

FORMULARIO ÚNICO DE CORRECCIONES Y MODIFICACIONES

1. ☐ Corrección de datos generales ☒ Modificación de datos		
2. SOLICITANTE	COMERCIALIZADORA Nombre: RAMIRO CASTRO DUQUE Dirección: Cra. 7 No 16-56 Piso 9 Teléfono: 3-802200 Fax: 3-802700 E-mail:	DEMPACON CC ☒ NIT ☐ CE ☐ Otro ☐ Número: 170.322 TP 1003
3. REPRESENTANTE O APODERADO	Nombre: RAMIRO CASTRO DUQUE Dirección: Cra. 7 No 16-56 Piso 9 Teléfono: 3-802200 Fax: 3-802700 E-mail:	IDENTIFICACION CC ☒ NIT ☐ CE ☐ Otro ☐ Número: 170.322 TP 1003
4. Número de expediente: 01003317		
5. Descripción de la corrección o modificación solicitada: En los presentes documentos se presentan los datos de los inventores y se solicita la inscripción de los mismos en el registro de patentes de la Superintendencia de Industria y Comercio.		
6. Comprobante de pago No: 024037 Fecha: 16/08/2002		
7. Anexos ☒ Comprobante de pago de la tasa. ☐ Poderes, si fuere el caso ☐ Documento que acredita la existencia y representación legal de las partes, cuando sean personas jurídicas ☒ Documentos de cesión ☒ Lista de Inventores		
8. Nombre del Solicitante: RAMIRO CASTRO DUQUE Fecha: 16/08/2002 Número: 170.322 TP 1003		

Instrucciones para el diligenciamiento del presente formulario, ver reverso de esta página.

AS: 87.577

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INVENTORES RETIRADOS DE LA PRESENTE SOLICITUD

1. **MYRON J. BOWERS**
2. **ALAN M. BOHLS**

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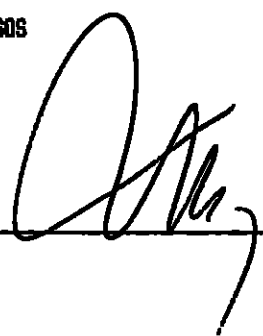
***** CONSIGNACION *****

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BRIGARD & CASTRO LTDA	CONSIGNACION	BANCO POPULAR	050-00110-6	2740133	21/06/2002	13,441,200.00

***** CONCEPTO *****

CANT.	RENTISTICO	CONCEPTO	TOTAL CONCEPTO
1	50005-01-03	CAMBIO DE MODALIDAD Y MODIFICA	
		12 MARCAS Y LEHAS COMERCIALES	78,000.00
		TOTAL :	\$ 78,000.00

SON: SETENTA Y OCHO MIL PESOS

RESPONSABLE : 

RECIBO DE CAJA APLICADO AL EXPEDIENTE No. _____

APOSTILLE

(Convention de la Haye du 5 octobre 1961)

1. Country: United States of America

This public document

2. has been signed by

J. BERNIE QUILTER

3. acting in the capacity of

Clerk of Court of Common Pleas

4. bears the seal/stamp of

Court of Common Pleas, Lucas County

CERTIFIED

5. at Columbus, Ohio

6. April 23, 2002

7. by the Secretary of State of Ohio.

8. **Nº 91617**

9. Seal/Stamp:

10. Signature:



J. Kenneth Blackwell
J. Kenneth Blackwell
Secretary of State of Ohio

NOTARY CERTIFICATE

THE STATE OF OHIO }
COUNTY OF LUCAS }

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J. Bernie Quilter, Clerk of the Common Pleas Court and Court of Appeals for the County of Lucas and State of Ohio, the same being a court of record, and having by LAW a Seal, do hereby certify that

JUDITH M SCHREINER

whose name is subscribed to the certificate of the proof of acknowledgment of the annexed instrument and thereon written, was, at the time of taking such proof and acknowledgment, a Notary Public, duly commissioned and sworn, and authorized by the laws of said State to take the acknowledgments and proofs of deeds or conveyances for lands, tenements or hereditaments in said State, to be recorded therein. And further, that I am well acquainted with the handwriting of such Notary Public, and verily believe that the signature to said certificate of proof or acknowledgment is genuine, that impression of seal of such officer is not required by law to be filed in my office, and the commission expires on the 2ND day of

FEBRUARY, 2006

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the said Court and County, at Toledo, Ohio, 4/10/02

(Date)

J. Bernie Quilter, Clerk of Courts

, Clerk

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J. Bernie Quilter

**CERTIFIED COPY
OF
ASSIGNMENT**

I, JUDITH M. SCHREINER, a Notary Public in and for the State of Ohio, U.S.A., hereby certify that the attached document is a true copy of a Petition to Correct Inventorship Under 37 CFR 1.48(a) for an Improvement invention for METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR INSPECTING ARTICLES OF GLASSWARE which was filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office ("U.S. PTO") on December 4, 2001, as evidenced by the copy of the receipt card from the U.S. PTO also attached. The aforesaid Improvement invention is the subject of United States Patent Application Serial No. 09/679,584 filed October 4, 2000.

