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## **INVENTION ASSIGNMENT AGREEMENT**

This INVENTION ASSIGNMENT AGREEMENT (this "Agreement") is entered into as of April 21, 2017 ("Effective Date"), by and between Anthony Tamras of 21 Kristin Drive, Unit 921, Schaumburg, Illinois 60195 (hereinafter "Tamras") and DeoTech LLC, an Illinois limited liability company of 21 Kristin Drive, Unit 921, Schaumburg, Illinois 60195 (hereinafter "DeoTech") (collectively the "Parties").

WHEREAS, Tamras is an inventor and owner of certain new and useful improvements in an invention currently known as: "DEVICE FOR REDUCING ODOR IN ATHLETIC APPAREL STORAGE" (hereinafter the "Invention") briefly described as follows:

This invention relates to a device which reduces odor in athletic apparel storage, notably athletic or "gym" bags, lockers, and similar places where athletic apparel might be stored before it can be washed. The device uses chemical means both to reduce the odor of unwashed apparel and to mask the odor of unwashed apparel with a preferable fragrance. The device is configured to allow it to be used in rough conditions and to be activated and deactivated by simple and obvious means.

WHEREAS, an application or applications in the United States Patent and Trademark Office for a provisional and/or utility patent is/are being, or will be, filed as well as potential United States of America and foreign design patent application(s) and potential foreign utility patent application(s.)

WHEREAS, DeoTech desires to acquire the entire right, title, and interest in and to the Invention in the United States of America and throughout the world.

WHEREAS, Tamras desires to assign the Invention and all right, title, and interest therein in the United States of America and throughout the world to DeoTech.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing, and the covenants and promises set forth below, the adequacy and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the Parties hereby agree as follows:

1. **Assignment of Patent Rights.** Tamras hereby assigns, sells, and transfers to DeoTech the entirety of his right, title, and interest that exists today and may exist in the future in and to:
  - 1.1. The Invention and any and all patent applications which may claim or protect it, whether utility or design and any and all Letters Patent of the United States of America whether utility or design;
  - 1.2. All reissues, renewals, substitutes, reexaminations, extensions, post-grant reviews, inter partes reviews, supplemental examinations, continuations, continuations in part,

- continuing prosecution applications, requests for continuing examinations, divisions, and registrations of any of the foregoing 1.1;
- 1.3. All foreign patents, patent applications, and counterparts relating to any of the foregoing 1.1 and 1.2, including, without limitation, certificates of invention, utility models, industrial design protection, design patent protection, and other governmental grants or issuances;
  - 1.4. All intellectual property, including and without limitation, all innovations, information, inventions, invention disclosures, products, processes, works, designs, and discoveries described in any of the foregoing 1.1, 1.2, and 1.3 that, implicitly or explicitly (i) are included in any claim in any of the foregoing 1.1, 1.2, and 1.3, (ii) are subject matter capable of being reduced to a patent claim in a reissue or reexamination proceeding brought on any item in the foregoing 1.1, 1.2, and 1.3, and (iii) could have been included as a claim in any of the foregoing 1.1, 1.2, and 1.3;
  - 1.5. All rights to apply in any or all countries of the world for patents, certificates of invention, utility models, industrial design protections, design patent protections, or other governmental grants or issuances of any type related to the any of the foregoing 1.1, 1.2, 1.3, and 1.4, including, without limitation, under the Paris Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, the Patent Cooperation Treaty, or any other convention, treaty, agreement, or understanding;
  - 1.6. All causes of action which now exist or may exist in future (whether known or unknown and whether currently pending, filed, or otherwise) and other enforcement rights, including, without limitation, all rights under or on account of any of the foregoing 1.1, 1.2, 1.3, 1.4, and 1.5, and all causes of action and other enforcement rights for:
    - (i) past, present, and future damages,
    - (ii) injunctive relief, and
    - (iii) other remedies of any kindfor past, current, and future infringement; and
  - 1.7. All rights to collect royalties and other payments under or on account of any of the foregoing 1.1, 1.2, 1.3, 1.4, 1.5, and 1.6.
2. **Warranties.** Tamras hereby warrants as follows:
- 2.1. **Ownership.** Tamras has not assigned, transferred, encumbered, or otherwise disposed of any of his right, title, and interest, whether in whole or in part, in and to the Invention, including, without limitation, any right, title, and interest to sue for infringement thereof.
  - 2.2. **Authority.** Tamras has the full power, authority, and capacity, and has obtained all spousal and third party consents, approvals, and other authorizations required, to enter into this Agreement and to carry out his obligations hereunder.
  - 2.3. **Clear Title.** To the best of Tamras' knowledge, the Invention is free and clear of all liens, licenses, claims, mortgages, security interests, community property interests, restrictions, or other encumbrances. To the best of Tamras' knowledge, there are no actions, suits, investigations, claims, or proceedings that are threatened, pending, or in progress relating in any way to the Invention. To the best of Tamras' knowledge, there

are no existing, and Tamras will not enter into any, assignments, contracts, agreements, understandings, options, commitments, proposals, bids, offers, or rights with, to, or in any person to acquire the Invention or any portion thereof, or that otherwise conflict with this Agreement.

