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BETWEEN:

Paul Francis Zwaan

AND:

Zetec Limited

AND:

Bomac Research Limited

DESCRIPTION:

By this Deed Paul Francis Zwaan assigns to Zetec Limited which then assigns to Bomac Research Limited all their right, title and interest in and to the Intellectual Property Rights relating to the Invention.

James & Wells

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BETWEEN

Paul Francis Zwaan, of 153 Clifton Terrace, Clifton.

Christchurch, 8081, New Zealand, Director

("Zwaan")

AND

Zetec Limited, a New Zealand company (no. 702921) having its registered office at 153 Clifton Terrace, Clifton, Christchurch,

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("ZL")

<u>AND</u>

Bomac Research Limited, a New Zealand company (no. 986752) having its registered office C/- Bayer New Zealand

Limited, 3 Argus Place, Glenfield, Auckland, 0627

("BRL")

ON THE BASIS THAT-

1.0 DEFINED TERMS

- 1.1. Assignors means Zwaan and ZL.
- 1.2. Copyright shall mean the property rights which exist in any Copyright Works.
- 1.3. Copyright Works shall mean:
 - **1.3-1.** a work of any of the types described in Section 14 of the New Zealand Copyright Act 1994; and/or
 - 1.3-2. a work in which copyright exists; and

which relates to the Invention.

- 1.4. Design Rights shall mean the right to apply for a registered design relating to the Invention, (including in particular a design having features as shown in the representations depicted in the First Schedule to this Deed) or equivalent protection in any country of the world and to claim priority under international convention from any such applications and the rights conferred by such registered designs or equivalent protection when granted.
- **1.5.** Intellectual Property Rights shall mean all intellectual property rights whatsoever relating to the Invention including without limitation the Patent Rights, the Design Rights, the Copyright and the Technical Information.
- 1.6. Invention shall mean an invention relating to a tip and applicator, as described in the statements of invention or draft provisional patent specification (as the case may be) set forth in the Second Schedule to this Deed.

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- 1.7. Patent Rights shall mean the right to apply for any patent relating to the Invention or equivalent protection in any country of the world and to claim priority under any international convention from any such application(s) and the rights conferred by such patents or equivalent protection when granted.
- 1.8. Technical Information shall mean all inventions, designs, drawings, tests, reports and procedures, models, manuals, formulae, tables of operating conditions and the like relating to the Invention and all other knowledge, know-how and show-how relating to the foregoing, whether or not capable of being protected by patent or otherwise.

2.0 BACKGROUND

- 2.1. Zwaan was engaged by BRL to provide an industrial design forthe Invention and designed elements thereof in his capacity as an officer and/or employee of ZL.
- 2.2. Zwaan acknowledges that, as between Zwaan and ZL, ZL is or should be the owner of the *Invention* and the *Intellectual Property Rights* as a result of their relationship, and agrees to assign same to ZL on the terms described below.
- 2.3. Likewise ZL acknowledges that, as between ZL and BRL, BRL is or should be the owner of *Invention* and the *Intellectual Property Rights* and agrees to assign the same to BRL on the terms described below.

BY THIS DEED THE PARTIES AGREE -

3.0 THE ASSIGNMENT

- 3.1. Zwaan hereby assigns all his right, title and interest in and to the *Invention* and *Intellectual Property Rights* to ZL, effective from the date this Deed is fully executed by Zwaan and ZL.
- 3.2. ZL hereby assigns all its right, title and interest in and to the *Invention* and *Intellectual Property Rights* to BRL, effective from the date this Deed is fully executed by ZL and BRL.

4.0 CONSIDERATION

- 4.1. In consideration for the assignment detailed in clause 3.1, ZL will pay to Zwaan upon execution of this Deed the sum of one New Zealand dollar (NZ\$1.00), the receipt and sufficiency of which is acknowledged by Zwaan.
- 4.2. In consideration for the assignment detailed in clause 3.2, BRL will pay to ZL upon execution of this Deed the sum of one New Zealand dollar (NZ\$1.00), the receipt and sufficiency of which is acknowledged by ZL.