The Petition contains:

Statements signed by Inventors George A. Nickey, Stephen M. Gerber, Noel D. Wendt, Ronald E. Gast, Gregory A. Ritz, James Scott Barnes, William R. Martin, Myron J. Bowers and Alan M. Bohls;

Combined Declarations and Powers of Attorney signed by inventors George A. Nickey, Stephen M. Gerber, Noel D. Wendt, Ronald E. Gast, Gregory A. Ritz, James Scott Barnes and William R. Martin;

Consent of Assignee to Correction of Inventorship under 37 CFR 1.48(a);

Recordation Form Cover Sheet;

Assignments signed by inventors George A. Nickey, Stephen M. Gerber, Noel D. Wendt, Ronald E. Gast, Gregory A. Ritz, James Scott Barnes and William R. Martin;

Dated: April 8, 2002



JUDITH M. SCHREINER
Notary Public, State of Ohio
Commission Expires 2/2/06

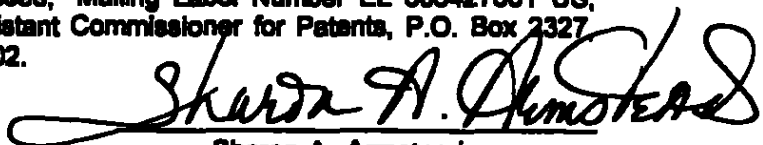
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THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: George A. Nickey, et al
Serial No. 09/879,584
Filed: October 4, 2000
For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR INSPECTING
ARTICLES OF GLASSWARE
Attorney Docket No.: 17304
Group Art Unit: 3653

CERTIFICATE OF EXPRESS MAILING

I hereby certify that this paper (along with any paper referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being deposited with the United States Postal Service, on this 4th day of December, 2001 in an envelope as "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee," Mailing Label Number EL 608427801 US, addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 2327 Arlington, Virginia 22202.


Sharon A. Armstead

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 2327
Arlington, Virginia 22202

Sir:

PETITION TO CORRECT INVENTORSHIP
UNDER 37 CFR 1.48(a)

The Director is hereby petitioned to correct the inventorship in the present application to identify the following as joint inventors: George A. Nickey, Stephen M. Gerber, Noel D. Wendt, Ronald E. Gast, Gregory A. Ritz, James Scott Barnes, and William R. Martin. That is, inventorship is to be corrected by removing Myron J. Bowers and Alan

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M. Bohls identified as inventors in the application as filed, and by adding Messrs. Ritz, Barnes and Martin as inventors.

Enclosed with this Petition are: (1) a Statement signed by Messrs. Nickey, Gerber, Wendt, Gast, Ritz, Barnes, Martin, Bowers and Bohls stating that the error in inventorship in the application as filed occurred without any deceptive intention on their parts; (2) a Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney signed by Messrs. Nickey, Gerber, Wendt, Gast, Ritz, Barnes and Martin; and (3) the Written Consent of the assignee in the present application, Owens-Brockway Glass Container Inc.

The Director is requested to charge all fees associated with this Petition to Account No. 15-0875 (Owens-Illinois).

Respectfully submitted,

REISING, ETHINGTON, BARNES, KISSELLE,
LEARMAN & McCULLOCH, P.C.

By _____
Robert C. Collins
Reg. No. 27,430
Telephone (248) 689-3500
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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

STATEMENT

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.48(a)(2) George A. Nickey, a citizen of the United States residing in Maumee, Ohio, Stephen M. Gerber, a citizen of the United States residing in Petersburg, Michigan, Noel D. Wendt, a citizen of Australia residing in Toledo, Ohio, Ronald E. Gast, a citizen of the United States residing in Genoa, Ohio, Gregory A. Ritz, a citizen of the United States residing in Berkey, Ohio, James Scott Barnes, a citizen of the United States residing in Maumee, Ohio, William R. Martin, a citizen of the United States residing in Slippery Rock, Pennsylvania, Myron J. Bowers, a citizen of the United States residing in Perrysburg, Ohio, and Alan M. Bohls, a citizen of the United States residing in Grelton, Ohio, hereby declare and state as follows:

1. We understand that this Statement is to be filed in connection with correction of inventorship in this patent application from Messrs. Nickey, Gerber, Wendt, Bowers, Gast and Bohls in the application as filed, to Messrs. Nickey, Gerber, Wendt, Gast, Ritz, Barnes and Martin as corrected.

2. Each of us states that the error in the original identification of inventors in this application arose without any deceptive intention on his part.

3. Each of us further states that all statements made herein of his own knowledge are true, and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements are made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title XVIII of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of this patent application and any patent issued thereon.

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Date

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Date

10/26/01
Date

11/13/01
Date

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William R. Martin

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Myron J. Bowers

Date

Alan M. Bohls

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PATENT

COMBINED DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY
(ORIGINAL, DESIGN, NATIONAL STAGE OF PCT, SUPPLEMENTAL, DIVISIONAL,
CONTINUATION, OR C-I-P)

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

TYPE OF DECLARATION

This declaration is of the following type:

(check one applicable item below)

☒ original.

☐ design.

NOTE: With the exception of a supplemental oath or declaration submitted in a reissue, a supplemental oath or declaration is not treated as an amendment under 37 CFR 1.312 (Amendments after allowance). M.P.E.P. § 714.18, 7th Edition.

☐ supplemental.

NOTE: If the declaration is for an International Application being filed as a divisional, continuation or continuation-in-part application, do not check next item; check appropriate one of last three items.

☐ national stage of PCT.

NOTE: If one of the following 3 items apply, then complete and also attach **ADDED PAGES FOR DIVISIONAL, CONTINUATION OR C-I-P**.

NOTE: See 37 C.F.R. § 1.63(c) (continued prosecution application) for use of a prior nonprovisional application declaration in the continuation or divisional application being filed on behalf of the same or fewer of the inventors named in the prior application.

☐ divisional.

☐ continuation.

