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## **CONVEYING PARTY DATA**

Name	Execution Date
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Gary A. Hodge	12/26/2008

## **RECEIVING PARTY DATA**

Name:	American Greetings Corporation
Street Address:	One American Road
City:	Cleveland
State/Country:	ОНЮ
Postal Code:	44144

### PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 1

Property Type	Number
Application Number:	12355119

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PATENT REEL: 022140 FRAME: 0088 ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, we, Christopher P. Weigand, a citizen of the United States of

America, residing at 8006 Summersweet Trail, Sagamore Hills, Ohio 44067; and Gary A.

Hodge, a citizen of the United States of America, residing at 2910 County Line Road,

Rutherfordton, NC 28139, have invented certain inventions and improvements disclosed in a

patent application entitled "PRODUCT DISPLAY HIGHLIGHTER," and filed in the United

States Patent and Trademark Office on January 16, 2009, serial no. 12/355,119; and

WHEREAS, AMERICAN GREETINGS CORPORATION, a corporation of

the State of Ohio having a principal place of business at One American Road, Cleveland, Ohio

44144, is desirous of acquiring an interest in the same.

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and

sufficiency of which we hereby acknowledge, we, Christopher P. Weigand and Gary A.

Hodge, by these presents do sell, assign, and transfer to AMERICAN GREETINGS

CORPORATION, the full, exclusive, and entire right, title, and interest in and to said

application, in and to any divisions, continuations, reexaminations, and reissues thereof, and in

and to all inventions and improvements disclosed and described in said application, preparatory

to obtaining Letters Patent of the United States therefor; and we hereby request the Director of

the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office to issue any and all Letters Patent of the United States

resulting from said application, or from a division, continuation, reexamination, or reissue

thereof, to AMERICAN GREETINGS CORPORATION as the assignee, for its interest and

for the sole use and benefit of AMERICAN GREETINGS CORPORATION and its assigns

and legal representatives;

For the same consideration, we, by these presents, do sell, assign, and transfer to

AMERICAN GREETINGS CORPORATION the full, exclusive, and entire right, title, and

interest in and to any foreign application or applications corresponding to said application, in

whole or in part, in countries other than the United States, in and to any Letters Patent and

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similar protective rights granted on said foreign applications, and in and to the right to claim any

applicable priority rights arising from or required for said foreign applications under the terms of

any applicable conventions, treaties, statutes, or regulations; said foreign applications to be filed

and issued in the name of AMERICAN GREETINGS CORPORATION or its designee

insofar as permitted by applicable law;

AND, for the same consideration, we agree to sign all lawful papers, execute all

division, continuing, reexamination, reissue, and other applications, make all assignments and

rightful oaths, and generally do everything possible to aid AMERICAN GREETINGS

CORPORATION, its successors, assigns, and nominees to obtain and enforce proper protection

for all said inventions and improvements in all countries throughout the world.

Gary A. Hodge

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Christopher P. Weigand	Date	

12/26/93 Date

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