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Address: Amsterdamseweg 206
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The Netherlands

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FINANCE SECTION

ASSIGNMENT

Gravin Sophialaan 8, 2114 DS Vogelenzang, The Netherlands

WHEREAS, WE, Maurice Gerardus Maria Van Giezen, a Dutch citizen, residing at ~~Kuyskenslaan 4, 2082~~
~~GV-Santpoort Zuid, the Netherlands~~, and Paul Martens, a Dutch citizen, residing at Engelselaan 45, 2215 RJ
 Voorhout, the Netherlands, hereinafter referred to as Assignor (collectively if more than one inventor is listed
 above), have invented certain new and useful improvements in A CONNECTION ASSEMBLY, the specification of
 which:

- (a) ☐ was executed on even date herewith; or
- (b) ☒ was filed on December 23, 1999 as Application No. 09/471,515; or
- (c) ☐ was described and claimed in PCT International Application No. _____ filed on
 _____, and as amended under PCT Article 19 on _____ (if any)
 and/or under PCT Article 34 on _____ (if any).

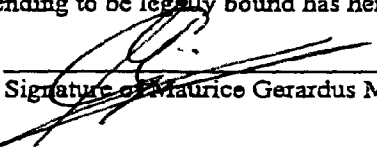
AND WHEREAS, Royal Packaging Industry Van Leer, n.v. with its principal place of business at 206
 Amsterdamseweg, 1180 AA Amstelveen, the Netherlands (hereinafter referred to as Assignee) desires to acquire the
 entire right, title, and interest in and to the said improvements with respect to the United States of America, its
 territories and possessions.

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby
 acknowledged, Assignor hereby acknowledges that it has sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these
 presents does hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over, unto Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and
 assigns, the entire right, title, and interest in the United States of America, and its territories and possessions in, to
 and under said improvements, and any Patent Applications in the United States of America and all divisions,
 renewals and continuations thereof, and all Patents of the United States of America which may be granted thereon
 and all reissues and extensions thereof, and all rights of priority under International Conventions; and Assignor
 hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents of the United States of America to issue all Patents for
 said improvements to Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this
 instrument.

AND ASSIGNOR HEREBY covenants and agrees that it will communicate to Assignee, its successors,
 legal representatives and assigns, any facts known to it respecting said improvements, and testify in any legal
 proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuing and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths
 and generally do everything possible to aid Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, to obtain and
 enforce proper patent protection for said improvements in the United States of America.


IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, Assignor intending to be legally bound has hereunto affixed its signature.

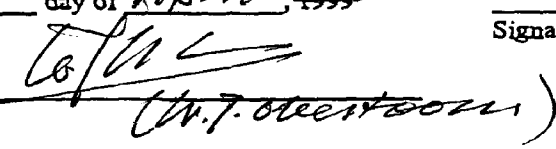
This 18 day of April, 1999


 Signature of Maurice Gerardus Maria Van Giezen

Witness:  (W. J. Overtoom)

This 18 day of April, 1999


 Signature of Paul Martens

Witness:  (W. J. Overtoom)