NOTE: Where an application discloses and claims subject matter not disclosed in the prior application, or a continuation or divisional application names an inventor not named in the prior application, a continuation-in-part application must be filed under 37 C.F.R. § 1.63(b) (application filing requirements — nonprovisional application).

☐ continuation-in-part (C-I-P).

INVENTORSHIP IDENTIFICATION

WARNING: If the inventors are each not the inventors of all the claims, an explanation of the facts, including the ownership of all the claims at the time the last claimed invention was made, should be submitted.

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below, next to my name. I believe that I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter that is claimed, and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

TITLE OF INVENTION

METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR INSPECTING ARTICLES OF GLASSWARE

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SPECIFICATION IDENTIFICATION

the specification of which:

(complete (a), (b), or (c))

(a) ☐ is attached hereto.

NOTE: "The following combinations of information supplied in an oath or declaration filed on the application filing date with a specification are acceptable as minimums for identifying a specification and compliance with any one of the items below will be accepted as complying with the identification requirement of 37 CFR 1.63:

"(1) name of inventor(s), and reference to an attached specification which is both attached to the oath or declaration at the time of execution and submitted with the oath or declaration on filing;

"(2) name of inventor(s), and attorney docket number which was on the specification as filed; or

"(3) name of inventor(s), and title which was on the specification as filed."

Notice of July 13, 1995 (1177 O.G. 80).

(b) ☒ was filed on 10/4/00, as ☐ Serial No. 09/679,584
and was amended on _____ (if applicable).

NOTE: Amendments filed after the original papers are deposited with the PTO that contain new matter are not accorded a filing date by being referred to in the declaration. Accordingly, the amendments involved are those filed with the application papers or, in the case of a supplemental declaration, are those amendments claiming matter not encompassed in the original statement of invention or claims. See 37 C.F.R. § 1.67.

NOTE: "The following combinations of information supplied in an oath or declaration filed after the filing date are acceptable as minimums for identifying a specification and compliance with any one of the items below will be accepted as complying with the identification requirement of 37 CFR 1.63:

"(A) application number (consisting of the series code and the serial number, e.g., 08/123,456);

"(B) serial number and filing date;

"(C) attorney docket number which was on the specification as filed;

"(D) title which was on the specification as filed and reference to an attached specification which is both attached to the oath or declaration at the time of execution and submitted with the oath or declaration; or

"(E) title which was on the specification as filed and accompanied by a cover letter accurately identifying the application for which it was intended by either the application number (consisting of the series code and the serial number, e.g., 08/123,456), or serial number and filing date. Absent any statement(s) to the contrary, it will be presumed that the application filed in the PTO is the application which the inventor(s) executed by signing the oath or declaration."

M.P.E.P. § 801.01(a), 7th Ed.

(c) ☐ was described and claimed in PCT International Application No. _____, filed on _____ and as amended under PCT Article 19 on _____ (if any).

(Declaration and Power of Attorney [1-1]—page 2 of 7)

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179**SUPPLEMENTAL DECLARATION (37 C.F.R. § 1.87(b))***(complete the following where a supplemental declaration is being submitted)*

- ☐ I hereby declare that the subject matter of the
- ☐ attached amendment
- ☐ amendment filed on _____

was part of my/our invention and was invented before the filing date of the original application, above-identified, for such invention.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF REVIEW OF PAPERS AND DUTY OF CANDOR

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information, which is material to patentability as defined in 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56,

(also check the following items, if desired)

- ☒ and which is material to the examination of this application, namely, information where there is a substantial likelihood that a reasonable Examiner would consider it important in deciding whether to allow the application to issue as a patent, and
- ☐ In compliance with this duty, there is attached an information disclosure statement, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.98.

PRIORITY CLAIM (35 U.S.C. §§ 119(a)-(d))

NOTE: "The claim to priority need be in no special form and may be made by the attorney or agent if the foreign application is referred to in the oath or declaration as required by § 1.63. The claim for priority and the certified copy of the foreign application specified in 35 U.S.C. 119(b) must be filed in the case of an interference (§ 1.630), when necessary to overcome the date of a reference relied upon by the examiner, when specifically required by the examiner, and in all other situations, before the patent is granted. If the claim for priority or the certified copy of the foreign application is filed after the date the issue fee is paid, it must be accompanied by a petition requesting entry and by the fee set forth in § 1.17(f). If the certified copy is not in the English language, a translation need not be filed except in the case of interference; or when necessary to overcome the date of a reference relied upon by the examiner; or when specifically required by the examiner, in which event an English language translation must be filed together with a statement that the translation of the certified copy is accurate." 37 C.F.R. § 1.534.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, §§ 119(a)-(d) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate or of any PCT international application(s) designating at least one country other than the United States of America listed below and have also identified below any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate or any PCT international application(s) designating at least one country other than the United States of America filed by me on the same subject matter having a filing date before that of the application(s) of which priority is claimed.

(complete (d) or (e))

- (d) ☐ no such applications have been filed.
- (e) ☐ such applications have been filed as follows.

NOTE: Where item (c) is entered above and the International Application which designated the U.S. itself claimed priority check item (e), enter the details below and make the priority claim.

