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AGREEMENTS**Confirmation/Assignment 1:**

WHEREAS, I, James Meschter, a citizen of the United States of America, residing at Portland, Oregon, and having a correspondence address of c/o NIKE, Inc., One Bowerman Drive, Beaverton, Oregon 97005, have invented an Article of Footwear Having an Upper with Thread Structural Elements for which an application for a Patent of the United States was filed on 5/25/06, and accorded serial number 11/442,679; and

WHEREAS, NIKE, Inc., a corporation of the state of Oregon, having a place of business at One Bowerman Drive, Beaverton, Oregon 97005-6453, hereinafter the Assignee, is desirous of confirming that it has already been assigned, or, if not already assigned, is desirous of acquiring the entire worldwide legal and beneficial right, title and interest in and to the aforesaid invention, in and to the aforesaid application and in and to any Patents, Design Registrations, Industrial Models, Industrial Designs, Petty Patents, Utility Models, Copyrights, Unregistered Design Rights and legal equivalents thereof anywhere in the world which may be granted for said invention, including the right to claim priority of the respective United States Patent application;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, I, the aforesaid James Meschter by these presents do confirm that I did (under the law of the jurisdiction(s) where the invention was conceived, reduced to practice and made, under the NIKE Employee Invention and Secrecy Agreement and/or under some other agreement with NIKE, Inc. including such a sale, assignment or transfer) sell, assign and transfer or, if not already done so, do sell, assign and transfer unto NIKE, Inc., its successors, legal representatives and assigns, the full, exclusive and worldwide right in and to said invention as described in said application, in and to the aforesaid application and in and to any Patents, Design Registrations, Industrial Models, Industrial Designs, Petty Patents, Utility Models, Copyrights, Unregistered Design Rights, and legal equivalents thereof anywhere in the world which may be granted for said invention and in and to any and all divisions, reissues, continuations, extensions and renewals thereof, including the right to claim priority of the respective United States Patent application;

AND I HEREBY agree that the said Assignee may apply for and receive Patents, Design Registrations, Industrial Models, Industrial Designs, Petty Patents, Utility Models, Copyrights, Unregistered Design Rights, and legal equivalents thereof anywhere in the world for said invention in its own name, I further authorize and request the Commissioner of

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The terms and conditions of this assignment are accepted by the Assignee, NIKE, Inc.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 24th day of July 2006.

NIKE, Inc.

By: James A. Niegowski
James A. Niegowski
Attorney in Fact

STATE OF OREGON)
County of Washington) ss:

On this 24th day of July, 2006, before me a Notary Public in and for the county and state aforesaid, personally appeared James A. Niegowski, to me known and known to me to be the person of that name who signed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed.

Danielle St. Clair
Notary Public for Oregon
My Commission Expires: 3/3/08





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