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5.0 ASSIGNORS' OBLIGATIONS

- 5.1. The Assignors undertake to (at BRL's cost) execute any documents and authorisations, and depose to or swear any declarations or oaths as may be requested by BRL for vesting absolutely all their right, title and interest in and to the Intellectual Property Rights in favour of BRL, and for conferring on BRL the right to take action against any third party who copies the Invention or infringes the Intellectual Property Rights.
- 5.2. Zwaan shall forthwith disclose to BRL all improvements in, modifications of or additions to the *Invention* devised or created by Zwaan while in the employ of and/or under commission for money or money's worth from ZL or BRL, and the intellectual property in all such improvements, modifications or additions will be owned by BRL.
 - **5.2-1. Zwaan** shall assign to **BRL** upon request all intellectual property rights relating to all improvements in, modifications of or additions to the *Invention* devised or otherwise created while in the employ of and/or under a commission for money or money's worth from **ZL** or **BRL**.
- **5.3. Zwaan** hereby waives his moral rights in relation to the *Copyright*.
- **5.4.** At the request of BRL, Zwaan and ZL shall at BRL's expense execute all documents and do all acts necessary or convenient to enable BRL to:
 - 5.4-1. make, prosecute or register in BRL's name an application for a patent, registered design, registered trade mark, plant variety rights or other intellectual property protection in respect of any of the Intellectual Property Rights;
 - 5.4-2. defend opposition proceedings in respect of any of the Intellectual Property Rights against a third party or conduct opposition proceedings against a third party in respect of any application for intellectual property protection that may adversely affect BRL's ability to exploit the Intellectual Property Rights;
 - **5.4-3.** defend proceedings in any court, tribunal or other forum which relate to the validity of any of protection obtained in respect of the *Intellectual Property Rights*;
 - **5.4-4.** enforce the *Intellectual Property Rights* including obtaining all such remedies as may be available for infringement of the *Intellectual Property Rights*.
- 5.5. Zwaan shall, at the request of BRL, and to the extent outstanding, furnish BRL with full details of and relating to the *Invention* and the *Intellectual Property Rights* (including the circumstances of invention, creation and/or design of same) and where possible all original versions of the *Invention* and the *Copyright Works*.
- **5.6. Zwaan** and **ZL** shall each treat as confidential all information relating to the *Invention* and/or the *Intellectual Property Rights* and shall not use, disclose or

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publish same without the express prior written consent of BRL. Such obligations shall not extend to information which already is in or which enters the public domain through no fault of Zwaan or ZL (as the case may be). Zwaan and ZL shall seek prior clearance from BRL in any case of uncertainty.

6.0 ASSIGNORS' WARRANTIES

- 6.1. The Assignors each warrant that to the best of their knowledge there are no encumbrances or other matters affecting their respective capacity to assign the *Invention* and the *Intellectual Property Rights* such that **BRL** will take good title free of any encumbrances or interests whatsoever.
- **6.2. Zwaan** warrants that any the *Copyright Works* authored by him are his original work and are not copied in whole or in part from any other work.

7.0 GOVERNING LAW

- 7.1. This Deed and any disputes relating to it shall be governed by and construed in all respects in accordance with the laws of New Zealand.
- 7.2. Each party to this Deed submits to the non-exclusive jurisdiction of the courts of New Zealand.

8.0 CONSENT TO ASSIGNMENT

8.1. The **Zwaan** and **ZL** each consent to any other persons having rights in or to the *Invention* and/or the *Intellectual Property Rights* assigning the same to **BRL**.

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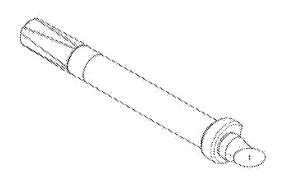
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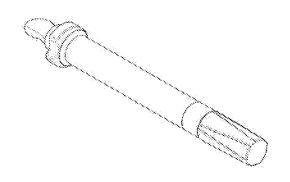
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FIRST SCHEDULE

Design Rights (clause 1.4)







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SECOND SCHEDULE

Invention (clause 1.6):

According to one aspect of the present invention there is provided a fluid applicator. the applicator including

a body, and

a reservoir for a fluid, and

a plunger, wherein the plunger includes a shaft, and wherein the plunger is configured to travel through the reservoir, and

an actuator for the plunger, and

a resilient nozzle

the fluid applicator characterized in that the actuator is configured to rotate the shaft of the plunger such that the plunger travels through the reservoir.

According to one aspect of the present invention, there is provided an operating mechanism for a fluid applicator, wherein the fluid applicator includes a body, a reservoir for a fluid, and a nozzle,

the operating mechanism including

a plunger configured to travel through the reservoir, wherein the plunger includes a shaft, and

an actuator for the plunger,

the operating mechanism characterized in that the actuator is configured to rotate the shaft of the plunger such that the plunger travels through the reservoir.

According to another aspect of the present invention, there is a method of applying fluid to a surface using a fluid applicator, wherein the fluid applicator includes a body. and a reservoir for a fluid, and a plunger, wherein the plunger includes a shaft, and wherein the plunger is configured to travel through the reservoir, and an actuator for the plunger, and a resilient nozzle, wherein the actuator is configured to rotate the shaft of the plunger such that the plunger travels through the reservoir. the method characterized by the steps of:

- a) placing the nozzle proximate to the surface onto which fluid is to be applied;
- b) rotating the actuator until the desired amount of fluid exits the nozzle.

According to yet another aspect of the present invention, there is provided a nozzle for a fluid applicator, wherein the fluid applicator includes a body, and a reservoir for a fluid, and a plunger, wherein the plunger includes a shaft, and wherein the plunger is configured to travel through the reservoir, and an actuator for the plunger, wherein the actuator is configured to rotate the shaft of the plunger such that the plunger travels through the reservoir.

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an angled nozzle face, and

a slit in the nozzle face.

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characterised in that the nozzle is fabricated from thermoplastic rubber.

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