(Declaration and Power of Attorney [1-1]—page 3 of 7)

**PRIOR FOREIGN/PCT APPLICATION(S) FILED WITHIN 12 MONTHS
(6 MONTHS FOR DESIGN) PRIOR TO THIS APPLICATION
AND ANY PRIORITY CLAIMS UNDER 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d)**

COUNTRY (OR INDICATE IF PCT)	APPLICATION NUMBER	DATE OF FILING (day, month, year)	PRIORITY CLAIMED UNDER 37 USC 119
			☐ YES NO ☐
			☐ YES NO ☐
			☐ YES NO ☐
			☐ YES NO ☐
			☐ YES NO ☐

CLAIM FOR BENEFIT OF PRIOR U.S. PROVISIONAL APPLICATION(S)
(34 U.S.C. § 119(e))

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, § 119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below:

PROVISIONAL APPLICATION NUMBER**FILING DATE**

_____ / _____

_____ / _____

_____ / _____

**CLAIM FOR BENEFIT OF EARLIER US/PGT APPLICATION(S)
UNDER 35 U.S.C. § 120**

- ☐ The claim for the benefit of any such applications are set forth in the attached ADDED PAGES TO COMBINED DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY FOR DIVISIONAL, CONTINUATION OR CONTINUATION-IN-PART (C+P) APPLICATION.

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**ALL FOREIGN APPLICATION(S), IF ANY, FILED MORE THAN 12 MONTHS
(6 MONTHS FOR DESIGN) PRIOR TO THIS U.S. APPLICATION**

NOTE: If the application filed more than 12 months from the filing date of this application is a PCT filing forming the basis for this application entering the United States as (1) the national stage, or (2) a continuation, divisional, or continuation-in-part, then also complete **ADDED PAGES TO COMBINED DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY FOR DIVISIONAL, CONTINUATION OR C-I-P APPLICATION** for benefit of the prior U.S. or PCT application(s) under 35 U.S.C. § 120.

POWER OF ATTORNEY

I hereby appoint the following practitioner(s) to prosecute this application and transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

(list name and registration number)

Principal Attorney: H.G. Bruss, Esq., Reg. No. 24,389
Associate Attorney: R.C. Collins, Esq., Reg. No. 27,430

(check the following item, if applicable)

- ☐ I hereby appoint the practitioner(s) associated with the Customer Number provided below to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.
- ☐ Attached, as part of this declaration and power of attorney, is the authorization of the above-named practitioner(s) to accept and follow instructions from my representative(s).

NOTE: "Special care should be taken in continuation or divisional applications to ensure that any change of correspondence address in a prior application is reflected in the continuation or divisional application. For example, where a copy of the oath or declaration from the prior application is submitted for a continuation or divisional application filed under 37 CFR 1.53(b) and the copy of the oath or declaration from the prior application designates an old correspondence address, the Office may not recognize, in the continuation or divisional application, the change of correspondence address made during the prosecution of the prior application. Applicant is required to identify the change of correspondence address in the continuation or divisional application to ensure that communications from the Office are mailed to the current correspondence address. 37 CFR 1.53(d)(4)." § 801.03, M.P.E.P., 7th Edition.

SEND CORRESPONDENCE TO

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☐ Customer Number _____

(complete the following if applicable)

Since this filing is a ☐ continuation ☐ divisional there is attached hereto a Change of Correspondence Address so that there will be no question as to where the PTO should direct all correspondence.

(Declaration and Power of Attorney [1-1]—page 5 of 7)

DECLARATION

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SIGNATURE(S)

NOTE: Carefully indicate the family (or last) name, as it should appear on the filing receipt and all other documents.

NOTE: Each inventor must be identified by full name, including the family name, and at least one given name without abbreviation together with any other given name or initial, and by his/her residence, post office address and country of citizenship. 37 CFR § 1.534(c).

NOTE: Inventors may execute separate declarations/oaths provided each declaration/oath sets forth all the inventors. Section 1.534(c) requires that a declaration/oath, inter alia, identify each inventor and prohibits the execution of separate declarations/oaths which each sets forth only the name of the executing inventor. 62 Fed. Reg. 52,131, 52,142, October 10, 1997.

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☒ Signature for fourth and subsequent joint inventors. Number of pages added
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☐ Signature by administrator(trst), executor(trst) or legal representative for deceased or incapacitated inventor. Number of pages added _____

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☐ Signature for inventor who refuses to sign or cannot be reached by person authorized under 37 CFR 1.47. Number of pages added _____

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☐ Added page for signature by one joint inventor on behalf of deceased inventor(s) where legal representative cannot be appointed in time. (37 CFR 1.47)

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184Practitioner's Docket No. 17304**ADDED PAGE TO COMBINED DECLARATION AND POWER OF
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Full name of fourth joint inventor, if any

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Full name of fifth joint inventor, if any

GIVEN NAME MIDDLE INITIAL OR NAME FAMILY (OR LAST NAME)

Inventor's signature _____

Date _____ Country of Citizenship _____

Residence _____

Post Office Address _____

INVENTOR

Full name of sixth joint inventor, if any

GIVEN NAME MIDDLE INITIAL OR NAME FAMILY (OR LAST NAME)

Inventor's signature _____

Date _____ Country of Citizenship _____

Residence _____

Post Office Address _____

COMBINED DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY(ORIGINAL, DESIGN, NATIONAL STAGE OF PCT, SUPPLEMENTAL, DIVISIONAL,
CONTINUATION, OR C-I-P)

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

TYPE OF DECLARATION

This declaration is of the following type:

(check one applicable item below)

☒ original.☐ design.

NOTE: With the exception of a supplemental oath or declaration submitted in a reissue, a supplemental oath or declaration is not treated as an amendment under 37 CFR 1.312 (Amendments after allowance). M.P.E.P. § 714.16, 7th Edition.

☐ supplemental.

NOTE: If the declaration is for an international Application being filed as a divisional, continuation or continuation-in-part application, do not check next item; check appropriate one of last three items.

