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## ASSIGNMENT OF INVENTION AND PATENTS THEREON

WHEREAS, I/we, David W. Thompson have invented a new and original design for a CHAIR as fully disclosed in an application for Design Letters Patent so entitled and (check one)

☒ [XX] executed by me on even date herewith

☐ [] filed by me on \_\_\_\_\_, as Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_, preparatory to obtaining Design Letters Patent of the United States therefor; and

WHEREAS, AMERICAN SIGNATURE, INC., a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Ohio and having its principal office at 1800 Moler Road, Columbus, Ohio, 43207, desires to acquire the entire interest in and to the subject matter disclosed in said application and in and to all patents issued or to be issued thereon.

NOW, THEREFORE, to all whom it may concern, be it known that, for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar to me in hand paid, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I have sold, assigned and transferred, and by these presents do sell, assign and transfer unto the said AMERICAN SIGNATURE, INC. my entire right, title and interest in and to the subject matter disclosed in said application and in and to all Letters Patent Domestic and Foreign issued or to be obtained thereon, including all rights and interests with priority rights under the Paris Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, the International Patent Cooperative Union, European Patent Convention, Common Market Convention, or any other Convention or Union for each country of said Convention or Union; and I do hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents to issue the Design Letters Patent granted on said application and all future patents granted upon the subject matter disclosed therein to the above-named Assignee, its legal representatives and assigns.

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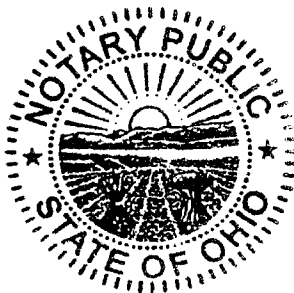
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On this 8<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2006 before me personally appeared David W. Thompson to me known and known by me to be the above-named individual who acknowledged the signing of the foregoing instrument to be a voluntary act and deed and who executed the same for the uses and purposes therein specified.

[Signature]  
Notary Public

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PAMULA A. LILLIE  
Notary Public, State of Ohio  
My Commission Expires  
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