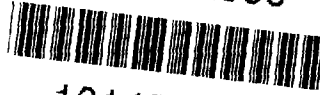


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Name Empire State Leather Corporation  
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Composed of \_\_\_\_\_  
Address (line 1) 400 Gotham Parkway  
Address (line 2) Carlstadt, New Jersey 07072  
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Lauren A. Dienes                      Lauren A. Dienes                      July 28, 2000  
Name of Person Signing                      Signature                      Date Signed

## ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, EMPIRE STATE INTERNATIONAL CORPORATION, a corporation organized and formally existing under the laws of the State of New Jersey, located at 400 Gotham Parkway Carlstadt, New Jersey 07072, had adopted, used, and was using the Marks on the attached Schedule A (hereinafter referred to as "Marks") for which registrations have issued in the United States Patent and Trademark Office, and

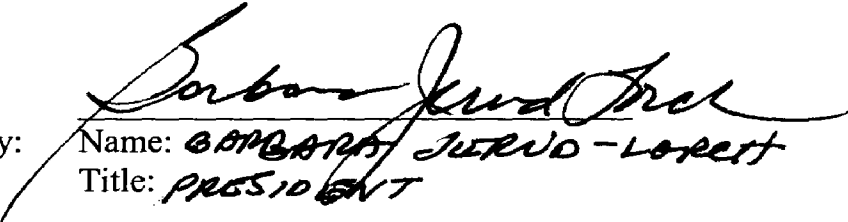
WHEREAS, EMPIRE STATE LEATHER CORPORATION, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of New Jersey, located at 400 Gotham Parkway Carlstadt, New Jersey 07072, acquired said Marks on December 31, 1996, the registrations thereof and the good will symbolized by the Marks;

WHEREAS, the parties wish to reaffirm and ratify the assignment of December 31, 1996, to identify and transfer to EMPIRE STATE LEATHER CORPORATION, the Marks, and registrations thereof, and to formalize said assignment for purposes of recordation;

NOW, THEREFORE, for One (\$1.00) Dollar and other good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, EMPIRE STATE INTERNATIONAL CORPORATION

has sold, assigned and transferred the Marks and by these presents, does hereby sell, assign and transfer, nunc pro tunc, as of December 31, 1996 unto the said EMPIRE STATE LEATHER CORPORATION all rights, title and interest in and to the said Marks together with the good will of the business symbolized by the Marks and the registrations thereof, this 26th day of June, 2000.

EMPIRE STATE INTERNATIONAL  
CORPORATION

By:   
Name: ROBERTO JURIO-LOPEZ  
Title: PRESIDENT

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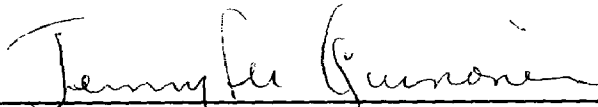
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**Marks :** BONDFLEX (Reg. No. 1,852,401)  
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**Assignor :** Empire State International Corporation  
**Assignee :** Empire State Leather Corporation  
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Dear Sir or Madam:

We enclose herewith the following documents in connection with the filing of the above identified Assignment Recordal:

- (X) One (1) assignment document covering two (2) registrations;
- (X) One Recordation Form Cover Sheet;
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It is requested that the assignment be recorded and recordal be formally acknowledged. Please acknowledge receipt of the above-referenced documents by date stamping the enclosed postcard.

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Respectfully submitted,

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