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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, the undersigned, to wit: Antoine Bontemps and Loic Faulon (hereinafter "ASSIGNORS"), are the lawful owners of an invention known as Docket No. 3712036-1140 and entitled: PACKAGING COMPRISING A HEAT SHRINKING FILM, on which a patent application of the United States is executed of even date herewith and is about to be filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office;

AND WHEREAS, NESTEC S.A. (hereinafter "ASSIGNEE"), a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of Switzerland and having its principal office and place of business at Avenue Nestle 55, CH-1800 Vevey, Switzerland, desires to acquire the entire right, title, and interest therein;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, said ASSIGNORS do hereby sell, assign, and transfer, and hereby set over unto ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, the full and exclusive right, title and interest to said invention in the United States of America and all foreign countries, including, without limitation, said invention as described in the aforesaid application, to be held and enjoyed by said ASSIGNEE, its successors and assigns, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by said ASSIGNORS had this assignment and sale not been made, including, without limitation, all rights to the aforesaid application and to any United States Letters Patent therefor, when issued together with all improvements thereon and betterments thereof, all related applications including, but not limited to, divisions, continuations, continuations-in-part, reissues and reexaminations thereof and substitutions of or for said application, and all foreign rights including the right to make application for Letters Patent for said inventions in any and all foreign countries and the right to claim priority as to the filing date under the International Convention on the basis for the aforesaid application for United States Letters Patent; and ASSIGNORS hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents to issue all Letters Patent issuing therefrom to ASSIGNEE, for its interest as ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns and legal representatives.

ASSIGNORS hereby agree to execute any papers, provide any information and testify in any interference or litigation at the request of ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, when deemed essential to ASSIGNEE's, its successors', assigns' and legal representatives' full enjoyment, protection, enforcement and title in and to such invention and rights hereby transferred.

ASSIGNORS furthermore agree upon request of said ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, and without further remuneration, to execute any and all papers desired by said ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, for the filing and granting of foreign applications and the perfecting of title thereto in said ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns and legal representatives.

Signature



Name: Antoine Bontemps

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Before me personally appeared the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and executed the foregoing instrument in my presence for the purpose contained therein, by signing his/her name hereto.

Signature



Date Signed

14 July 2010

Date Signed

14 July 2010

Signature

Date Signed

Name: Loic Faulon

Address: Pappelstrasse 7
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Before me personally appeared the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and executed the foregoing instrument in my presence for the purpose contained therein, by signing his/her name hereto.

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In re Application of :
Bontemps, et al. :
Application No. 12/864,175 : DECISION ACCORDING STATUS
Filed: October 27, 2010 : UNDER 37 CFR 1.47(a)
Attorney Docket No. 2008-026 :
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This is in response to petition under 37 CFR 1.47(b), filed February 7, 2011, which is properly treated as a petition under 37 CFR 1.47(a).

The petition under 37 CFR 1.47(a) is GRANTED.

Rule 47 applicant has established that inventor Faulon has refused to sign the declaration after having been presented with the application papers. Specifically, applicant has included a copy of a written refusal from Faulon.

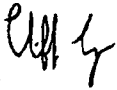
While Rule 47 applicant did not provide a statement of a single last known address of Fisher, it is presumed to be the address listed on the declaration. Applicant should inform the Office if this is not correct.

The above-identified application and papers have been reviewed and found to be in compliance with 37 CFR 1.47(a). Accordingly, the above-identified application is hereby accorded Rule 1.47(a) status.

As provided in 37 CFR 1.47(c), this Office will forward notice of this application's filing to the non-signing inventor at the last known address provided in the petition. Notice of the filing of this application will also be published in the Official Gazette.

The application is being forwarded to Group Art Unit 1782 for docketing and examination in due course.

Telephone inquiries regarding this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (571)272-3207.



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In re Application of
Bontemps, et al.
Application No. 12/864,175
Filed: July 22, 2010
Title: Packaging Comprising a Heat
Shrinking Film

LETTER

Dear Mr. Faulon:

You are named as a joint inventor in the above-identified United States patent application filed under the provisions of 35 USC 116 (United States Code) and 37 CFR 1.47(a), Rules of Practice in Patent Cases. Should a patent be granted on the application you will be designated therein as a joint inventor.

As a joint inventor, you are entitled to inspect any paper in the file wrapper of the application, order copies of all or any part thereof (at a prepaid cost per 37 CFR 1.19) or make your position of record in the application. Alternatively, you may arrange to do any of the preceding through a registered patent attorney or agent presenting written authorization from you. If you care to join the application, agent of record would presumably assist you. Joining in the application would entail the filing of an appropriate oath or declaration by you pursuant to 37 CFR 1.63.

Telephone inquiries regarding this communication should be directed to Petitions Attorney Cliff Congo at (571)272-3207. Requests for information regarding your application should be directed to the File Information Unit at (703) 308-2733. Information regarding how to pay for and order a copy of the application, or a specific paper in the application, should be directed to the Certification Division at (703) 308-9726 or 1-800-972-6382 (K&L GATES LLP in DOCKET Washington D.C. area).

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