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Name: United States Can CompanyStreet: 700 East Butterfield Road, Suite 250City: LombardState: IllinoisCountry: USA ZIP: 60148Additional names(s) & addresses(es) attached? ☐ Yes ☒ No112975 U.S. PTO
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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, We, Robert Mackenzie, Michel Fernandes, Diamantino Fidalgo, and Carol Malone, citizens of the United States, residents of the Cities of Grayslake, Dartmouth, Acushnet and Marston Mills, State of Illinois and Massachusetts, respectively, whose post office addresses are 32984 North Stone Manor Drive, Grayslake, Illinois 60030, 6 Winston Lane, Dartmouth, Massachusetts 02747, 30 Blueberry Drive, Acushnet, Massachusetts 02743, and 356 Race Lane, Marston Mills, Massachusetts 02648, respectively, have invented certain improvements in GROMMET OR FILL VALVE FOR AN AEROSOL CONTAINER for which we are about to make, and have this day executed, application for Letters Patent of the United States, identified as Attorney's Docket No. USCC 9113U1;

AND, WHEREAS, United States Can Company, An Illinois Corporation, with offices at 700 East Butterfield Road, Suite 250, Lombard, Illinois 60148 is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said improvements in GROMMET OR FILL VALVE FOR AN AEROSOL CONTAINER and all patent rights therefor;

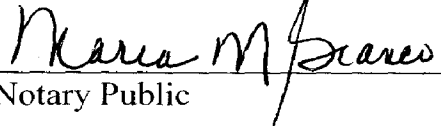
NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we, said Robert Mackenzie, Michel Fernandes, Diamantino Fidalgo, and Carol Malone, do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over unto said United States Can Company the entire right, title and interest in and to said improvements, and in and to all Letters Patent and patent rights which may be granted or issued for said improvements, in the United States and all foreign countries, and any reissue, reexamination, continuation, continuation-in-part, division, or extension thereof, the same to be held and enjoyed by said United States Can Company, a corporation, its successors and assigns, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by us if this Assignment and sale had not been made; and we agree to execute such further applications, powers of attorney, assignments and other documents as may be necessary or desirable to effectuate this Agreement.

AND WE DO HEREBY authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue that said Letters Patent, when granted, to the said United States Can Company, a corporation, its successors and assigns, as assignees of the entire right, title and interest in and to said improvements, for the sole use and behoof of said United States Can Company, a corporation, and for its successors and assigns, to the full ends of the terms for which Letters Patent may be granted.

AND we further grant to United States Can Company, a corporation, its successors and assigns, the right to claim for any application for patent for said improvements the full benefit of any international agreement between the United States and any foreign country or countries.

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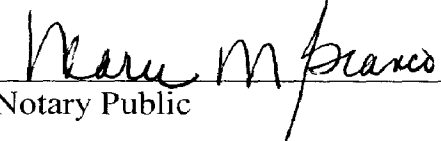
On this 3 day of November, 2005, before me, a Notary Public,
personally appeared Michel Fernandes, to me known to be the person named in and who
executed the above Assignment, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for
the uses and purposes therein mentioned, as his own free act and deed.


Notary Public

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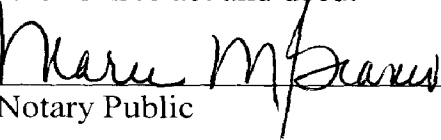
On this 3 day of October, 2005, before me, a Notary Public,
personally appeared Diamantino Fidalgo, to me known to be the person named in and
who executed the above Assignment, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same
for the uses and purposes therein mentioned, as his own free act and deed.


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On this 3 day of October, 2005, before me, a Notary Public,
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AND our attorney is hereby authorized to insert in this Assignment the Serial No. and filing date of said application, when advised thereof, as follows:

Serial No: _____ Filed: _____

Date: 10/5/05

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Robert Mackenzie, Inventor

Date: 10/3/05

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On this 5th day of October, 2005, before me, a Notary Public, personally appeared Robert Mackenzie, to me known to be the person named in and who executed the above Assignment, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein mentioned, as his own free act and deed.

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