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ASSIGNMENT

We, Ricky W. Selby of 13 Edwardsen Street, Danielson, CT 06239, Hayward Kendall Kelley, III of 4 Via Avoria, Newport Coast, CA 92657, Robert Lee Gast of 4 Willowbrook, Irvine, CA 92604, Donald Thomas of 1788 Cheshunt Lane, Cordova, TN 38016 and Raymond N. Hunt of 16A Cedarbrook Lane, East Lyme, CT 06333, all USA, have invented certain improvements described in a patent application entitled CARABINER BUNGEE CORD TERMINUS, Serial No. 11/246,319, filed October 7, 2005 (identified as Attorney Docket No. KP-68), and executed by us on the dates set forth below, are owners of all right, title and interest in and to said application and in and to any invention described therein, and have full right to convey the entire interest, both legal and equitable, which is assigned herein, free from all prior encumbrances of any kind inconsistent herewith.

In consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which we hereby acknowledge, we hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over unto Keeper Corporation, of North Windham, Connecticut, a corporation of the State of Connecticut, its successors and assigns, and Hampton Products International Corporation, of Foothill Ranch, California, a corporation of the State of Delaware, its successors and assigns (assignees), in equal shares, the entire right, title and interest: in and to any invention described in said application, in any form or embodiment thereof; in and to said application; in and to any related patent application in any country based thereon, including the right to file patent applications under the provisions of any treaty or convention; and in and to any and all patents or reissues or extensions thereof to be obtained in any country upon said applications or any and all divisional, continuation, continuation-in-part or substitute applications based thereon in any country; and we hereby authorize and request the issuing authority in any country to issue any said patents to said assignees.

We will on request, without any further payment or compensation by said assignees except for reasonable, necessary expenses: execute and deliver, on request, all legal papers required to make any of the foregoing provisions effective; communicate to said assignees or their representatives any facts and testify in any interference or other legal proceeding relating to said invention or inventions including evidence for interference purposes or for other legal proceedings; and generally do everything reasonably possible to aid said assignees to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for said invention or inventions in any country.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have hereunto set our hands and seals on the dates indicated below.

L.S.)	Ricky W. Selby	DEC. 15 TH	_, 2005
L,S.)	Hayward Kendall Kelley, III	DEC. 15 TH	_, 2005
L.S.)	Robert Lee Gast	Dec. 15th	_, 2005

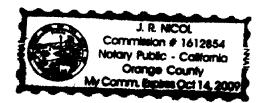
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State of Connecticut) ss: North L	lindham					
On this 15th day of <u>Ocember</u> , 2005, before me personally appeared Ricky W. Selby to me personally known, and known to me to be the person who signed the foregoing assignment, and acknowledged the signing of same as his free act and deed.						
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State of California County of Okange; ss.

On this _______ day of _______, 2005, before me personally appeared Robert Lee Gast to me personally known, and known to me to be the person who signed the foregoing assignment, and acknowledged the signing of same as his free act and deed.



State of Tennessee) County of Shelby) ss.

SEAL

On this 20th day of December, 2005, before me personally appeared Donald Thomas to me personally known, and known to me to be the person who signed the foregoing assignment, and acknowledged the signing of same as his free act and deed.

Notary Public)
My Commission Expires: September 17, 2005

State of Connecticut) ss. North Windham

RECORDED: 12/30/2005

On this 15 day of <u>December</u>, 2005, before me personally appeared Raymond N. Hunt to me personally known, and known to me to be the person who signed the foregoing assignment, and acknowledged the signing of same as his free act and deed.

Notary Public
My Commission Expires: 3/31/2006

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