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(54) Title: FLAT FOLDED WATERPROOF CARTONS WITH FOLDS AND A FASTENER WITH HOOKS AND MORE ACCESSORIES

(57) Abstract:



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Flat folded waterproof cartons with folds and a fastener with hooks and more accessories.

A packaging P formed out of a flat rectangular bottom with four flat rectangular sides and an opening as big  
5 as the bottom. The common packaging in the Netherlands of the daily fresh pasteurized milk with  $\frac{1}{2}$ , 1 or  $1\frac{1}{2}$   
liter as measures of capacity is referred to in this application as 'MilkcartonNL'. P is made of the same  
waterproof carton with the plastic coating as MilkcartonNL is made of. The measures of P, the sides, the  
bottom and the opening can be varied. P can contain several combinations of prepared folds that can be used  
to fold P flat (among others drawings 54,55,56), prepared folds like they are used in the opening (the nozzle)  
10 and the upper side of the MilkcartonNL. The upper side of P with the opening has prepared folds with which  
it can be folded to one another to be closed looking like the closed upper side of MilkcartonNL. P could be sold  
flat folded and in a bundle.

A combination of the prepared folds used to fold and unfold P can be used in combination with already  
existing packaging that has been filled by the manufacturer. This will make them easier to fold flat after they  
15 have been used and emptied. It will make them take less space between the garbage or while waiting to be  
recycled (among others drawing 3,5,20,37,47,49).

To explain how the packaging can be folded a series of drawings could be placed on the outside of the  
packaging. If the packaging was filled with custard part of it could still be sticking to the insides of the  
packaging. A series of drawings could explain how the last bit of custard could be squeezed out while folding  
20 the packaging. Also a series of drawings could be placed on the outside of P explaining how P could be  
unfolded and if wanted also how P could be folded to be flat again.

After being opened the openings of many cartons containing liquid substances and with no screw top  
attached will be leaking while being shaken or held upside down. The upper side of the opening that is  
formed out of the several layers of the folded sides of the closed opening of MilkcartonNL is referred to as  
25 'A'. By pressing the several layers of the opening of MilkcartonNL (A) firmly to one another between the  
fingers leakage could be prevented. But if A is not pressed firmly to one another while being shaken or while  
being upside down the liquid substances will leak out.

A Fastener made out of metal or firm plastic looking like a tube that has been split from one end to the other  
as if it was a rolled up rectangle. The Fastener with its split can be shoven around A and if the pressure  
30 exercised by both sides of the split is big enough MilkcartonNL will be closed waterproof. The corners/  
angles and the edges of the two sides of the split can be rounded off to make it easier to slide the fastener  
around A. Both sides of the split that are being pressed against A can be divided into two ledges with a  
small gully in between them. By doing this the surface of the parts touching A will become smaller which  
will result into both sides of the split being pressed deeper into A without having to use more force. Also one  
35 side of the split can be formed by two ledges and a gully in between them and the other side of the split can  
be formed by a smaller ledge in the middle of it that fits into the wider gully in the middle of the other side.  
To prevent the Fastener from slipping off A by accident a thickening can be attached to the upper side of A  
(the shaded part of drawing 53). The thickening can be an extra layer of carton that has been attached to both  
sides of the upper side of A. Below the thickening there should be enough space to slide the split of the  
40 Fastener around A. In order to make it easier to unfold and to fold (to open and to close) the nozzle of the

opening of MilkcartonNL the extra layers of carton that form the thickening could be interrupted around the crossings with the folds. The firmness the nozzle of MilkcartonNL will gain by doing this could also make it easier to open MilkcartonNL for the first time. To prevent the Fastener from slipping of A by accident also

5 four hooks could be attached to the Fastener at the four corners/ angles of the split. Those four hooks could be hooked around and be placed underneath the four edges of the two tilted sides of the folded upper part of MilkcartonNL. If one pair of hooks is placed underneath the edges of the tilted sides at one end of A the distance to the points of the other pair of hooks could best be kept as small as possible giving the points of the hooks just enough space to let it be able for them to be pressed downwards over the edges of the tilted

