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WHEREAS, WE,

Carmine V. DeLuca, Jr., 1027 Orchard Street, Peekskill, New York 10566 (U.S. Citizen)
William Howard, 28 Gabriel's Path, Poughquag, NY 12570 (U.S. Citizen)

are the inventors of an invention in

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for which we have executed an application for Letters Patent of the United States; and

WHEREAS, ENGELHARD CORPORATION is desirous of obtaining the entire right, title and interest in, to and under the said invention and the said application:

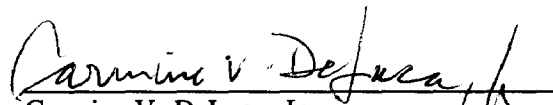
NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) to us in hand paid, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we the undersigned have sold assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over, unto the said ENGELHARD CORPORATION, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in, to and under the said invention, and the said application and all divisions, renewals and continuations thereof, and all Letters Patent of the United States which may be granted thereon and all reissues and extensions thereof, and all applications for Letters Patent which may hereafter be filed for said invention in any country or countries foreign to the United States, and all Letters Patent which may be granted for said invention in any country or countries foreign to the United States and all extensions, renewals and reissues thereof and all rights of priority in any such country or countries based upon the filing of the said application for Letters Patent of the United States which are created by any law, treaty or international convention; and we hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents of the United States, and any Official of any country or countries foreign to the United States, whose duty it is to issue patents on applications as aforesaid, to issue all Letters Patent for said invention to the said ENGELHARD CORPORATION, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this instrument.

AND WE HEREBY covenant that we have full right to convey the entire interest herein assigned, and that we have not executed, and will not execute, any agreement in conflict herewith.


AND WE HEREBY further covenant and agree that we will communicate to said ENGELHARD CORPORATION, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, any facts known to us respecting said invention, 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 the said ENGELHARD CORPORATION, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for said invention in all countries.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, we hereunto set our hands and seals the day and year set opposite our respective signatures.

Date 18 Dec 2003


Carmine V. DeLuca, Jr.

Date 5 Jan 2004


William Howard

State of New York)
 County of Westchester ss.:

On this 18 day of December, 2003, before me, a Notary Public in and for the State and County aforesaid, personally appeared Carmine V. DeLuca, Jr. to me known to me to be the person of that name, who signed and sealed the foregoing instrument, and he acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed.

Kim Thomas
 Notary Public

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State of New York)
 County of Dutchess ss.:

On this 5 day of January, 2003, before me, a Notary Public in and for the State and County aforesaid, personally appeared William Howard to me known and knownto me to be the person of that name, who signed and sealed the foregoing instrument, and he acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed.

Virginia M. Ward
 Notary Public

VIRGINIA M. WARD
 Notary Public, State of New York
 No. 01WA4959735
 Qualified in Dutchess County
 Commission Expires Dec. 11, 2005