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**STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(c)**

Applicant/Patent Owner: Rubbermaid Incorporated

Application No./Patent No.: \_\_\_\_\_ Filed/Issue Date: July 15, 2019

Titled: Jar

Rubbermaid Incorporated, a Corporation

(Name of Assignee) (Type of Assignee, e.g., corporation, partnership, university, government agency, etc.)

states that, for the patent application/patent identified above, it is (choose **one** of options 1, 2, 3 or 4 below):

- 1.  The assignee of the entire right, title, and interest.
- 2.  An assignee of less than the entire right, title, and interest (check applicable box):
  - The extent (by percentage) of its ownership interest is \_\_\_\_\_%. Additional Statement(s) by the owners holding the balance of the interest must be submitted to account for 100% of the ownership interest.
  - There are unspecified percentages of ownership. The other parties, including inventors, who together own the entire right, title and interest are:

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- 3.  The assignee of an undivided interest in the entirety (a complete assignment from one of the joint inventors was made). The other parties, including inventors, who together own the entire right, title, and interest are:

Additional Statement(s) by the owner(s) holding the balance of the interest must be submitted to account for the entire right, title, and interest.

- 4.  The recipient, via a court proceeding or the like (e.g., bankruptcy, probate), of an undivided interest in the entirety (a complete transfer of ownership interest was made). The certified document(s) showing the transfer is attached.

The interest identified in option 1, 2 or 3 above (not option 4) is evidenced by either (choose **one** of options A or B below):

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[NOTE: A separate copy (i.e., a true copy of the original assignment document(s)) must be submitted to Assignment Division in accordance with 37 CFR Part 3, to record the assignment in the records of the USPTO. See MPEP 302.08]

The undersigned (whose title is supplied below) is authorized to act on behalf of the assignee.

/Jessica Kattula/  
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Signature

Jessica Kattula  
\_\_\_\_\_

Printed or Typed Name

July 15, 2019  
\_\_\_\_\_

Date

63974  
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Title or Registration Number

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**ASSIGNMENT**

WHEREAS, Loren Chen, a resident Kalamazoo, MI; Marcel A. Souza, a resident of Kalamazoo, MI; Taegan W. Williams, a resident of Charlotte, NC; and William F. Croft, a resident of Huntersville, NC; (hereinafter referred to as “Assignors”), have invented a new, original and ornamental design for a JAR for which application for U.S. Letters Patent has been filed herewith; and

WHEREAS, Assignors are the owners and in full possession of the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and in and to any and all Letters Patent that may be granted therefore; and

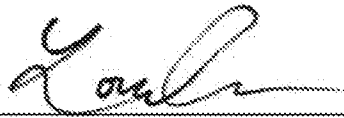
WHEREAS, Rubbermaid, Inc., a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Delaware, (hereinafter referred to as “Assignee”), having its principal office and place of business at 8935 North Pointe Executive Drive, Huntersville, NC, 27078 is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and in and to any and all Letters Patent that may be granted therefor; and

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (U.S. \$1.00) and other valuable considerations to Assignors paid by said Assignee, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignors do hereby sell, assign and transfer unto said Assignee, the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention as set forth and described in the application for Letters Patent filed herewith, including all rights to file applications and obtain patents in other countries, and in and to any and all Letters Patent, both United States and foreign, that may be granted therefore, and Assignors do hereby authorize and request the United States Assistant

Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue in accordance with this Assignment any and all Letters Patent that may be granted, either on said application or otherwise for said invention, to Rubbermaid, Inc. as the Assignee of the entire right, title and interest in and to the same, for sole use and benefit of Rubbermaid, Inc., its successors or assigns.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Assignor has hereunto set his hand and seal.

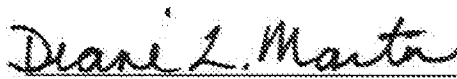
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Loren Chen

STATE OF Michigan )  
  ) SS:  
COUNTY OF Kalamazoo )

On this 26th day of June 2019, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public within and for said County and State aforesaid, personally appeared Loren Chen to me known to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing assignment document, and acknowledged that he/she executed the same as his/her free and voluntary act and deed.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto attached my hand and notarial seal, at the County and State aforesaid on the day and year last above written.

  
Notary Public

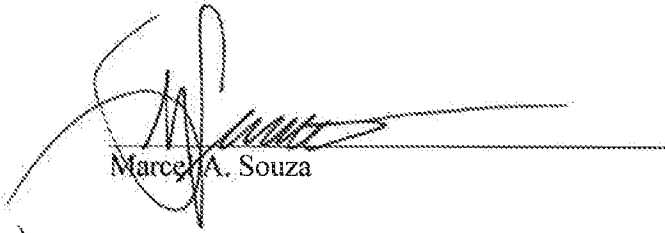
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State of Michigan, County of Cass  
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Acting in the County of Kalamazoo

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Assignor has hereunto set his hand and seal.

Date 06/26/2019

  
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Marcel A. Souza

STATE OF Michigan )  
                                  ) SS:  
COUNTY OF Kalamazoo )

On this 26th day of June 2019, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public within and for said County and State aforesaid, personally appeared Marcel A. Souza to me known to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing assignment document, and acknowledged that he/she executed the same as his/her free and voluntary act and deed.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto attached my hand and notarial seal, at the County and State aforesaid on the day and year last above written.

Diane L. Martin  
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Notary Public

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Date 7.2.2019

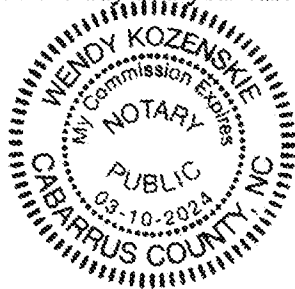
William F. Croft  
William F. Croft

STATE OF NC )  
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COUNTY OF MECKLENBURG )

On this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of July 2019, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public within and for said County and State aforesaid, personally appeared William F. Croft to me known to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing assignment document, and acknowledged that he/she executed the same as his/her free and voluntary act and deed.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto attached my hand and notarial seal, at the County and State aforesaid on the day and year last above written.

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Wendy Kozenskie  
Notary Public

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