10 sides making it as difficult as can be for the Fastener to slide off by accident. The Fastener can also be made out of two parts that can be shoven partly into and out of each other containing a pair of hooks at both endings of the split (drawing 59). With some gullies attached to one part and some protrusions that fit into the gullies attached to the other part the twisting of the two parts could be prevented. By using a spring the two parts could be drawn into one another firmly and could hold on to one another tightly. The two sides of

15 the split of the Fastener can be pressed together even more firmly using bolts or screws with female screws. The bolts or the screws are placed from one side of the Fastener to the other and in a square angle with A. To close A by pressing it tight the two sides of the split and the pressure they put on A are important. The tubelike form of the connection between the the two sides of the split can be differently formed (drawing 57, located on the first page of the drawings on the right side at the bottom).

20 The Fastener can also close the folded opening of P by pressing the several layers of the two folded nozzles the opening of P is formed by firmly together. If the points of the two nozzles are well connected with each other leaving no room between them while being folded the opening of P will be closed waterproof. If the opening of P has a rectangular shape instead of a square one the two points of the folded nozzles will not touch each other. To fill the space between them an extra layer of carton can be attached to the innerside

25 of the two layers forming the outside of A. This way the whole of A will be formed by the same number of layers.

The Fastener can also be a rectangle made of firm carton (drawing 1 and 8 ) containing a slit which can be shoven down around A in order to close A by pressing it together. Both ends of the rectangle can be folded downwards and and if wanted they can be attached to the sides of P using a self-adhesive layer. A layer of

30 corrugated cardboard could be attached to the underside of the rectangular shaped piece of carton on both sides of the slit with the crinkles in a square angle with the slit to make the openings of the crinkles face A. By folding the rectangular piece of carton upwards the slit will be a part of the fold and it can be shoven downwards around A. By folding its ends flat and downwardly the openings of the crinkles of the corrugated cardboard can be pressed firmly against both sides of A. The edge of the corrugated cardboard can be cut off

35 in an oblique angle with A making the pressure exerted on the lower part of A the biggest because of its V-like form. Extra layers of cardboard could be attached to the underside of the ends of the rectangular piece of carton. Now when the ends are folded downwards the extra layers will support the form with more firmness. Around the folds the extra layers should be interrupted in order not to diminish the capability to be folded or to be unfolded. The extra layers could also be adjusted to fit the triangular spaces/ cavities underneath the

40 folded sides of the upper part of P. The downward folded ends of the Fastener could be attached to the sides

of P using some kind of glue. The downward folded ends of the Fastener can also be connected to a part that surrounds the body of P/ MilkcartonNL (drawing 51). A layer capable to absorb liquids can be attached to the part surrounding the body of P/ MilkcartonNL in order to catch the drops rolling down the side after pouring  
5 some of the contents. The part surrounding the body of P/ MilkcartonNL with the liquid absorbing layer catching the drops can also be used without a Fastener being attached to it. It could also be a rectangle made out of material capable to absorb liquids that is attached to the side of P with some tape. The tape should only attach the right the left and the underside leaving the upper side open in order to catch and to hold the drops that are coming down. Also a piece of cloth or textile with the capability to absorb liquids combined with  
10 some elastic ribbon and a fastener like Velcro could be used to surround the body of P. This way it could be washed in order to get clean together with the rest of the dirty laundry.

The unfolded waterproof P can be filled by the consumer himself with dry as well as liquid substances and after being used they could be cleaned and re-used. P could be cleaned in the dishwasher.

