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### **CONVEYING PARTY DATA**

Name	Formerly	Execution Date	Entity Type
Ichauway Mills, Inc.		105/19/2006	LIMITED PARTNERSHIP: TEXAS
Bed Buddy Partners, L.P.		105/19/2006	LIMITED PARTNERSHIP: TEXAS
The Bernard & Aussie Cappelli Trust		05/19/2006	TRUST:

#### **RECEIVING PARTY DATA**

Name:	Apex Medical Corporation	
Street Address:	921 East Amidon Street	
City:	Sioux Falls	
State/Country:	SOUTH DAKOTA	
Postal Code:	57104	
Entity Type:	CORPORATION: SOUTH DAKOTA	

#### PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 1

Property Type	Number	Word Mark	
Registration Number:	1936367	BED BUDDY	

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## PATENT AND TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT

This PATENT AND TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT (this "Assignment") is entered into as of May 19th, 2006 ("Effective Date") by and among APEX MEDICAL CORPORATION, a South Dakota corporation ("ASSIGNEE"), and ICHAUWAY MILLS, LTD. ("ICHAUWAY"), a Texas limited partnership, BED BUDDY PARTNERS, L.P. ("BBP"), a Texas limited partnership, and THE BERNARD & AUSSIE CAPPELLI TRUST dated as of June 6, 1995 ("CAPPELLI TRUST") (each individually an "ASSIGNOR" and CAPPELLI TRUST together with BBP and ICHAUWAY, the "ASSIGNORS").

### **RECITALS**

- A. ASSIGNEE and ASSIGNORS have entered into an Asset Purchase Agreement (the "Purchase Agreement") dated as of May 4, 2006, whereby ASSIGNEE purchased substantially all of the assets of the ASSIGNORS used in or relating to the business of designing, marketing and selling hot/cold therapy products, including, but not limited to, products under the "Bed Buddy" and "Cozy Buddy" product lines (all capitalized terms used herein which are not otherwise defined herein shall have the meanings given to them in the Purchase Agreement).
- B. In conjunction with the Purchase Agreement, and to confirm the transfer pursuant to Section 2.1 of the Purchase Agreement, the parties hereby enter this Assignment providing, subject to the terms and conditions set forth therein, for the contribution, transfer, conveyance, assignment and delivery by ASSIGNORS to ASSIGNEE of all of ASSIGNORS' collective right, title and interest in, and to the Purchased Assets relating to all trade names, trademarks, trademark registrations, trademark applications; servicemarks, servicemark registrations, servicemark applications; patent rights (including issued patents, applications, divisions, continuations and continuations-in-part, reissues, patents of addition, utility models and inventors' certificates) and any licenses or sublicenses pertaining thereto.
- C. One or more ASSIGNORS has adopted, used, and is using, certain trade names, trademarks, trademark registrations, trademark applications; servicemarks, servicemark registrations, servicemark applications, and licenses related thereto, described on <a href="Schedule A">Schedule A</a> hereto which are pending or registered in the United States Patent and Trademark Office (the "PTO") (collectively, the "Trademarks").
- D. The ASSIGNORS exclusively own certain patent rights (including the inventions described therein, priority application(s), issued patents, applications, divisions, continuations and continuations-in-part, reissues, reexaminations, patents of addition, utility models, inventors' certificates, industrial property protection, and right to claim priority thereto in any country, and all extensions and renewals thereof existing now or in the future) and licenses related thereto described on <u>Schedule B</u> hereto which are pending or issued by the PTO (collectively, the "<u>Patents</u>").

- E. ASSIGNORS desire to contribute and assign to ASSIGNEE, and ASSIGNEE desires to accept from each ASSIGNOR the Patents and the Trademarks, together with the goodwill of the related business symbolized by such Trademarks.
- **NOW, THEREFORE**, in consideration of the Recitals and the mutual agreements and covenants contained herein and in the Purchase Agreement, and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the parties hereto hereby agree as follows:
- 1. <u>Trademark Assignment</u>. Each ASSIGNOR hereby irrevocably sells, assigns, sets over unto, and contributes, transfers, conveys, and delivers to, ASSIGNEE, for ASSIGNEE'S own use and enjoyment as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by any ASSIGNOR if this assignment had not been made, the following:
  - (a) ASSIGNOR'S entire right, title and interest in and to the Trademarks in the United States and in all foreign countries, including foreign equivalents thereof, whether or not such Trademarks have been applied for or registered prior to, on, or after the date of this Assignment, and any and all renewals and extensions thereof, together with the goodwill of the business symbolized by such Trademarks; and
  - (b) All claims, demands, income, damages, royalties, and rights of action, both statutory and based upon common law, that any ASSIGNOR has or might have by reason of any infringement of any Trademark prior to, on, or after the date of this Assignment, together with the right to prosecute such claims, demands and rights of action in ASSIGNEE'S own name.
- 2. <u>Patent Assignment</u>. Each ASSIGNOR hereby irrevocably sells, assigns, sets over unto, and contributes, transfers, conveys, and delivers to, ASSIGNEE, for ASSIGNEE'S own use and enjoyment as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by any ASSIGNOR if this assignment had not been made, the following:
  - (a) ASSIGNOR'S entire right, title and interests in and to the Patents, in the United States and in all foreign countries, including foreign equivalents thereof, whether or not such Patents have been applied for or issued prior to, on or after the date of this Assignment; and
  - (b) All claims, demands, income, damages, royalties, and rights of action, both statutory and based upon common law, that any ASSIGNOR has or might have by reason of any infringement of any Patent prior to, on, or after the date of this Assignment, together with the right to prosecute such claims, demands, and rights of action in ASSIGNEE'S own name.