2.4. **Enforcement.** Tamras has not put any third party on notice of actual or potential infringement of the Invention, nor initiated any enforcement action with respect to the Invention. To the best of Tamras' knowledge, the Invention is not currently the subject of any dispute, challenge, or cancellation proceeding.

3. **Further Cooperation.** Tamras hereby agrees to execute any documents that may be required in connection with the filing, prosecution, and maintenance of any and all patents or applications related to the Invention in the United States of America or countries foreign thereto. Tamras further agrees that if any part of this Assignment is held to be invalid and or inadequate under the law of any jurisdiction, he will execute such further documents as may be necessary to perfect DeoTech's interest in the Invention and all patents and other legal protections depending from or related thereto. All such documents shall be prepared at DeoTech's own expense. Tamras also agrees, without further consideration and at DeoTech's expense, to identify and communicate to DeoTech at DeoTech's request, documents and information concerning the Invention that are within Tamras' possession or control, and to provide further assurances and testimony on behalf of DeoTech that lawfully may be required of Tamras in the respect of the prosecution, maintenance, and defense of any patent application(s) or patent(s) encompassed within the terms of this instrument. Tamras' obligations under this instrument shall extend, to the extent applicable, to Tamras' heirs, executors, administrators, and other legal representatives.
4. **Consideration.** In exchange for the patent assignment and the other promises and warranties contained in this Agreement, DeoTech shall pay to Tamras Ten United States Dollars (US \$10.00) plus other good and valuable consideration, the sufficiency of which is hereby stipulated.
5. **Authorization.** Tamras hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue to DeoTech any and all Letters Patent referred to above, as assignee of the entire right, title, and interest in and to the same, for DeoTech's sole use and benefit; and for the use and benefit of DeoTech's legal representatives and successors, to the full extent of the term for which such Letters Patent may be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by Tamras had this Agreement not been made. Tamras further authorizes DeoTech, or DeoTech's designated attorney or agent, to file such applications for patent or other legal protections as the Invention may be entitled to in and under the law of any and all jurisdictions where it may be entitled to such protection.
6. **Completion.** Tamras authorizes any member of Crawford Intellectual Property Law LLC and attorneys working under its authorization and supervision to insert or complete any

information in this document needed to effect its recording in the United States Patent and Trademark Office.

7. **Choice of Law.** This Agreement shall be governed by, and construed according to, the laws of the State of Illinois, without reference to any principles of conflicts of law.
8. **Forum Selection.** All actions brought under this Assignment may be brought only in a State or Federal court having jurisdiction in Cook County, Illinois. The Parties hereby consent to venue in these fora.
9. **Non-Waiver of Rights.** Failure by either Party to enforce strict performance of any provision of this Agreement does not constitute a waiver of that Party's right to subsequently enforce that provision or any other provision of this Agreement. No waiver of any term, provision, or condition of this Agreement shall be valid unless given in a signed writing.
10. **Severability.** Whenever possible, each provision and term of this Agreement shall be interpreted in a manner to be effective and valid. However, if any provision or term of this Agreement is held to be prohibited or invalid, then such provision or term will be ineffective only to the extent of such prohibition or invalidity, without invalidating or affecting in any manner whatsoever the remainder of such provision or term, or the remaining provisions or terms of this Agreement.
11. **Heirs, Successors, and Assigns.** All of the covenants, terms, provisions, and agreements contained herein shall be binding upon the parties hereto, and to their respective legal representatives, heirs, successors, and assigns.
12. **Headings.** The section headings in this Agreement are inserted for convenience only and shall not be used or relied upon in any way in the interpretation of this Agreement.
13. **Entire Agreement.** This Agreement constitutes and contains the entire agreement between the Parties with respect to the subject matter hereof and supersedes any prior or contemporaneous agreements, whether oral or written.
14. **Counterparts.** This Agreement may be executed in several counterparts and all so executed shall constitute one agreement binding on all Parties hereto, notwithstanding that all the Parties have not signed the original or the same counterpart. Any counterpart hereof signed by a Party against whom enforcement of this Agreement is sought shall be admissible into evidence as an original hereof to prove the contents hereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the undersigned have executed this Agreement as of the day and year first written above. The Parties hereto agree that facsimile signatures and signatures by email as scanned documents shall be as effective as if originals.



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