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ASSIGNMENT OF INVENTION AND OF LETTERS PATENT

WHEREAS, I, **Cletus Emerich Kreher**, residing at 425 West 34th Court, Marion, IA. 52302, am a citizen of the United States and have invented certain new and useful inventions or improvements relating to carton top sealer apparatus and method for which I have executed an application for Letters Patent of the United States of America, entitled "CARTON TOP SEALER APPARATUS AND METHOD" filed on **December 14, 2005**, and having been afforded serial no. **11/302,841** by the United States Patent and Trademark Office; and

WHEREAS, I, **George Allen Morden**, residing at 1712 Timber Hills Drive, Coralville, IA. 52241, am a citizen of the United States and have invented certain new and useful inventions or improvements relating to carton top sealer apparatus and method for which I have executed an application for Letters Patent of the United States of America, entitled "CARTON TOP SEALER APPARATUS AND METHOD" filed on **December 14, 2005**, and having been afforded serial no. **11/302,841** 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, my entire right, title and interest in the said inventions or improvements, and to the said application for Letters Patent and to all divisions, renewals and continuations thereof, and to any invention or improvement made by me which is described in said application, and to 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 to 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;

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

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;

AND, I HEREBY further covenant and agree that I will communicate to the said Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, any and all facts known to me respecting said inventions or improvements, and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, reissue, continuation, and continuation-in-part applications, make all rightful oaths and generally do everything possible to aid the said Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for said inventions or improvements in all countries.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and seal this 6 day of Jan, 2006.

Cletus Emerich Kreher
CLETUS EMERICH KREHER

STATE OF Iowa)
) ss:
COUNTY OF Linn)

On this 6th day of January, 2006, before me, a Notary Public in and for the State and County aforesaid, personally appeared **CLETUS EMERICH KREHER** to me known and known to me to be the person of that name, who signed and sealed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged the same to be his/her free act and deed.

Angeline TAAKE
Notary Public
My commission expires: 7/17/07



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and seal this 6 day of January, 2006.

George Allen Morden
GEORGE ALLEN MORDEN

STATE OF Iowa)
) ss:
COUNTY OF Linn)

On this 6th day of January, 2006, before me, a Notary Public in and for the State and County aforesaid, personally appeared **GEORGE ALLEN MORDEN** to me known and known to me to be the person of that name, who signed and sealed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged the same to be his/her free act and deed.

Angeline Taafe
Notary Public
My commission expires: 7/13/07

