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For: US Patent Application  
By: Inventor

**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,

**ASSIGNOR:** Scott Arthurs,

hereby sells, assigns and transfers to

**ASSIGNEE:** The Eastern Company  
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and the successors, assigns and legal representatives of the ASSIGNEE the entire right, title and interest for the United States and its territorial possessions and in all foreign countries, including all rights to claim priority, in and to any and all improvements which are disclosed in the invention entitled:

Release Mechanism Knob for a Waste Container

and which is found in (37 C.F.R. § 3.21)

U.S. patent application executed on even date herewith,

U.S. application no. 29/489,045 filed on April 25, 2014.\*

and any legal equivalent thereof in a foreign country, including the right to claim priority and, in and to, all Letters Patent to be obtained for said invention by the above application or any continuation, division, renewal, or substitute thereof, and as to letters patent, any reissue, re-examination, supplemental examination, post-grant review, or inter parties review thereof.

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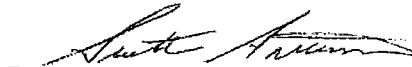
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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my signature this 21st day of April, 2014.



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