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To the Honorable Commissioner of

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the attached original documents or copy thereof.

1. Name of Conveying party(ies):

Dannemann Cigarrenfabrik GmbH

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- Individual Association
- General Partnership Limited Partnership
- Corporation
- Other (Federal Republic of Germany limited liability company)

Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? Yes No

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies):

Name: Dannemann AG
Street Address: Hauptstrasse 55
City: Burg Country: Switzerland ZIP: CH-5736

- Individual(s) citizenship _____
- Association _____
- General Partnership _____
- Limited Partnership _____
- Corporation _____
- Other (Switzerland company)

3. Nature of conveyance:

If assignee is not domiciled in the United States, a domestic representative is attached: Yes No

Additional name(s) & address(es) attached? Yes No

- Assignment Merger
- Security Agreement Change of Name
- Other

Execution Date: February 12, 2001



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4. Application number(s) or registration number(s):

A. Trademark Application No.(s)

B. Trademark Registration No.(s)

2,206,429

Additional numbers attached? Yes No

5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence should be mailed:

Name: Collard & Roe, P.C.
Internal Address: _____

Street Address: 1077 Northern Boulevard

City: Roslyn State: NY ZIP: 11576

6. Total number of applications and registrations involved: 1

7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41): \$ 40.00

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Stewart J. Bellus
Name of Person Signing

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Signature

March 3, 2001
Date

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ASSIGNMENT

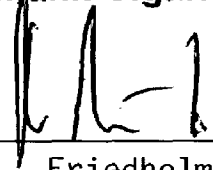
WHEREAS, **Dannemann Cigarrenfabrik GmbH**, a company organized and existing under the laws of Germany, located and doing business at Rahdener Strasse 147, D-32312 Lübbecke 1, has adopted, used, and is using the mark which is the subject of a registration in the United States Patent and Trademark Office, as following:

Trademark	Reg. Nos.	Filed
LA ESDURA (wordmark)	2,206,429	18.12.1996

AND WHEREAS **Dannemann AG**, a company duly organized and existing under the laws of Switzerland, located and doing business at Hauptstrasse 55, CH-5736 Burg, Switzerland is desirous of acquiring the mark and registration;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, said **Dannemann Cigarrenfabrik GmbH** does hereby assign unto the said **Dannemann AG** all rights, title and interests in and to the said mark, together with the good will of the business symbolized by the mark, and past common law causes of action, and the registration thereof listed.

Dannemann Cigarrenfabrik GmbH

By: 

Name: Friedhelm Franke

Title: Geschäftsführer

Date: 12. Februar 2001