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A S S I G N M E N T

WHEREAS, I, ERNST FABER, a citizen of AUSTRIA, whose post office address is Paracelsus-Strasse 19, A-4600 Wels, Austria, have made an invention for which I am about to make application for Letters Patent of entitled "STAMP"; U.S. Serial No. 29/230,392, filed May 20, 2005, which is a divisional of U.S. Serial No. 29/205,596, filed May 17, 2004, and

WHEREAS, COLOP STEMPELERZEUGUNG SKOPEK GmbH & Co. KG., a corporation, having an office for the transaction of business at Dr.-F.-Arming-Strasse 5, A-4600 Wels, Austria, is desirous of acquiring my entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and any improvements thereon, and in and to the said application for Letters Patent therefor, and any Letters Patent which may be obtained therefor;

NOW, THEREFORE, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN, BE IT KNOWN, that I, the said ERNST FABER, for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00), lawful money of the United States, to me in hand paid by said COLOP STEMPELERZEUGUNG SKOPEK GmbH & Co. KG., and other valuable considerations unto me moving from said COLOP STEMPELERZEUGUNG SKOPEK GmbH & Co. KG., at or before the ensealing and delivery of these presents, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, have sold, assigned, transferred and conveyed and by these presents do sell, assign, transfer and convey, unto said COLOP STEMPELERZEUGUNG SKOPEK GmbH & Co. KG., its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to the said invention entitled "STAMP" as set forth and described in the patent application which is being filed with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office herewith, and any and all improvements thereon, and in and to said application and any application claiming priority therefrom, and any non-provisional application, division, continuation or continuation-in-part thereof, and in and to any Letters Patent of the United States which may be issued on any of said applications, and any reissues thereof, and in and to any and all applications for Letters Patent filed in foreign countries for said invention or improvements, including all priority rights under the Paris Convention, and any and all Letters Patent which may be granted in foreign countries therefor, TO HAVE AND TO HOLD THE SAME to the full end of the term or terms for which any and all said Letters Patent may be granted;

AND I, the said, ERNST FABER, do hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue the said Letters Patent of the United States to said COLOP STEMPELERZEUGUNG SKOPEK GmbH & Co. KG., as the assignee of the entire right, title and interest in and to the same, for the sole use and benefit of said COLOP STEMPELERZEUGUNG SKOPEK GmbH & Co. KG., its successors and assigns;

AND I, the said ERNST FABER, for the considerations aforesaid, do hereby covenant and agree to and with said COLOP STEMPELERZEUGUNG SKOPEK GmbH & Co. KG., its successors and assigns, that I have the full power to make this assignment, and that the rights assigned are not encumbered by any grant, license or right heretofore given, and that I, my executors or administrators, shall and will do all lawful acts and things and make, execute and deliver without further compensation, any and all other

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, the said ERNST FABER, have hereunto set my hand and seal on the date below written.

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