☐ national stage of PCT.

NOTE: If one of the following 3 items apply, then complete and also attach **ADDED PAGES FOR DIVISIONAL, CONTINUATION OR C-I-P.**

NOTE: See 37 C.F.R. § 1.63(d) (continued prosecution application) for use of a prior nonprovisional application declaration in the continuation or divisional application being filed on behalf of the same or fewer of the inventors named in the prior application.

☐ divisional.☐ continuation.

NOTE: Where an application discloses and claims subject matter not disclosed in the prior application, or a continuation or divisional application names an inventor not named in the prior application, a continuation-in-part application must be filed under 37 C.F.R. § 1.63(b) (application filing requirements — nonprovisional application).

☐ continuation-in-part (C-I-P).**INVENTORSHIP IDENTIFICATION**

WARNING: If the inventors are each not the inventors of all the claims, an explanation of the facts, including the ownership of all the claims at the time the last claimed invention was made, should be submitted.

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below, next to my name. I believe that I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter that is claimed, and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

TITLE OF INVENTION**METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR INSPECTING ARTICLES OF GLASSWARE**

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SPECIFICATION IDENTIFICATION

the specification of which:

(complete (a), (b), or (c))

(a) ☐ is attached hereto.

NOTE: "The following combinations of information supplied in an oath or declaration filed on the application filing date with a specification are acceptable as minimums for identifying a specification and compliance with any one of the items below will be accepted as complying with the identification requirement of 37 CFR 1.63:

"(1) name of inventor(s), and reference to an attached specification which is both attached to the oath or declaration at the time of execution and submitted with the oath or declaration on filing;

"(2) name of inventor(s), and attorney docket number which was on the specification as filed; or

"(3) name of inventor(s), and title which was on the specification as filed."

Notice of July 13, 1995 (1177 O.G. 80).

(b) ☒ was filed on 10/4/00, as ☐ Serial No. 0 9/ 679,584
and was amended on _____ (if applicable).

NOTE: Amendments filed after the original papers are deposited with the PTO that contain new matter are not accorded a filing date by being referred to in the declaration. Accordingly, the amendments involved are those filed with the application papers or, in the case of a supplemental declaration, are those amendments claiming matter not encompassed in the original statement of invention or claims. See 37 C.F.R. § 1.67.

NOTE: "The following combinations of information supplied in an oath or declaration filed after the filing date are acceptable as minimums for identifying a specification and compliance with any one of the items below will be accepted as complying with the identification requirement of 37 CFR 1.63:

"(A) application number (consisting of the series code and the serial number, e.g., 08/123,456);

"(B) serial number and filing date;

"(C) attorney docket number which was on the specification as filed;

"(D) title which was on the specification as filed and reference to an attached specification which is both attached to the oath or declaration at the time of execution and submitted with the oath or declaration; or

"(E) title which was on the specification as filed and accompanied by a cover letter accurately identifying the application for which it was intended by either the application number (consisting of the series code and the serial number, e.g., 08/123,456), or serial number and filing date. Absent any statement(s) to the contrary, it will be presumed that the application filed in the PTO is the application which the inventor(s) executed by signing the oath or declaration."

M.P.E.P. § 601.01(a), 7th Ed.

(c) ☐ was described and claimed in PCT International Application No. _____ filed on _____ and as amended under PCT Article 19 on _____ (if any).

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188**SUPPLEMENTAL DECLARATION (37 C.F.R. § 1.57(b))***(complete the following where a supplemental declaration is being submitted)*

- ☐ I hereby declare that the subject matter of the
- ☐ attached amendment
- ☐ amendment filed on _____

was part of my/our invention and was invented before the filing date of the original application, above-identified, for such invention.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF REVIEW OF PAPERS AND DUTY OF CANDOR

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information, which is material to patentability as defined in 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56,

(also check the following items, if desired).

- ☒ and which is material to the examination of this application, namely, information where there is a substantial likelihood that a reasonable Examiner would consider it important in deciding whether to allow the application to issue as a patent, and
- ☒ In compliance with this duty, there is attached an information disclosure statement, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.98.

PRIORITY CLAIM (35 U.S.C. §§ 119(a)-(d))

NOTE: "The claim to priority need be in no special form and may be made by the attorney or agent if the foreign application is referred to in the oath or declaration as required by § 1.63. The claim for priority and the certified copy of the foreign application specified in 35 U.S.C. 119(b) must be filed in the case of an interference (§ 1.630), when necessary to overcome the date of a reference relied upon by the examiner, when specifically required by the examiner, and in all other situations, before the patent is granted. If the claim for priority or the certified copy of the foreign application is filed after the date the issue fee is paid, it must be accompanied by a petition requesting entry and by the fee set forth in § 1.176. If the certified copy is not in the English language, a translation need not be filed except in the case of interference; or when necessary to overcome the date of a reference relied upon by the examiner; or when specifically required by the examiner, in which event an English language translation must be filed together with a statement that the translation of the certified copy is accurate." 37 C.F.R. § 1.56(a).

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, §§ 119(a)-(d) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate or of any PCT international application(s) designating at least one country other than the United States of America listed below and have also identified below any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate or any PCT international application(s) designating at least one country other than the United States of America filed by me on the same subject matter having a filing date before that of the application(s) of which priority is claimed.

(complete (d) or (e))

- (d) ☐ no such applications have been filed.
- (e) ☐ such applications have been filed as follows.

NOTE: Where item (c) is entered above and the international application which designated the U.S. itself claimed priority check item (e), enter the details below and make the priority claim.

