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ASSIGNMENT OF INVENTION AND OF LETTERS PATENT

WHEREAS, I, Richard A. Tedford, residing at 1758 Millbrook Lane, Loveland, OH. 45140, am a citizen of United States and have invented certain new and useful inventions or improvements entitled LOCK-N-GO LID for which I have executed an application for Letters Patent of the United States of America, filed on NOVEMBER 12, 2004, and having been afforded serial no. NEW APPLICATION by the United States Patent and Trademark Office; and

WHEREAS, International Paper Company, a corporation of the State of New York having a place of business at 400 Atlantic Street, Stamford, Connecticut 06921 (hereinafter, "Assignee"), is desirous of obtaining the entire right, title and interest in and to the said inventions or improvements throughout the world, the said application for United States Letters Patent and any granted United States Letters Patent claiming priority thereto, and any applications for Letters Patent and the Letters Patent therefor in any country foreign to the United States claiming priority thereto.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I hereby sell, assign and transfer and set over unto the said Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in, to and under the said inventions or improvements, and to the said application for Letters Patent and all divisions, renewals and continuations thereof, and to any invention or improvement made by me which is described in said application, and all applications for Letters Patent which may hereafter be filed for said invention or improvement in any country or countries foreign to the United States, and all Letters Patent which may be granted for said inventions or improvements in any country or countries foreign to the United States claiming priority thereto, and all extensions, renewals and reissues thereof;

AND, I HEREBY authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States, and any official of any country of countries foreign to the United States, whose duty it is to issue patents on applications as aforesaid, to issue all Letters Patent for said inventions or improvements to the said Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this instrument;

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AND, I HEREBY authorize and request the attorney of record in the said application for Letters Patent to insert in the above right hand corner of this Assignment the serial number and filing date of the said application when officially known;

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