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PATENT RELEASE

THIS PATENT RELEASE, dated as of this 20th day of September, 2011, given by JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A., as Collateral Agent (the "Assignor"), with principal offices at 270 Park Avenue, New York, NY, 10017, to R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Company, a North Carolina corporation (together with any successors-in-interest to the Patents, the "Assignee"), having an address at 401 North Main Street, Winston-Salem, NC, 27101 as follows:

W I T N E S S E T H

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Assignment of Security Interest in U.S. Patents, dated effective as of May 26, 2006, between Assignor and Assignee (the "Patent Security Agreement"), the Assignee granted to the Assignor a security interest in (i) all of Assignee's right, title and interest in and to the patents, patent registrations and patent applications set forth on Schedule A attached hereto (the "Patents"), together with (ii) all Proceeds (as such term is defined in the Security Agreement referred to below) of the Patents, (iii) the goodwill of the business with which the Patents are associated and, (iv) all causes of action arising prior to or after the date hereof for infringement of any of the Patents or unfair competition regarding the same (the "Patent Collateral"), to secure the satisfactory performance and payment of all the Obligations (as defined in that certain Security Agreement, dated as of May 26, 2006, among the Assignee, the other assignors from time to time party thereto and the Assignor (as amended, restated, modified and/or supplemented from time to time, the "Security Agreement")) of the Assignee; and

WHEREAS, the Assignor wishes to release its security interest and restore all right, title and interest in and to the Patent Collateral to the Assignee and to dissolve any and all liens and encumbrances respecting the Patent Collateral.

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, the Assignor hereby releases and discharges its security interest, and quit claims, reconveys, and relinquishes unto the Assignee all of its right, title and interest, in the Patent Collateral granted to Assignor by the Assignee pursuant to the Patent Security Agreement, which Patent Security Agreement was duly recorded on June 28, 2006, at Reel 017906, Frame 0671 in the United States Patent and Patent Office.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned, by and through its authorized officer, has caused this instrument to be executed under seal on the date first written above.

JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, N.A., as Collateral
Agent

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Schedule A

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