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## ASSIGNMENT

Patent No: 6,378,963  
Issued: April 30, 2002  
Title: *Modular Drawer System*

For good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the undersigned hereby assigns to Artromick International, Inc., a Delaware corporation located at 4800 Hilton Corporate Drive, Columbus, Ohio 43232 (hereinafter "assignee"), its successors and assigns, the entire right, title, and interest in the invention(s) or improvement(s) of the undersigned disclosed in the above-identified United States Patent, and in and any and all other United States and /or non-United States patent application(s) previously or hereafter filed by or on behalf of the undersigned, either solely or jointly with others, on said invention(s) or improvement(s) (including without limitation continuation, continuation-in-part, divisional, reissue, and provisional applications), and in any and all United States and /or non-United States Patent(s) and/or re-examination certificate(s), which may be obtained on any of said applications, and in any reissue(s) or extension(s) thereof.

The undersigned hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any and all United States Patents issuing from such applications to said assignee.

The undersigned warrants himself to be the owner of the interest herein assigned and to have the right to make this assignment and further warrants that there are no outstanding prior assignments, licenses, or other rights in the interest herein assigned.

For said consideration the undersigned hereby agrees, upon the request and at the expense of said assignee, its successors and assigns, to execute any and all divisional, continuation, continuation-in-part and substitute applications for said invention or improvements, and any necessary oath or affidavit relating thereto, and any application for the reissue or extension of any Letters Patent that may be granted upon said application, and any and all applications and other documents for Letters Patent in countries other than the United States on said invention(s) or improvement(s), that said assignee, its successors, or assigns, may deem necessary or expedient, and for said consideration the undersigned further agrees upon the request of said assignee, its successors or assigns, in the event of any application or Letters Patent assigned herein becoming involved in Interference, to cooperate to the best of the ability of the undersigned with said assignee, its successors, or assigns, in the matters of preparing and executing the preliminary statement and giving and producing evidence in support thereof, the undersigned hereby agreeing to perform, upon request, any and all affirmative acts to obtain said Letters Patent, both United States and non-United States, and vest all rights therein hereby conveyed in said assignee, its successors, and assigns, whereby said Letters Patent will be held and enjoyed by said assignee, its successors, and assigns, to the full end of the term for which said Letters Patent may be granted as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and

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WITNESS my hand this 10<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2003.



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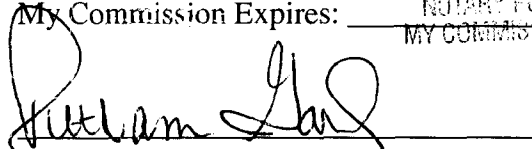
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On this 10<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2003, before me, a Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid, appeared Christopher M. Relyea, to me personally known to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he executed said instrument as his free and voluntary act and for the uses and purposes therein expressed.

WITNESS my hand and seal the same day and year last above given.

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