent which may be granted therefor in the United States, in the territorial possessions of the United States, and in any country foreign to the United States, the same to be held and enjoyed by the said CRYOVAC AUSTRALIA PTY LTD, its successors and assigns as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by me had this assignment and sale not been made.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF I hereby set my hand and affix my seal this 28 day of AUGUST, 2003.

  
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DAVID J. STEVENS