### 3. Further Assurances.

(a) Each of the ASSIGNORS and ASSIGNEE agrees that it shall do, execute, acknowledge and deliver, at the other party's expense, all acts, agreements, instruments, notices and assurances as may be reasonably requested by the other party to further effect and evidence the transactions contemplated hereby. Each ASSIGNOR hereby further covenants and agrees

that each ASSIGNOR will communicate to ASSIGNEE facts known to any ASSIGNOR respecting any of the Purchased Assets relating to Patents and Trademarks, and the goodwill associated therewith, and will, as reasonably requested by, and at the expense of, ASSIGNEE, testify in any legal proceeding, sign lawful papers, execute divisional, continuing and reissue applications, make rightful oaths, and generally render all commercially reasonable aid to ASSIGNEE to obtain and enforce ASSIGNEE'S rights in the Purchased Assets relating to Patents and Trademarks, and the goodwill associated therewith, in any country; and

- (b) Each ASSIGNOR hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States, and any Official of any country or countries foreign to the United States, whose duty it is to issue patents or other evidence or forms of industrial property protection on applications as aforesaid, to issue the same to the ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this instrument.
- 4. <u>Enforceability</u>. If any provision of this Assignment shall be invalid or unenforceable, in whole or in part, or as applied to any circumstance, under the laws of any jurisdiction which may govern for such purpose, then such provision shall be deemed to be modified or restricted only to the extent and in the manner necessary to render the same valid and enforceable, either generally or as applied to such circumstance, or shall be deemed excised from this Assignment, as the case may require, and this Assignment shall be construed and enforced to the maximum extent permitted by law as if such provision had been originally incorporated herein as so modified or restricted, or as if such provision had not been originally incorporated herein, as the case may be.
- 5. <u>Amendment</u>. This Assignment may not be modified except by written agreement.
- 6. <u>No Third-Party Beneficiaries</u>. Nothing expressed or implied in this Assignment is intended to confer upon any person or entity, other than the parties hereto, or their respective successors or permitted assigns, any rights, remedies, obligations or liabilities under or by reason of this Assignment.
- 7. Governing Law; Venue. The parties hereto agree that (i) this Agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Delaware applicable to contracts to be performed wholly within such State, without reference to the conflicts of laws provisions, (ii) the state and federal courts sitting in the State of Delaware shall have the sole jurisdiction to hear and resolve any disputes arising hereunder; and (iii) the parties agree to waive objections to the personal jurisdiction of such courts in the State of Delaware in the event of any dispute.
- 8. <u>Counterparts and Amendment</u>. This Assignment may be executed in counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original, but which together shall constitute one and the same agreement.
- 9. <u>Purchase Agreement Governs</u>. Notwithstanding anything in this Assignment to the contrary, the terms and provisions of the Purchase Agreement shall control the extent of the sale and assignment made pursuant to this Assignment.

10. <u>Successors and Assigns</u>. This Agreement shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the parties hereto and their respective successors and permitted assigns.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, each ASSIGNOR and ASSIGNEE has caused this Patent and Trademark Assignment to be executed as of the date first written above. **ASSIGNORS:** ICHAUWAY MILLS, LTD. By: R. A. Inman, LLC, its general partner Name: Robert A. Inman, Jr. Title: President BED BUDDY PARTNERS, L.P. By: B.C. Cappelli Corporation Its: General Partner By:\_\_\_ Name: Robert Cappelli Title: President THE BERNARD & AUSSIE CAPPELLI **TRUST** By:\_\_\_ Name: Title: Trustee ASSIGNEE: APEX MEDICAL CORPORATION

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By:

Name: C. Sedgwick Dienst

Title: Director, Chairman of the Board

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> Name: C. Sedgwick Dienst Title: Director, Chairman of the Board

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APEX MEDICAL CORPORATION

Name: C. Sedgwick Dienst Title: Director, Chairman of the Board

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## SCHEDULE A

# **Trademarks**

Trademark	Appln. No./Date	Reg. No./ Date	Owner of Record
Bed Buddy Trademark	74461259	1936367	The Bernard & Aussie
	11-22-93	11-21-95	Cappelli Trust

**Trademark Licenses:** 

None

## SCHEDULE B

# <u>Patents</u>

Title	Appln. No./ Filed	Pat. No./ Issued	Owner of Record
Heat Pack	29/018,350 2-4-94	D380,050 6-17-97	The Bernard & Aussie Cappelli Trust
Therapeutic Pillow and Method	08/199,386 2-18-94	5,375,278 12-27-94	Ichauway Mills, Inc. d/b/a Atlantis Enterprises
Therapeutic Pillow and Method	08/356,448 12-14-94	5,584,086 12-17-96	Ichauway Mills, Inc. d/b/a Atlantis Enterprises

## **Patent Licenses:**

**RECORDED: 06/06/2006** 

None