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as assignor(s), have made an invention entitled:

**Mattress, provided with spring elements, such as coil springs**

for which I/we have:

- (a) filed an application for United States Letters Patent  
on  
(Serial No.
- (b) executed an application for United States Letters  
Patent on  
and  
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WHEREAS, **Beter Bed Holding N.V.**

a corporation of The Netherlands

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as assignee, is desirous of securing the entire right, title, and interest in and to the application for United States Letters Patent on this invention and the Letters Patent to be issued upon this application;

NOW THEREFORE, be it known that, for good and valuable consideration the receipt of which from assignee is hereby acknowledged, I/we, as assignor(s), have sold, assigned, transferred, and set over, and do hereby sell, assign, transfer, and set over unto the assignee, its lawful successors and assigns, my/our entire right, title, and interest in and to this invention and this application, and all divisions, and continuations thereof, and all Letters Patent of the United States which may be granted thereon, and all reissues thereof; and I/we hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents of the United States to issue all Letters Patent for this invention to assignee, its successors and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this Assignment;

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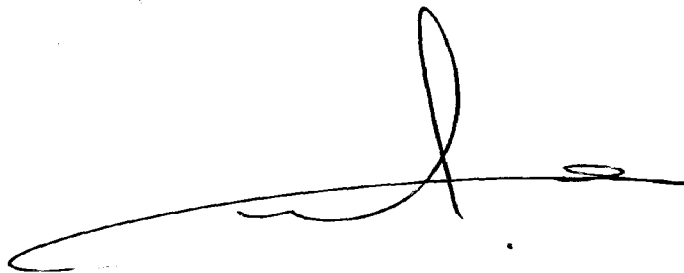
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