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**ASSIGNMENT OF INVENTION**

For good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I, an Assignor named below,

Biagio P. Pellegrino of Niskayuna, NY 12309 USA  
Thomas R. Nixon of Au Gres, MI 48703 USA  
Clemens E. Zoellner of Bay City, MI 48706 USA

hereby sell, assign and transfer to

ASSIGNEE: SAINT-GOBAIN ABRASIVES, INC., a Massachusetts Corporation, having a principal place of business at One New Bond Street, Worcester, MA 01615-0138 USA,

and

SAINT-GOBAIN ABRASIFS, having a principal place of business at Rue de l'Ambassadeur, 78700 Conflans-Sainte-Honorine, FRANCE,

its successors, assigns and legal representatives, my entire right, title and interest throughout the world, including all rights to claim priority, in and to the invention disclosed in:

- U.S. Patent Application executed on or about the date of this Assignment,
- U.S. Patent Application executed on \_\_\_\_\_,
- U.S. Provisional Application \_\_\_\_\_, filed on \_\_\_\_\_,
- U.S. Application No.: 13/728,678, filed on December 27, 2012, or
- International Application No.: PCT/\_\_\_\_\_, filed on \_\_\_\_\_.

ENTITLED: **CONVERTIBLE PAINT CUP ASSEMBLY WITH AIR INLET VALVE**, and naming as

INVENTOR(S): Biagio P. Pellegrino, Thomas R. Nixon, and Clemens E. Zoellner

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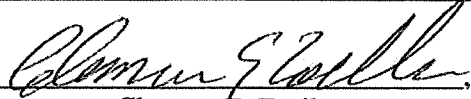
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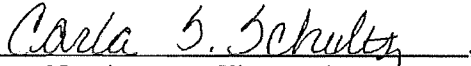
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