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METHOD FOR CAPPING OR CLOSING CONTAINERS AND CAPPING OR CLOSING

MACHINE

ASSIGNMENT

In consideration of one dollar and other good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I (we), as assignor(s) [inventor(s)] (name(n) des erfinders oder der erfinder): Ludwig CLUSSERATH of: (Stadt, land) [address(es) of assignor(s) (inventor(s))]: 55543 Bad Kreuznach, of the Federal Republic of Germany hereby sell, assign and set over the entire right, title and interest for the United States to (namen des anmelders oder der anmelder(in)) [name of assignee (Company)]: KHS AG of: (Stadt, land) [address of assignee (company)]: Juchostrasse 20, 44143 Dortmund, of the Federal Republic of Germany as assignee(s) to the invention in (titel der erfindung) [title of invention]: METHOD FOR CAPPING OR CLOSING CONTAINERS AND CAPPING OR CLOSING MACHINE for which an application for United States Letters Patent has been executed by me (us) on the date(s) indicated below, and all original and reissued patents granted therefor, and all divisions and continuations thereof, including the subject-matter of any and all claims which may be obtained in every such patent, and authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States, to issue the said letters patent to said assignee, said assignee's successors, assigns, nominees or other legal representatives, as assignee of the entire interest, and covenant that I (we) have not executed and will not execute any agreement in conflict herewith, and agree that I (we) will communicate to said assignee, said assignee's successors, assigns, nominees or other legal representatives, all facts known to me (us) respecting said invention, whenever requested, and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuing and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths and do all lawful acts requisite for the application for such divisional, continuing or reissue applications, or the procuring thereof, and that if and when said assignee, said assignee's successors, assigns, nominees or other legal representatives desire to file a disclaimer relating thereof, I (we) will, upon request, sign all lawful papers requisite for the filing of such disclaimer, and I (we) further covenant and agree that I (we) will, at any time upon request, do everything legally possible to aid said assignee, said assignee's successors, assigns, nominees or other legal representatives, to testify in any interferences or other legal proceedings in which any of said applications or patents may become involved, the expenses incident to said applications or patents may become involved, the expenses incident to said applications to be borne and paid by said assignee, said assignee's successors, assigns, nominees or other legal representatives.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I (we) have hereunto set my (our) hand(s) and seal(s) on the date(s) (DATUM) indicated below.

| 1) Ludwig CLÜSSERATH | 2) | 3) |
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