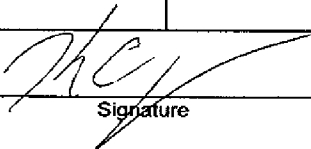


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WHEREAS I/we, the undersigned inventor(s) herewith declare that I am the sole inventor/we are the joint inventors and I/we have made a certain invention as set forth in a patent application (including industrial designs and utility models) entitled **A Tampon Applicator Having A Force Controller**, Attorney's Docket No. **9567R** and filed in the **United States Patent Office** as Number **11/109,375**, on **April 19, 2005** (the hereinafter named assignee being authorized to insert said Number and filing date when ascertained):

Ryo Minoguchi of 5675 Samstone Court, Cincinnati, Ohio 45242;
Diana Lynne Gann of 386 Kirby Road, Lebanon, Ohio 45036;
Thomas Ward Osborn, III of 640 Windings Lane, Cincinnati, Ohio 45220;
James Douglas Still of 5146 Deerview Woods Drive, Cleves, Ohio 45002;
Letha Margory Hines of 320 East Mills Avenue, Cincinnati, Ohio 45215;
Ricky Alan Pollard of 2098 Ireton Trees Road, Moscow, Ohio 45153;

I/We made said invention set forth in said patent application while employed by, or otherwise under an obligation to assign said invention to The Procter & Gamble Company or one of its Affiliates (including, Procter & Gamble Asia Pacific Ltd.; Procter & Gamble Australia Pty. Ltd.; Procter & Gamble Technology (Beijing) Co., Ltd.; Procter & Gamble Far East, Inc.; Procter & Gamble Hong Kong Ltd.; Procter & Gamble India, Ltd.; Procter & Gamble Indonesia; Procter & Gamble Korea, Inc.; Procter & Gamble Malaysia Sdn. Bhd.; Procter & Gamble Philippines, Inc.; Procter & Gamble Taiwan Ltd; Procter & Gamble Manufacturing (Thailand) Ltd.; Procter & Gamble (Guangzhou) Ltd.; P&G Northeast Asia Pte Ltd; Max Factor K.K.; P&G K.K.; Procter & Gamble Asia Pte. Limited; Procter & Gamble de Mexico; Procter & Gamble de Venezuela and P&G-Ciairrol, Inc.) and acknowledge my/our obligation at the time the invention was made to assign said invention to The Procter & Gamble Company or the Affiliate, respectively. Pursuant to said obligation and (in the case of employment by or obligation to the Affiliate) at the request of the Affiliate, I/we assign to The Procter & Gamble Company, its legal representatives, successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest (including the right to claim priority of the filing date of said patent application under international conventions) in said invention as set forth in said patent application, and in all patents of the United States and of any other country which may be issued for said invention, as fully and completely as the same would have been held by me/us had this assignment not been made. The entire right, title and interest shall vest irrevocably in The Procter & Gamble Company. I/We further agree upon request, without additional compensation but at no expense to me/us, to execute or assent to applications, and to execute all other legal documents as may be necessary or desirable to vest the enjoyment of the rights assigned to The Procter & Gamble Company, its legal representatives, successors and assigns, or as said Company may direct.

I/We request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any Letters Patent of the United States which may be issued for said invention herein assigned and as set forth in U. S. Application Serial Number 11/109,375 (the hereinafter named assignee being authorized to insert said U.S. Serial Number when ascertained) to The Procter & Gamble Company, its legal representatives, successors or assigns, as the sole owner of the entire right, title, and interest in said patent and the invention and the invention covered thereby.

The ASSIGNMENT of said invention is effective as of the earlier of 1) the date of execution shown below or 2) the filing date of the first-filed of said patent application(s).


Ryo Minoguchi

8-10-05

Date

State of Ohio

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County of Hamilton

On this 10 day of August, 2005, before me personally appeared Ryo Minoguchi, to me known to be the person named in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.



PAULA F. DURR
Notary Public, State of Ohio
My Commission Expires
August 17, 2005


Notary Public/Witness

Diana Lynne Gann
Diana Lynne Gann

8/19/05
Date

State of Ohio }
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On this 19 day of AUGUST, 2005, before me personally appeared Diana Lynne Gann, to me known to be the person named in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

Kevin Johnson
Notary Public/Witness
KEVIN JOHNSON, Attorney at Law
Notary Public, State of Ohio
My Commission Has No Expiration Date.
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Thomas Ward Osborn, III
Thomas Ward Osborn, III

11 Aug 2005
Date

State of Ohio }
County of Hamilton } SS

On this 11 day of August, 2005, before me personally appeared Thomas Ward Osborn, III, to me known to be the person named in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.



PAULA F. DURR
Notary Public, State of Ohio
My Commission Expires
August 17, 2005

Paula F. Durr
Notary Public/Witness

James Douglas Still
James Douglas Still

8/9/05
Date

State of Ohio }
County of Butler } SS

On this 9 day of August, 2005, before me personally appeared James Douglas Still, to me known to be the person named in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.



DONITA KONRAD
Notary Public, State of Ohio
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Donita Konrad
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Letha M Hines
Letha Margory Hines

8-18-05
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On this 18 day of AUGUST, 2005, before me personally appeared Letha Margory Hines, to me known to be the person named in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

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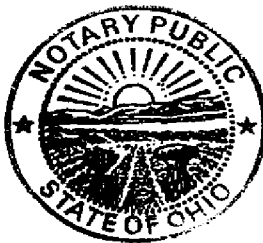
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Ricky Alan Pollard
Ricky Alan Pollard

8-9-05
Date

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On this 9 day of August, 2005, before me personally appeared Ricky Alan Pollard, to me known to be the person named in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.



DONITA KONRAD
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