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To the Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks: Please record the attached original documents or copy thereof.

1. Name of conveying party(ies):

Venture Stores, Inc.

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- ☐ Individual(s)
- ☐ Association
- ☐ General Partnership
- ☐ Limited Partnership
- ☒ Corporation-State Delaware
- ☐ Other

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

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies)

Name: Edison Brothers Stores, Inc.

Internal Address:

Street Address: 501 N. Broadway

City: St. Louis State: MO ZIP: 63102

- ☐ Individual(s) citizenship
- ☐ Association
- ☐ General Partnership
- ☐ Limited Partnership
- ☒ Corporation-State Delaware
- ☐ Other

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

(Designations must be a separate document from assignment)

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

3. Nature of conveyance:

- ☒ Assignment 22
- ☐ Merger
- ☐ Security Agreement
- ☐ Change of Name
- ☐ Other

Execution Date: 09/10/98

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

A. Trademark Application No.(s)

B. Trademark Registration No.(s)

1,828,910

Additional numbers attached? ☐ Yes ☒ No

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

Name: Alan S. Nemes

Internal Address: Blackwell Sanders Peper Martin

Street Address: 720 Olive, 24th Floor

City: St. Louis State: MO ZIP: 63101

6. Total number of applications and registrations involved: 1

7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41) $ 40.00

- ☒ Enclosed
- ☐ Authorized to be charged to deposit account

8. Deposit account number:

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9. Statement and signature.

To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document.

Alan S. Nemes — Name of Person Signing

Signature

9/17/98 — Date

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EXHIBIT D

ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Venture Stores, Inc. (hereinafter "Assignee"), a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Delaware, having its principal place of business at 2001 East Terra Lane, O'Fallon, Missouri 63366, is the owner of the following trademark now registered in the United States Patent and Trademark Office, as well as the goodwill of the business associated therewith:

TRADEMARK	REGISTRATION NO.	DATE OF REG.
615 COMFORT COLLECTION	1,828,910	March 29, 1994

WHEREAS, Edison Brothers Stores, Inc. (hereinafter "Assignor"), a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Delaware, having its principal place of business at 501 North Broadway, St. Louis, Missouri 63102, is desirous of acquiring all right, title and interest in and to the aforesaid registered trademark, together with the goodwill of the business associated therewith;

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignor does hereby sell, assign and transfer unto Assignee all of its right, title and interest in and to said trademark, together with the goodwill of the business symbolized by said trademark and the registration thereof, and its right to sue for past infringement thereof.

EXHIBIT D (con't)

This Agreement shall inure to the benefit of, and be binding upon, the parties, their heirs, successors and assigns.

Executed effective as of the 10th day of September, 1998.

ASSIGNOR

VENTURE STORES, INC.

By: Russell Solt

Name: Russell Solt

Title: President

Date: 9-2 98

ASSIGNEE

EDISON BROTHERS STORES, INC.

By: [illegible]

Name: ALAN A. SACHS

Title: Senior Vice President

Date: 9/10/98