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1. Name of conveying party(ies): **Michael D. Abbott**

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies):

HBI Branded Apparel Enterprises, LLC
1000 East Hanes Mill Road
Winston-Salem, North Carolina 27105

3. Nature of conveyance:

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Assignment

 Merger Security Agreement Change of Name Other: _____Execution Date: **April 18, 2007**

4. Application number(s) or application date(s):

If this document is being filed together with a new application, the execution date of the application is: **April 18, 2007**

A. Application/Patent No.**11/699,835**B. Application/Issue Date**January 30, 2007**

5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning this document should be mailed:

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6. Total No. of applications and patents involved: 1.

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Charles N.J. Ruggiero

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ASSIGNMENT

FOR valuable and legally sufficient considerations, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I, **Michael D. ABBOTT**, a citizen of the United States of America, and a resident of 229 Thistle Lane, Statesville, North Carolina 28625 have invented certain new and useful improvements in

METHODS FOR CONTROLLED APPLICATION OF ADHESIVE AND GARMENTS FORMED THEREBY


and hereby assign to HBI Branded Apparel Enterprises, LLC, a Delaware corporation having its principal office at 1000 East Hanes Mill Road, Winston-Salem, North Carolina 27105 (hereinafter referred to as "Assignee"), the entire right, title and interest in and to such invention, together with the patent rights and rights of protection to the same throughout the world, including any patent rights which may result from the application for United States Letters Patent which was filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on **January 30, 2007** and assigned Application Serial No. **11/699,835**, and any continuation, divisions, continuation-in-part applications, inventor's certificates and extensions thereof, preparatory to obtaining Letters Patent of the United States therefor; said invention, application and Letters Patent to be held and enjoyed by said Assignee for its own use and behoof and for the use and behoof of its successors and assigns, to the full end of the term for which said Letters Patent or other rights of protection may be granted as entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by me had the assignment not been made.

AND I COVENANT and AGREE and WARRANT that I have full and unencumbered title to the invention hereby assigned, and I further covenant and agree that I have the right to grant such rights to said invention and application and Letters Patent and that I will, at any time upon request without further compensation, execute and deliver any and all papers or instruments that, in the opinion of the Assignee, may

be necessary or desirable to secure said Assignee the full enjoyment of the rights and properties herein conveyed or intended to be conveyed by this instrument.

IN WITNESS WHEREFORE, I have hereunto set my hand and seal:

Date: April 18, 2007


By: Michael D. ABBOTT

Amanda K. Truesdale
Witness

Amanda K. Truesdale

April 18, 2007