

PATENT ASSIGNMENT

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CONVEYING PARTY DATA	
Name	Execution Date
H.H. Brown Shoe Company, Inc.	07/22/2005
RECEIVING PARTY DATA	
Name:	Columbia Insurance Company
Street Address:	3024 Harney Street
City:	Omaha
State/Country:	NEBRASKA
Postal Code:	68131
PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 1	
Property Type	Number
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WHEREAS, H.H. Brown Shoe Company, Inc. is the record owner in the United States Patent and Trademark Office of U.S. Design Patent No. D504,759 Entitled Outsole for A Shoe, and

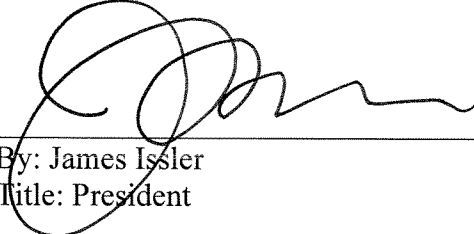
WHEREAS, H.H. Brown Shoe Company, Inc., located at 124 West Putnam Avenue, Greenwich, CT 06830, desires to assign said Design Patent to Columbia Insurance Company, hereinafter Assignee, located at 3024 Harney Street, Omaha, NE 68131.

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, Assignor hereby assigns, grants, transfers, and conveys to Assignee the patents, and any continuations, substitutions, divisions, reissues, modifications and extensions thereof, and all priority rights, together with all claims for damages by reason of past infringement of the patents, with the exclusive right to sue for and collect damages,

ALL OF THE FOREGOING to be held and enjoyed by Assignee for its own use and for the use of its successors, assigns or other legal representatives, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by Assignor if this assignment to Assignee had not been made.

Signed and dated this 22nd day of JULY 2005

H.H. Brown Shoe Company Inc.



By: James Issler
Title: President