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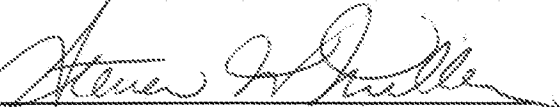
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GENERAL PATENT ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, **THE PROCTER & GAMBLE COMPANY**, a corporation of the State of Ohio, having its principal place of business at One Procter & Gamble Plaza, Cincinnati, OH, USA (hereinafter, together with its Affiliates, referred to as "ASSIGNOR"), owned, by assignment, all right, title, and interest in the patent applications listed in ATTACHMENT A ("ASSIGNOR PATENT APPLICATIONS"), which is attached and hereby incorporated into and forms a part of this General Patent Assignment, and any inventions claimed therein; and **WHIRLPOOL CORPORATION**, a corporation of the State of Delaware (hereinafter, together with its Affiliates, referred to as "ASSIGNEE"), desired to own ASSIGNOR's entire right, title, and interest (including the right to claim priority of the filing date of said applications in the United States and/or under international conventions), in and to ASSIGNOR PATENT APPLICATIONS and to the inventions claimed therein.

NOW THEREFORE, be it known that effective January 31, 2016, for good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNOR sold, assigned, transferred, and set over to ASSIGNEE, its lawful successors and assigns, ASSIGNOR's entire right, title, and interest for all countries in and to all inventions first disclosed in the ASSIGNOR PATENT APPLICATIONS and in and to all divisions, continuations, or renewals thereof, all Letters Patent that may be granted from any of the foregoing, and all reissues or extensions of such Letters Patent, and in and to any and all applications that have been or will be filed outside the United States for Letters Patent claiming priority, whether directly or indirectly, to any of the ASSIGNOR PATENT APPLICATIONS, including an assignment of all rights under the provisions of the International Convention, and all Letters Patent outside the United States that may be granted there from. ASSIGNOR hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner for Patents of the United States and any official of any country outside the United States whose duty it is to issue patents on applications as described above, to issue all Letters Patent for the foregoing to ASSIGNEE, its successors and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this General Patent Assignment.

THE PROCTER & GAMBLE COMPANY

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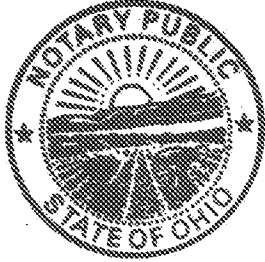
STEVEN W. MILLER

Vice-President & General Counsel
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Date FEB 5, 2016

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On this 5th day of February, 2016, before me personally appeared **STEVEN W. MILLER**, to me known to be the person named in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.



Jennifer L. Schmidt
Notary Public

JENNIFER L. SCHMIDT
Notary Public, State of Ohio
My Commission Expires 11-16-2017

ATTACHMENT A
ASSIGNOR PATENT APPLICATIONS

PATENT GRANT # / APPLICATION #	P&G CASE #	TITLE
12/475,689	11095	BASIC CABINET WITH DRAWER AND SUPPORT
12/791,123 US 8,484,867	11345	FABRIC FLEXURAL RIGIDITY
12/791,135 US 8,407,914	11354	PASSIVE HEAT MANAGEMENT SYSTEM
12/767,974	11311	TENSIONING SYSTEM
29/308,384 US D617,063	D1371	FABRIC REFRESHING DEVICE