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<p>4. Application number(s) or registration number(s): A. Trademark Application No.(s)</p>	<p>B. Trademark Registration No.(s) <u>1,657,974</u></p> <p>Additional number(s) attached <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</p>
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<p>5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed: Name: <u>Vincent J. Handal, Jr.</u> Internal Address: _____ Street Address: <u>Salon, Marrow et. al.</u> <u>800 Corporate Drive</u> <u>Suite 208</u> City: <u>Ft. Lauderdale</u> State: <u>FL</u> Zip: <u>33334</u></p>	<p>6. Total number of applications and registrations involved: ..... <input type="text" value="1"/></p> <p>7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41).....\$ <u>90.00</u>  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enclosed  <input type="checkbox"/> Authorized to be charged to deposit account</p> <p>8. Deposit account number: _____ (Attach duplicate copy of this page if paying by deposit account)</p>
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<p>9. Statement and signature. <i>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.</i></p> <p><u>Vincent J. Handal, Jr.</u> <u>Vincent J. Handal, Jr.</u> <u>9/21/01</u> Name of Person Signing      Signature      Date</p> <p>Total number of pages including cover sheet, attachments, and document: <input type="text" value="3"/></p>	<p>Refund Ref: 10/03/2001 LMUELLER 00001105EP</p> <p>CHECK - Refund Total: \$50.00</p>
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# ASSIGNMENT OF TRADEMARK REGISTRATION

## ASSIGNMENT

**WHEREAS**, RUGBY/DARBY GROUP COMPANIES, INC., a New York corporation ("Assignor"), having its principal offices at 865 Merrick Avenue, Westbury, New York 11590, has adopted, used, is using and is the owner of the following trademark registered in the United States Patent and Trademark Office:

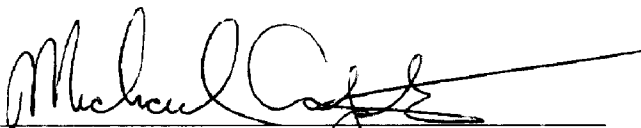
<u>Trademark</u>	<u>Registration No.</u>	<u>Date Issued</u>
PROTEC-TOP	1,657,974	September 24, 1991

**WHEREAS**, DARBY DENTAL SUPPLY CO., INC., a New York corporation ("Assignee"), having its principal offices at 865 Merrick Avenue, Westbury, New York 11590, is desirous of acquiring said registered trademark.

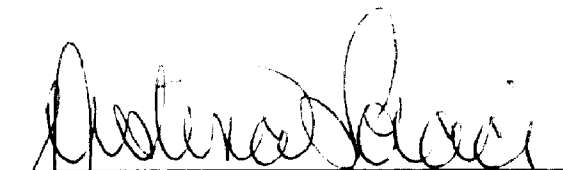
**NOW, THEREFORE**, in consideration of the sum of Ten Dollars (\$10.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignor hereby assigns to Assignee all right, title and interest in the United States in and to said trademark and the registration thereof, together with the goodwill of the business symbolized by said trademark, together with all claims for damages by reason of past infringement of said trademark, with the right to sue for and collect the same.

Signed at Westbury, New York, this 20<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2001.

RUGBY/DARBY GROUP COMPANIES, INC.

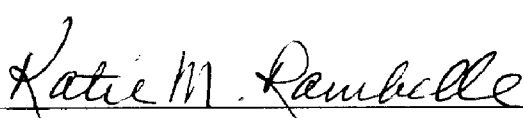
By:   
Michael Caputo, President

ATTEST:

  
Justina Soraci, Assistant Secretary

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On this 20<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2001, personally appeared Michael Caputo to me known and known to me to be the President of RUGBY/DARBY GROUP COMPANIES, INC., the assignor above named, and acknowledged that he executed the foregoing Assignment on behalf of said assignor and pursuant to authority duly received.

  
Notary Public  
**KATIE M. RAMBELLE**  
Notary Public, State of New York  
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