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## ASSIGNMENT OF U.S. PATENT APPLICATION

WHEREAS, I, Günter EMPL, residing at Falltorstraße 12, 51429 Bergisch Gladbach, Germany, ("Inventor") have invented certain new and useful improvements in a PORTION CAPSULE AND METHOD FOR PRODUCING A BEVERAGE BY MEANS OF A PORTION CAPSULE for which U.S. Patent Application No. 14/409,225 was filed on December 18, 2014, the "Patent Application," as a National Stage application of International Patent Application No. PCT/EP2013/062610 filed on June 18, 2013, which claims priority to German Patent Application No. DE 10 2012 105 282.4 filed on June 18, 2012;

WHEREAS, K-FEE SYSTEM GMBH, having offices at Senefelderstraße 44, 51469 Bergisch Gladbach, Germany ("Assignee"), is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in said Patent Application;

NOW THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, receipt and sufficiency of which is acknowledged, the Assignors do hereby assign and transfer unto Assignee, and Assignee does hereby accept, all of Assignor's rights, title and interest to said Patent Application, any Patent issuing therefrom and any priority rights relating thereto in and to any continuations, divisions, reissues, reexaminations and extensions in the U.S., along with any and all rights of enforcement with respect thereto, including all rights to sue or recover for the infringement thereof, and any and all causes of action related thereto; and

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