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Street Address:	P.O. Box 419126
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WHEREAS, we, Shawn P. Bates, of 112 E. 29th Street, Kansas City, in the

County of Jackson, and State of Missouri, Darren B. Abbott, of 704 E. Pearl, Harrisonville, in

the County of Cass, and State of Missouri, and Rebecca Tegtmeyer, of 1333 Chester Road,

Raleigh, in the County of Wake, and State of North Carolina have invented certain new and

useful improvements in METHOD OF AND APPARATUS FOR DISPLAYING

MERCHANDISE for which we have made application for Letters Patent of the United States,

Serial No. 12/046,442, filed March 11, 2008; and

WHEREAS, Hallmark Cards, Incorporated, a corporation duly organized under

the laws of the State of Missouri, and having its principal place of business at P.O. Box 419126,

Kansas City, County of Jackson, and State of Missouri, is desirous of acquiring an interest in, to

and under said invention, said application and any and all Letters Patent which may be granted

for or upon said invention in the United States of America and all countries foreign thereto;

NOW, THEREFORE, to all whom it may concern, be it known that for good and

valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, we, Shaw

P. Bates, Darren B. Abbott, and Rebecca Tegtmeyer, have sold, assigned and transferred, and by

these presents do sell, assign and transfer unto said Hallmark Cards, Incorporated the full and

exclusive right, title and interest, throughout the world, in, to and under said invention as fully

set forth and described in the above-identified application; in, to and under said application; in,

to and under any and all refilings, divisions and continuations of said application; in, to and

under any and all Letters Patent of the United States of America which may issue from said

application, refilings, divisions and continuations; in, to and under any and all reissues of said

Letters Patent of the United States of America; in, to and under any and all applications for

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Letters Patent upon said invention which may hereafter be filed in any and all countries foreign to the United States of America; in, to and under any and all refilings, divisions and continuations of said foreign-filed applications; in, to and under any and all Letters Patent of countries foreign to the United States of America, which may issue from the said foreign-filed applications, refilings, divisions and continuations; and in, to and under any and all extensions of, and additions to, said Letters Patent of countries foreign to the United States of America, the same to be held and enjoyed by said Hallmark Cards, Incorporated for its own use and behoof, and for its successors, legal representatives and assigns, to the full end of the term for which said Letters Patent may be granted, and we do hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents to issue the said Letters Patent in accordance with this assignment.

EXECUTED this 2 day of June, 2008.

Shawn P. Bates

STATE OF Missouri

: ss.

COUNTY OF Jackson

Before me personally appeared Shawn P. Bates, to me known to be the person described in, and who executed the foregoing instrument, and he duly acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth, on the day and year aforesaid.

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Jayleen Baher Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

May 30, 2012

JAYLEEN BAKER
NOTARY PUBLIC - NOTARY SEAL
STATE OF MISSOURI
CLAY COUNTY
Y COMMISSION EXPIRES: MAY 30, 2012

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STATE OF Missouri:	,	
COUNTY OF Jackson: ss.		
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	Rebecca Tegtmeyer	
STATE OF Missouri :		
COUNTY OF Jackson: ss.		
Before me personally appeared Rebecca Tegtmeyer, to me known to be the person described in, and who executed the foregoing instrument, and the duly acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth, on the day and year aforesaid.		
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