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T. **DECLARATION**

As the below named inventor, I hereby make the following declarations with respect to the aboveidentified patent application attached hereto:

The above-identified application was made or authorized to be made by me;

I believe that I am the original inventor or an original joint inventor of a claimed invention in the aboveidentified application;

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified application, including the claims;

I acknowledge the duty to disclose to the Patent Office all information known by me to be material to patentability as defined in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, including for continuation-in-part applications, material information known by me which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of the continuation-in-part application; and

I hereby acknowledge that any willful false statement made in this declaration is punishable under 18 U.S.C. § 1001 by fine or imprisonment of not more than five (5) years, or both.

II. ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, I, Robert M. Carroll have invented, solely or jointly, one or more inventions described in the above-identified patent application for letters patent; and

WHEREAS, Payless Shoesource Worldwide, Inc. (hereinafter "ASSIGNEE"), a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, and having a usual place of business at P.O. Box 1249, Topeka, Kansas 66601-1249, desires to acquire an interest therein, in accordance with agreements duly entered into with me;

NOW, THEREFORE, to all whom it may concern be it known that for and in consideration of said agreements and of other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I have sold, assigned and transferred and by these presents do hereby sell, assign and transfer unto said ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns, and legal representatives, my entire right, title and interest in and throughout the United States of America, its territories and all foreign countries, in and to the invention(s) described in said application, together with my entire right, title and interest in and to said application and such letters patent as may issue thereon or claim priority under United States law or international convention, including but not limited to non-provisionals, continuations, divisionals, reissues, reexaminations, extensions, and substitutions of said application or such letters patent, and any right, title and interest I may have in provisional applications to which said application claims priority; said invention(s), applications and letters patent to be held and enjoyed by said ASSIGNEE for its own use and behalf and for its successors, assigns and legal representatives, to the full end of the term for which said letters patent may be granted as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by me had this assignment and sale not been made. I hereby convey all of my rights arising under or pursuant to

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I hereby authorize and request the Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office to issue such letters patent as shall be granted upon said application, or applications based thereon, to said ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns, or legal representatives.

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<i>IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF</i> , I have forth below.	hereunto set my hand-and affixed my seal on the date set
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