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2. Name and address of receiving party(ies)Name: Miller Manufacturing Company, Inc.Internal Address: Suite 460Street Address: 2600 Eagan Woods DriveCity: EaganState: MNCountry: US Zip: 55121Additional name(s) & address(es) attached? ☐ Yes ☒ No**4. Application or patent number(s):**☒ This document is being filed together with a new application.

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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, We, Wayne A. Plekkenpol and Jerry J. Zien, residing or having a mailing address at 24151 Aberdeen Ave., Belle Plaine, MN 56011 and 17808 Revere Way, Prior Lake, MN 55372, respectively, have made certain new and useful inventions and improvements for which we executed an application for Letters Patent of the United States of even date herewith which is entitled ANIMAL SORTING PADDLE HAVING A PADDLE HEAD WITH AN ANGLED TIP;

AND, WHEREAS, Miller Manufacturing Company, Inc., a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Minnesota, and having an office and place of business at 2600 Eagan Woods Drive, Suite 460, Eagan, MN 55121-3423, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said inventions, improvements and applications and in and to the Letters Patent to be obtained therefor;

NOW, THEREFORE, to all whom it may concern, be it known that for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, we have sold, assigned and transferred, and by these presents do sell, assign and transfer unto said Miller Manufacturing Company, Inc., its successors or assigns, the entire right, title and interest for all countries in and to all inventions and improvements disclosed in the aforesaid application, and in and to said application, all divisions, continuations, or renewals thereof, all Letters Patent which may be granted therefrom, and all reissues or extensions of such patents, and in and to any and all applications which have been or shall be filed in any foreign countries for Letters Patent on said inventions and improvements, including an assignment of all rights under the provisions of the International Convention, and all Letters Patent of foreign countries which may be granted therefrom; and

WE do hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any and all United States Letters Patent for the aforesaid inventions and improvements to said Miller Manufacturing Company, Inc. as the assignee of the entire right, title and interest in and to the same, for the use of said Miller Manufacturing Company, Inc., its successors or assigns.

AND, for the consideration aforesaid, we do hereby agree that we, or our executors or legal representatives, will make, execute and deliver any and all other instruments in writing relating to said inventions and improvements including any and all further application papers, affidavits, assignments and other documents, and will communicate to said Miller Manufacturing Company, Inc., its representatives, successors or assigns, any and all facts known to us relating to said inventions and improvements and the history thereof, and will testify in all legal proceedings and generally do all things which may be necessary or desirable more effectually to secure to and vest in said Miller Manufacturing Company, Inc., its successors or assigns the entire right, title and interest in and to the

improvements, inventions, applications, Letters Patent, rights, titles, benefits, privileges and advantages hereby sold, assigned and conveyed, or intended so to be.

AND, FURTHERMORE, we covenant and agree with said Miller Manufacturing Company, Inc., its successors or assigns, that no assignment, grant, mortgage, license or other agreement affecting the rights and property herein conveyed has been made to others by us, and that the full right to convey the same as herein expressed is possessed by us.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands, as of the date written below adjacent our signatures.

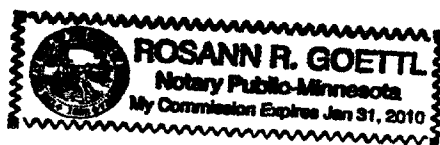
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Full Name of Third Joint Inventor, If Any	Signature	Date
Full Name of Fourth Joint Inventor, If Any	Signature	Date
Full Name of Fifth Joint Inventor, If Any	Signature	Date

STATE OF *Minnesota*)
COUNTY OF *Scott*)

On this *16th* day of *January*, 200*6*, before me personally appeared Wayne A. Plekkenpol, to me known and known to me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and he duly acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

Notary Public

Rosann Goettl



STATE OF *Minnesota*)
COUNTY OF *Scott*)

On this *16th* day of *January*, *2006*, before me personally appeared Jerry J. Zien, to me known and known to me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and he duly acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

Notary Public

Rosann Goettl