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**PRIOR FOREIGN/PCT APPLICATION(S) FILED WITHIN 12 MONTHS
(6 MONTHS FOR DESIGN) PRIOR TO THIS APPLICATION
AND ANY PRIORITY CLAIMS UNDER 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d)**

COUNTRY (OR INDICATE IF PCT)	APPLICATION NUMBER	DATE OF FILING (day, month, year)	PRIORITY CLAIMED UNDER 37 USC 119
			☐ YES NO ☐
			☐ YES NO ☐
			☐ YES NO ☐
			☐ YES NO ☐
			☐ YES NO ☐

**CLAIM FOR BENEFIT OF PRIOR U.S. PROVISIONAL APPLICATION(S)
(34 U.S.C. § 119(e))**

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, § 119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below:

PROVISIONAL APPLICATION NUMBER

FILING DATE

____ / _____
____ / _____
____ / _____

**CLAIM FOR BENEFIT OF EARLIER US/PCT APPLICATION(S)
UNDER 35 U.S.C. § 120**

- ☐ The claim for the benefit of any such applications are set forth in the attached ADDED PAGES TO COMBINED DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY FOR DIVISIONAL, CONTINUATION OR CONTINUATION-IN-PART (C-I-P) APPLICATION.

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**ALL FOREIGN APPLICATION(S), IF ANY, FILED MORE THAN 12 MONTHS
(6 MONTHS FOR DESIGN) PRIOR TO THIS U.S. APPLICATION**

NOTE: If the application filed more than 12 months from the filing date of this application is a PCT filing forming the basis for this application entering the United States as (1) the national stage, or (2) a continuation, divisional, or continuation-in-part, then also complete **ADDED PAGES TO COMBINED DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY FOR DIVISIONAL, CONTINUATION OR C-I-P APPLICATION** for benefit of the prior U.S. or PCT application(s) under 35 U.S.C. § 120.

POWER OF ATTORNEY

I hereby appoint the following practitioner(s) to prosecute this application and transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

(List name and registration number)

Principal Attorney: H.G. Bruss, Esq., Reg. No. 24,389
Associate Attorney: R.C. Collins, Esq., Reg. No. 27,430

(check the following item, if applicable)

- ☐ I hereby appoint the practitioner(s) associated with the Customer Number provided below to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.
- ☐ Attached, as part of this declaration and power of attorney, is the authorization of the above-named practitioner(s) to accept and follow instructions from my representative(s).

NOTE: "Special care should be taken in continuation or divisional applications to ensure that any change of correspondence address in a prior application is reflected in the continuation or divisional application. For example, where a copy of the oath or declaration from the prior application is submitted for a continuation or divisional application filed under 37 CFR 1.53(b) and the copy of the oath or declaration from the prior application designates an old correspondence address, the Office may not recognize, in the continuation or divisional application, the change of correspondence address made during the prosecution of the prior application. Applicant is required to identify the change of correspondence address in the continuation or divisional application to ensure that communications from the Office are mailed to the current correspondence address. 37 CFR 1.53(b)(4), § 801.02, M.P.E.P., 7th Edition.

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Since this filing is a ☐ continuation ☐ divisional there is attached hereto a Change of Correspondence Address so that there will be no question as to where the PTO should direct all correspondence.

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DECLARATION

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

SIGNATURE(S)

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NOTE: Each inventor must be identified by full name, including the family name, and at least one given name without abbreviation together with any other given name or initial, and by his/her residence, post office address and country of citizenship. 37 CFR § 1.53(a)(2).

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Full name of sole or first inventor

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Practitioner's Docket No. 17304**ADDED PAGE TO COMBINED DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY FOR SIGNATURE BY FOURTH AND SUBSEQUENT INVENTORS**

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Inventor's signature Date Country of Citizenship Residence Post Office Address

Full name of sixth joint inventor, if any

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GIVEN NAME	MIDDLE INITIAL OR NAME	FAMILY (OR LAST NAME)

Inventor's signature Date Country of Citizenship Residence Post Office Address

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PATENT

COMBINED DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY(ORIGINAL, DESIGN, NATIONAL STAGE OF PCT, SUPPLEMENTAL, DIVISIONAL,
CONTINUATION, OR C-I-P)

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

TYPE OF DECLARATION

This declaration is of the following type:

(check one applicable item below)

☒ original.☐ design.**NOTE:** With the exception of a supplemental oath or declaration submitted in a reissue, a supplemental oath or declaration is not treated as an amendment under 37 CFR 1.312 (Amendments after allowance M.P.E.P. § 714.18, 7th Edition).☐ supplemental.**NOTE:** If the declaration is for an international Application being filed as a divisional, continuation or continuation-in-part application, do not check next item; check appropriate one of last three items.☐ national stage of PCT.**NOTE:** If one of the following 3 items apply, then complete and also attach **ADDED PAGES FOR DIVISIONAL, CONTINUATION OR C-I-P.****NOTE:** See 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(a) (continued prosecution application) for use of a prior nonprovisional application declaration in the continuation or divisional application being filed on behalf of the same or fewer of the inventors named in the prior application.☐ divisional.☐ continuation.**NOTE:** Where an application discloses and claims subject matter not disclosed in the prior application, or a continuation or divisional application names an inventor not named in the prior application, a continuation-in-part application must be filed under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) (application filing requirements — nonprovisional application).☐ continuation-in-part (C-I-P).**INVENTORSHIP IDENTIFICATION****WARNING:** If the inventors are each not the inventors of all the claims, an explanation of the facts, including the ownership of all the claims at the time the last claimed invention was made, should be submitted.

