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## ASSIGNMENT

This Assignment is made, executed, and delivered by and between Midea America Corporation, a Florida entity, having a place of business at 4 Campus Drive, Parsippany, New Jersey 07054 (“**Midea America**”) and Midea Group Co., Ltd., a company of P.R. China, having a place of business at No. 6., Midea Avenue, Beijiao, Shunde, Foshan, Guangdong, P.R. China 528311 (“**Midea Group**”).

**WHEREAS**, Midea America together with any successors, legal representatives or assigns thereof, is a joint owner along with Midea Group of all right, title, and interest to the patents and/or patent applications listed in the attached Exhibit A (the “Inventions” and the “Applications”); and

**WHEREAS**, Midea Group, together with any successors, legal representatives, or assigns thereof, desires to acquire from Midea America, and Midea America desires to so grant, all of Midea America’s right, title, and interest in and to the Intellectual Property (defined below), and any United States and foreign patents to be obtained therefor so as to become the sole owner thereof.

**NOW THEREFORE**, in consideration of the above premises, and the mutual promises and covenants hereinafter set forth, and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are acknowledged, Midea America hereby assigns, conveys, and transfers to Midea Group all of Midea America’s entire right, title, and interest in and to:

said Inventions;

said Applications, including any and all designs, divisions, continuations, continuations-in-part, provisionals or non-provisionals claiming priority to or having any relationship to any of the aforesaid, reissues thereof, and reexaminations thereof;

any and all foreign and PCT applications claiming priority to any of the aforesaid;

any and all Letters Patent of the United States and all countries foreign thereto, which may be granted or have been granted for any of the aforesaid, and any and all reissues and reexaminations thereof;

any and all priority rights, convention rights, and other benefits accruing or to accrue to the Assignor with respect to the filing of applications for patents or the securing of patents in the United States and countries foreign thereto;

any and all rights to recover damages for past infringement of any and all said Letters Patent (collectively, all of the aforesaid the “Intellectual Property”).

**MIDEA AMERICA HEREBY FURTHER AGREES** to sign and execute all necessary and lawful future documents necessary to perfect Midea Group’s right, title, and interest in and to

said Applications, which Midea Group may from time to time require and prepare at Midea Group's expense;

**AND MIDEA AMERICA HEREBY AUTHORIZES AND REQUESTS** the United States Patent and Trademark Office, and any offices of foreign countries whose duty it is to issue patents, to issue any Letters Patent granted upon said Applications and for said Inventions to Midea Group.

**ASSIGNOR:**

**Midea America Corporation**

By: 

Print Name: Kurt Jarvis

Title: President

Date: 12/19/2017

**ASSIGNEE:**

**Midea Group Co., Ltd.**

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

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ASSIGNOR:

Midea America Corporation

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## EXHIBIT A

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