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Name	Execution Date
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Porter R. Million	12/23/2011

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Name:	Carlson Pet Products, Inc.	
Street Address:	550 Chipping Lane	
City:	Longboat Key	
State/Country:	FLORIDA	
Postal Code:	34228	

PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 1

Property Type	Number
Application Number:	13337718

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ASSIGNMENT OF INVENTION

In consideration of the payment by ASSIGNEE to ASSIGNOR of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00), the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, and for other good and valuable consideration,

ASSIGNORS:

Mark A. Flannery, Longboat Key, FL (residence),

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hereby sells, assigns and transfers to

ASSIGNEE:

Carlson Pet Products, Inc.

550 Chipping Lane

Longboat Key, Florida 34228

and the successors, assigns and legal representatives of the ASSIGNEE the entire right, title, and interest in and to the inventions, patent applications and patents identified below for the United States and its territorial possessions and for all foreign countries, with said entire right, title, and interest including any and all improvements, with said entire right, title, and interest including any legal equivalent thereof in any foreign country, with said entire right, title, and interest including the right to claim priority, and with said entire right, title, and interest including all additional patent applications and patents including any continuation, division, renewal, or substitute thereof and as to patents any reissue or re-examination thereof:

Title

Docket number

Gate apparatus with springless automatic return gate

MAF-DecoGate-01

ASSIGNOR hereby covenants that no assignment, sale, agreement or encumbrance has been or will be made or entered into which would conflict with this assignment.

ASSIGNOR further covenants that ASSIGNEE will, upon its request, be provided promptly with all pertinent facts and documents relating to said invention, patent application, patent, and legal equivalents thereof as may be known and accessible to ASSIGNOR and will testify as to the same in any interference, litigation or proceeding related thereto and will promptly execute and deliver to ASSIGNEE or its legal representatives any and all papers, instruments or affidavits required to apply for, obtain, maintain, issue and enforce said invention, patent application, patent, and legal equivalents thereof which may be necessary or desirable to carry out the purposes thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set hand and seal:

Date: 12-22-11

Mark A. Manne

Inventor

Date: 12.23.11

Porter R. Million

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