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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, we, Jacques Vandecasteele, having a post office address at Zomerweg 18, 8860 Lendelede, Belgium, Frank Dieke, having a post office address at Ulmenstrasse 204, 40468 Düsseldorf, Germany and Carlos Vandekerkhove, having a post address at Luitenant Jacopsstraat 132, 1750 Lennik, Belgium have invented new and useful improvements in <u>CARDBOARD BOX</u> for which we are about to make application for Letters Patent of the United States; and

WHEREAS, NV Bekaert SA, having a place of business at Bekaertstraat 2, BE-8550, Zwevegem, Belgium, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and said application for Letters Patent and in and to any Letters Patent that may be granted therefor in the United States and in any and all foreign countries;

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) to us in hand paid, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, and for other good and valuable consideration, we, Jacques Vandecasteele, Frank Dieke, and Carlos Vandekerkhove, hereby assign, sell and transfer unto said NV Bekaert SA, the full and exclusive right to the said invention in the United States and its territorial possessions and in all foreign countries, and said application for Letters Patent and any and all inventions disclosed therein and the entire right, title and interest in and to any and all Letters Patent which may be granted therefor in the United States and its territorial possessions and in any and all foreign countries and in and to any and all divisions, reissues, continuations and extensions thereof.

We hereby authorize and request the Patent Office officials in the United States and any and all foreign countries to issue any and all of said Letters Patent, when granted, to said NV Bekaert SA as the assignee of our entire right, title and interest in and to the same, for the sole use and behoof of said NV Bekaert SA its successors and assigns.

Further, we agree that we will communicate to said NV Bekaert SA or its representatives any facts known to us respecting said invention, and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuations, substitutions, renewal and reissue applications, execute all necessary assignment papers to cause any and all of said Letters Patent to be issued to said NV Bekaert SA, make all rightful oaths and generally to do everything possible to aid said NV Bekaert SA, its successors and assigns, to obtain and enforce protection for said invention in the United States and in any and all foreign countries.

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hand.

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