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I, **Debra Demeter WOODS** a British citizen of 3 Eccleston Road, Orrell Park, Liverpool L9 8EA, United Kingdom sole inventor of an invention entitled "Improvements relating to smoking articles", the subject of United Kingdom Patent Application No. GB0228819.9 filed on 11 December 2002 hereby assign all right, title and interest in the invention the subject of said above mentioned patent application, including the right to claim priority from the above application and to apply for further patent and/or utility model applications deriving from or based on said application or said further applications to **British American Tobacco** (**Investments**) **Limited** whose registered address is Globe House, 1 Water Street, London, WC2R 3LA, United Kingdom.

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