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ASSIGNMENT AND AGREEMENT

For and in consideration of One Dollar and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, We, **Carol Erdman** of 1433 Grand Oak Lane, Chester, PA 19380, **Ruth L. Levy** of 46 Basswood Ct., Collegeville, PA 19426 and **Mickey Calvert**, of PO Box 50605, Bowling Green, KY. 42192 have sold, assigned and transferred, and do hereby sell, assign and transfer, unto **TYCO HEALTHCARE RETAIL SERVICES AG**, having a principal office at Bahnhofstrasse 29, CH-8201 Schaffhausen, SWITZERLAND (hereinafter "ASSIGNEE") and its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to certain inventions relating to improvement in **CLOSURE TABS FOR ABSORBENT ARTICLES**, with application serial number 10/875,389, together with the entire right, title and interest in and to said application, and in and to Letters Patent which may be issued upon said application, and any divisions, extensions, continuations or reissues thereof.

We hereby also sell, assign and transfer unto ASSIGNEE the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and in and to applications for Letters Patent therefor in all countries foreign to the United States of America, including all rights under any and all international conventions and treaties, including, but not limited to PCT, in respect of said invention and said applications for Letters Patent in foreign countries, and we further authorize ASSIGNEE to apply for Letters Patent in foreign countries directly in its own name, and to claim priority of the filing date of the application for Letters Patent of the United States of America under the provisions of any and all international conventions and treaties.

We agree that, when requested, we will, without charge to ASSIGNEE, but at its expense, sign all papers, take all rightful oaths, and do all acts which may be necessary, desirable or convenient for securing and maintaining patents for said inventions in any and all countries and for vesting title thereto in ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns and legal representatives or nominees.

We covenant to ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, that the interest and property hereby conveyed is free from all prior assignment, grant, mortgage, license or other encumbrance.

Carol Erdman
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7/12/04
Date

Deborah Krahmel
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July 12, 2004
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Ruth L. Levy
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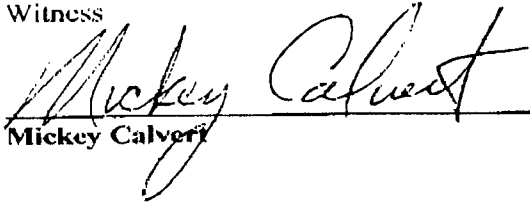
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