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below, next to my name. I believe that I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter that is claimed, and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

TITLE OF INVENTION**METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR INSPECTING ARTICLES OF GLASSWARE**

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SPECIFICATION IDENTIFICATION

the specification of which:

(complete (a), (b), or (c))

(a) ☐ is attached hereto.

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"(3) name of inventor(s), and title which was on the specification as filed."

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(b) ☒ was filed on 10/4/00, as ☐ Serial No. 0 9/ 679, 584
and was amended on _____ (if applicable).

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"(B) serial number and filing date;

"(C) attorney docket number which was on the specification as filed;

"(D) title which was on the specification as filed and reference to an attached specification which is both attached to the oath or declaration at the time of execution and submitted with the oath or declaration; or

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M.P.E.P. § 801.01(b), 7th Ed.

(c) ☐ was described and claimed in PCT International Application No. _____, filed on _____ and as amended under PCT Article 19 on _____ (if any).

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SUPPLEMENTAL DECLARATION (37 C.F.R. § 1.57(b))*(complete the following where a supplemental declaration is being submitted)*

- ☐ I hereby declare that the subject matter of the
- ☐ attached amendment
- ☐ amendment filed on _____

was part of my/our invention and was invented before the filing date of the original application, above-identified, for such invention.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF REVIEW OF PAPERS AND DUTY OF CANDOR

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

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PRIORITY CLAIM (35 U.S.C. §§ 119(a)-(d))

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I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, §§ 119(a)-(d) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate or of any PCT International application(s) designating at least one country other than the United States of America listed below and have also identified below any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate or any PCT International application(s) designating at least one country other than the United States of America filed by me on the same subject matter having a filing date before that of the application(s) of which priority is claimed.

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- (d) ☐ no such applications have been filed.
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POWER OF ATTORNEY

I hereby appoint the following practitioner(s) to prosecute this application and transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

(list name and registration number)

Principal Attorney: H.G. Bruss, Esq., Reg. No. 24,389
Associate Attorney: R.C. Collins, Esq., Reg. No. 27,430

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- ☐ I hereby appoint the practitioner(s) associated with the Customer Number provided below to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.
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Since this filing is a ☐ continuation ☐ divisional there is attached hereto a Change of Correspondence Address so that there will be no question as to where the PTO should direct all correspondence.

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DECLARATION

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I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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NOTE: Each inventor must be identified by full name, including the family name, and at least one given name without abbreviation together with any other given name or initial, and by his/her residence, post office address and country of citizenship. 37 CFR § 1.514(c).

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Full name of sole or first inventor

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(GIVEN NAME) (FAMILY INITIAL OR NAME) (FAMILY (OR LAST NAME))

Inventor's signature _____

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Stephen K. Gerber
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Noel D. Wendt
(GIVEN NAME) (FAMILY INITIAL OR NAME) (FAMILY (OR LAST NAME))

Inventor's signature _____

Date _____ Country of Citizenship Australia

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Practitioner's Docket No. 17304**ADDED PAGE TO COMBINED DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY FOR SIGNATURE BY FOURTH AND SUBSEQUENT INVENTORS**

Full name of fourth joint inventor, if any

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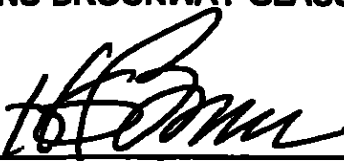
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Sir:

**CONSENT OF ASSIGNEE TO CORRECTION
OF INVENTORSHIP UNDER 37 CFR 1.48(a)**

The assignee of the above-identified application, Owens-Brockway Glass Container Inc., hereby consents to correction of inventorship in this application to name George A. Nickey, Stephen M. Gerber, Noel D. Wendt, Ronald E. Gast, Gregory A. Ritz, James Scott Barnes and William R. Martin as joint inventors.

OWENS-BROCKWAY GLASS CONTAINER INC.

By: 

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WHEREAS, Owens-Brockway Glass Container Inc., a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, and having a principal place of business at One SeaGate, Toledo, Ohio, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we (assignors), by these presents, do hereby sell, assign and transfer unto the said corporation and its assigns, for the territory of the United States of America and all foreign countries, the entire right, title and interest, including all priority rights under the International Convention associated with each country of the Union, in and to said invention as described in the patent application executed by us on the 12th day of November, ~~19~~ 01, preparatory to obtaining Letters Patent of the United States of America thereon, and in and to said application and any Letters Patent that may be granted in pursuance of said application and any divisional, continuation or continuation-in-part application thereof, and in and to any reissue of any such patent, and in and to any patent applications which may be filed on said invention in countries foreign to the United States of America and any Letters Patent granted thereon.

We further authorize said corporation to apply for foreign patents on said invention in its own name or through its designees, including subsidiaries, related companies or assignees, under the International Convention or otherwise, and we further agree to execute all papers, including those required for the United States and foreign applications, and perform such other proper acts as said corporation may deem necessary to secure to said corporation or its designee the rights herein assigned.

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George A. Nicky

Dated: _____

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James Scott Barnes

Dated: 11-12-01

William R. Martin
William R. Martin

STATE OF Pennsylvania) ss
COUNTY OF Butler)

On this 12th day of November, 2001, before me, a Notary Public in and for said County, personally appeared William R. Martin, to me known to be the person who executed the above instrument and acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed.

