

# PATENT ASSIGNMENT

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Property Type	Number
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Patent Number:	5385082
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**ASSIGNMENT**

**WHEREAS**, Toastmaster, Inc., Incorporated in the State of Missouri, with a principal place of business at 1701 North Stadium Boulevard, Columbia, Missouri 65202, referred to as ASSIGNOR, owns certain Letters Patents and applications as shown on Schedule A attached here (the "Schedule"); and

**WHEREAS**, Salton, Inc., incorporated in the State of Delaware, with a principal place of business at 1955 W. Field Court, Lake Forest, Illinois 60045, hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in, to and under said Letters Patents and applications as set forth in Schedule A, as well as all patents related thereto and issuing therefrom, and any non-provisional, continuation, continuation-in-part, division, renewal, substitute or reissue thereof for the full term or terms for which the same may be granted, including all applications for Letters Patent in all foreign countries and all issued Letters Patents which may evolve therefrom, including the right to claim International Convention priority (hereinafter referred to as "Patent Rights").

**NOW THEREFORE, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:**

Be it known that for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, the ASSIGNOR hereby sells, assigns and transfers to ASSIGNEE the full and exclusive right, title and interest to said Patent Rights including the right to sue and recover for past infringement.

ASSIGNOR hereby covenants that no assignment, sale, agreement or encumbrance has been or will be made or entered into which would conflict with this assignment and sale.

ASSIGNOR further covenants that ASSIGNEE will, upon its request, be provided promptly with all pertinent facts and documents relating to said Patent Rights, and ASSIGNOR will, if reasonably requests, testify as to the same in any interference or litigation related thereto and will execute and deliver to ASSIGNEE or its legal representative any and all papers, instruments or affidavits required to apply for obtain, maintain and enforce said Patent Rights which may be necessary or desirable to carry out the purposes hereof.

**[SIGNATURES ON FOLLOWING PAGE]**

## SCHEDULE A

<u>United States</u> <u>Title</u>	<u>Patent No. or Serial No.</u>
Heater Safety Mechanism	4906818
Toaster With Safety Shut-Off	5385082
Combined Bread Baker and Butter Churn	5463936
Toaster With Bakery Product Shield	5664481
Temperature Sensitive Timing Assembly For Toaster Appliance	5901639
Electric Appliance Having a Proximity Sensor	6307182

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Date: 7/10/07

TOASTMASTER, INC.

By Marc Levenstein  
Marc Levenstein  
Vice President

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

STATE OF ILLINOIS  
COUNTY OF LAKE

Be it remembered on this 10<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2007 before me, the subscriber, a Notary Public authorized to take acknowledgements and proofs in said county and state, personally appeared Marc Levenstein to me known, who being by me duly sworn according to law, on his oath does depose and make proof of my satisfaction he was at the time of the execution thereof Vice President of Toastmaster, Inc., the ASSIGNOR in the foregoing instrument and he signed, sealed and delivered the instrument as the voluntary act and deed of said corporation by virtue of his authority.



Marty Toto  
Notary Public  
My Commission Expires 9/18/2010

SALTON, INC.

By Marc Levenstein  
Marc Levenstein  
Sr. Vice President & General Counsel

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