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GLOBAL GENERAL ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS I/we, the undersigned inventor(s) herewith declare that I am the sole inventor/we are the joint inventors and I/we have made a certain invention as set forth in a patent application (including industrial designs and utility models) entitled **CONTAINER**, Attorney's Docket No. D-1038 and filed in the United States Patent Office as Number **29/240,921**, on **October 20, 2005** (the hereinafter named assignee being authorized to insert said Number and filing date when ascertained):

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Gregory Donald Berger of 3712 Citation Drive, Hamilton, OH 45011;
Frederick Halden Simonsen of 9872 Jane Court, Cincinnati, OH 45241;

I/We made said invention set forth in said patent application while employed by, or otherwise under an obligation to assign said invention to The Procter & Gamble Company or one of its Affiliates (including, Procter & Gamble Asia Pacific Ltd.; Procter & Gamble Australia Pty. Ltd.; Procter & Gamble Technology (Beijing) Co., Ltd.; Procter & Gamble Far East, Inc.; Procter & Gamble Hong Kong Ltd.; Procter & Gamble India, Ltd.; Procter & Gamble Indonesia; Procter & Gamble Korea, Inc.; Procter & Gamble Malaysia Sdn. Bhd.; Procter & Gamble Philippines, Inc.; Procter & Gamble Taiwan Ltd.; Procter & Gamble Manufacturing (Thailand) Ltd.; Procter & Gamble (Guangzhou) Ltd.; P&G Northeast Asia Pte Ltd; Max Factor K.K.; P&G K.K.; Procter & Gamble Asia Pte. Limited; Procter & Gamble de Mexico; Procter & Gamble de Venezuela and P&G-Ciairoi, Inc.) and acknowledge my/our obligation at the time the invention was made to assign said invention to The Procter & Gamble Company or the Affiliate, respectively. Pursuant to said obligation and (in the case of employment by or obligation to the Affiliate) at the request of the Affiliate, I/we assign to The Procter & Gamble Company, its legal representatives, successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest (including the right to claim priority of the filing date of said patent application under international conventions) in said invention as set forth in said patent application, and in all patents of the United States and of any other country which may be issued for said invention, as fully and completely as the same would have been held by me/us had this assignment not been made. The entire right, title and interest shall vest irrevocably in The Procter & Gamble Company. I/We further agree upon request, without additional compensation but at no expense to me/us, to execute or assent to applications, and to execute all other legal documents as may be necessary or desirable to vest the enjoyment of the rights assigned to The Procter & Gamble Company, its legal representatives, successors and assigns, or as said Company may direct.

I/We request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any Letters Patent of the United States which may be issued for said invention herein assigned and as set forth in U. S. Application Serial Number **29/240,898** (the hereinafter named assignee being authorized to insert said U.S. Serial Number when ascertained) to The Procter & Gamble Company, its legal representatives, successors or assigns, as the sole owner of the entire right, title, and interest in said patent and the invention and the invention covered thereby.

The ASSIGNMENT of said invention is effective as of the earlier of 1) the date of execution shown below or 2) the filing date of the first-filed of said patent application(s).

Paul Jerome Crabtree
Paul Jerome Crabtree

1/27/06

Date

State of Ohio

County of Hamilton

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On this 27th day of January, 2006, before me personally appeared **Paul Jerome Crabtree**, to me known to be the person named in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.



Sheila A. Blevins
 Notary Public/Witness

SHEILA A. BLEVINS
 Notary Public, State of Ohio
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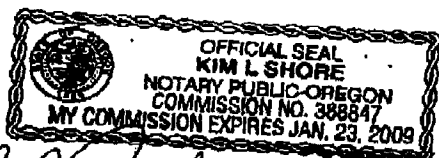
Henry Young Chin
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State of Oregon

County of Multnomah } SS

On this 4th day of January, 2006, before me personally appeared Henry Young Chin, to me known to be the person named in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

1/4/06
Date



Meral J. Middleton
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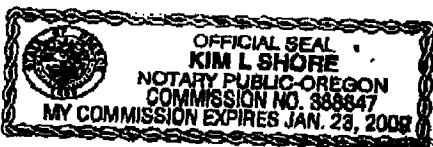
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On this 6th day of January, 2006, before me personally appeared Meral J. Middleton, to me known to be the person named in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

Kim L. Shore
Notary Public/Witness

1/6/06
Date



Ken G. Dieringer
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Kim L. Shore
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Krista Rijn Schwartz
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State of Ohio

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1/27/06
 Date

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Richard F. Halter, II
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State of Ohio

County of Hamilton

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1-26-2006
 Date

On this 26th day of January, 2006, before me personally appeared **Richard F. Halter, II**, to me known to be the person named in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.



Sheila A. Blevins
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Gregory Donald Berger
 Gregory Donald Berger

State of Ohio

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25 Jan '06
 Date

On this 25th day of January, 2006, before me personally appeared **Gregory Donald Berger**, to me known to be the person named in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.



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SHEILA A. BLEVINS
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Frederick Halden Simonsen
Frederick Halden Simonsen

1-26-06
Date

State of Ohio

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On this 26th day of January, 2006, before me personally appeared **Frederick Halden Simonsen**, to me known to be the person named in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

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