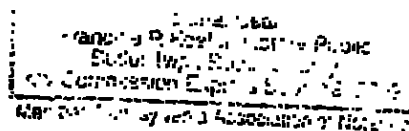
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My commission Expires: 9-19-02



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William R. Martin

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) ss
COUNTY OF)

On this 30th day of October, 2001, before me, a Notary
Public in and for said County, personally appeared James Scott Barnes
Gregory A. Ritz, to me
known to be the person who executed the above instrument and acknowledged the same to be his
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Jarri L. Rouleau
Notary Public
State of Ohio
County of Lucas
My commission Expires: 4-22-04

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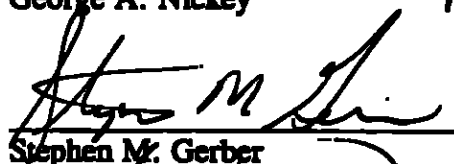
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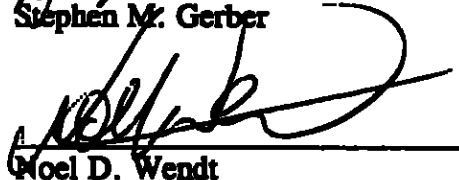
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On this 8th day of November, 2001, before me, a Notary Public in and for said County, personally appeared George A Nickey, to me known to be the person who executed the above instrument and acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed.

Koy A. Carls
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Koy A. Carls
Notary Public State of Ohio
My Commission Expires 5-09-2006

STATE OF Ohio)
) ss
COUNTY OF Wood)

On this 29 day of October, 2001, before me, a Notary Public in and for said County, personally appeared Stephen M. Gerber, to me known to be the person who executed the above instrument and acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed.

Chas. E. Murphy

Notary Public

State of Ohio

County of _____

My commission Expires: 11/29/04

Notary Public, State of Ohio
Commission Expires 11-28-04

STATE OF Ohio)
) ss
COUNTY OF Wood)

On this 21st day of October, 2001, before me, a Notary Public in and for said County, personally appeared Noel D. Wendt, to me known to be the person who executed the above instrument and acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed.

Quinn M. Murphy
Notary Public
State of Ohio
County of _____
My commission Expires: 11/29/04

Quinn M. Murphy
Notary Public, State of Ohio
Commission Expires 11-29-04

STATE OF Ohio)
) ss
COUNTY OF Wood)

On this 13 day of November, 2001, before me, a Notary Public in and for said County, personally appeared Ronald E. East, to me known to be the person who executed the above instrument and acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed.

Carol M. Murphy

Notary Public
State of OHIO
County of _____
My commission Expires: 11/29/04

Notary Public, State of Ohio
Commission Expires 11-29-04

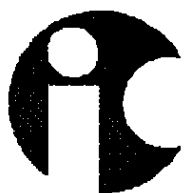
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Practicado el examen de acuerdo a lo establecido en el Art. 38 de la Decisión 486 se determinó que esta solicitud de Patente de Invención:

- SI ☒ NO ☐ Contiene un resumen de la invención (Art.26-e).
- SI ☒ NO ☐ Contiene el título o nombre de la invención (Art.27-d).
- SI ☒ NO ☐ Contiene la descripción de la invención (Art.28-b).
- SI ☒ NO ☐ NO ES APLICABLE ☐ Contiene los dibujos necesarios para comprender la invención (Art.26-d)
- SI ☒ NO ☐ Contiene una o más reivindicaciones. (Art.26-c).
- SI ☐ NO ☐ NO ES APLICABLE ☒ Han sido desarrollados los productos y/o procedimientos a partir de recursos genéticos o de sus productos derivados de los que cualquiera de los Países Miembros es país de origen. (Art. 26- h).
- SI ☐ NO ☐ NO ES APLICABLE ☒ Los productos y/o procedimientos han sido obtenidos o desarrollados a partir de los conocimientos tradicionales de las comunidades indígenas, afroamericanas, o locales de los países miembros, de acuerdo a lo establecido en la Decisión 391 y sus modificaciones y reglamentaciones vigentes.(Art.26-i).
- SI ☐ NO ☒ La invención se refiere a un producto relativo a un material biológico. (Art.26-J).
- SI ☒ NO ☐ NO ES APLICABLE ☐ La prioridad coincide con la materia reivindicada.
- SI ☒ NO ☐ CUMPLE LOS REQUISITOS TÉCNICOS

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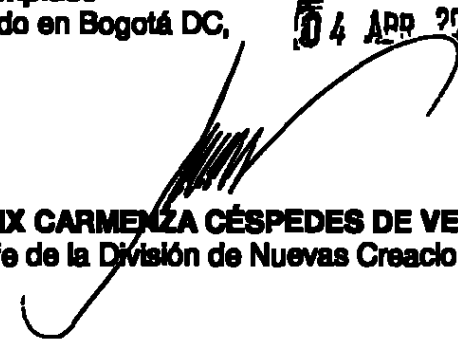
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Teniendo en cuenta que la solicitud de privilegio de patente que se tramita bajo el expediente indicado en la referencia, reúne los requisitos de forma establecidos en los artículos 26 y 27 de la Decisión 486 de la Comisión de la Comunidad Andina, y en las demás disposiciones vigentes sobre la materia, se envía el extracto de la solicitud a la Oficina de Comunicaciones para efecto de su publicación en la Gaceta de Propiedad Industrial, conforme lo establece el artículo 40 de la misma Decisión.

Cúmplase

Dado en Bogotá DC,

5 4 APR 2003


ALIX CARMENZA CÉSPEDES DE VERGEL
Jefe de la División de Nuevas Creaciones

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