Also a Gutter O (drawing 2) can be made from the same material P is made off to collect liquids or other  
15 goods. O is a rectangle divided into three rectangles with two folds in between them. Placed inside P the three rectangles of O will fit in nicely with the three sides of P as O is being placed up against them with the edges into the two corners of the fourth side. At the edges of the two outer sides of O two indentations are made. An indentations is formed by two rectangled cuts. The indentations can be hooked around the rim of the opening of P to support O and to supply O with a stable form even when the upperside of the unfolded  
20 opening of P has been squeezed a bit to hard. O can be of assistance to P in catching or collecting liquids or other goods and when the combination of O and P is held in a sloping manner the liquids or substances will glide into the inside of P. The combination of O and P can also be used by women to pee in. They can hold it between their legs when squated down and press it against their vagina. The combination of O and P can also be used by men to pee in and O can hide their private parts while doing so. After being used O can be  
25 unhooked and shoven into P after which P could be closed. The corners/ angles of the part of O sticking out of P can be folded or cut off or be rounded off or they can be given a bended shape to be more adjusted to the shape of the person using it.

A version of P measuring 40 \* 40 \* 60 cm could be used as an Emergency-toilet. If wanted plastic bags like garbage bags could be placed inside them. If wanted a toilet seat with legs that can be folded up could be  
30 placed over it. The lower ends of the legs could be connected to each other using a tubelike shape or a flat shape in order to make the toilet seat more stable. To ventilate the contents of P the upper side/ opening of P could just be folded without using a Fastener to press the layers firmly together. To shield the folded upper side/ opening of P from the rain a lengthwise folded rectangle made out of the same waterproof carton P is made of could be used as a roof (Roof D) to be placed over A (as A being the folded upper side/ opening of  
35 P). One side of D could be partially attached to one side of P and the other side of D could be hooked on to the opposite side of P. For example a tab shaped like the point of an arrow could be used. The tab could be hooked to the side of P by shoving it underneath a rectangle that has been connected with both ends to the side of P. If wanted a fine-drawn layer of netting could be used to shield the folded upper side/ opening of P from insects. If this version of P is filled it can best be emptied as soon as possible but. To make sure the  
40 pressure that could be rising inside of P will not exceed a certain level a valve could be attached to a side of

P. The valve could be combined with a filter to prevent the contents of P from getting out. Before or after using this version of P means to disinfect and to thicken the contents could be placed into P.

A rectangle on which two smaller rectangles are attached creating a gully lengthwise through the middle. If  
5 two of these combinations of rectangles are connected to each other in a manner that is hinged and with both gullies on the outside and if wanted two layers of rubber attached to the inside this object can be folded around A or the opening of a plastic bag to be pressed tight using a Fastener that fits the gullies. If the two combinations of rectangles are connected to each other in a manner that is hinged with its smallest sides a hook could be attached to one corner of the rectangle and also to a corner of the other rectangle but on this  
10 rectangle the hook is attached to the corner of the side with the hinge. This object can be made out of plastic or metal or carton.

A Fastener can also be made from two firm rectangles connected to each other in a manner that is hinged and the two firm rectangles can be pressed together using a screw.

A self-adhesive layer could be attached to the inside of the rim of the opening of P. The self-adhesive layer  
15 could be covered with a removable piece of foil.

The extra layers attached to the outside of the upper side of A in order to prevent the Fastener from slipping of (into that direction) could also be attached around the opening of a carton (drawing 5,15,20) whose opening is formed by cutting off the point of an unfolded flap at one of the corners of the carton. This way the openings of these cartons could also be closed firmly using a Fastener. Between the corners of these  
20 cartons triangled shaped flaps are present that can be unfolded. The point of an unfolded flap can be cut off to create an opening through which the contents can be poured out. The extra layers of carton attached around the dotted line where the point of the flap has to be cut off in order to create an opening can prevent a Fastener that has been shoven with its split around the flap from slipping of into that direction by accident.

## Claims.

1.

5 Cartons like MilkcartonNL with as characteristic features an upperside that is completely opened and that they are flat folded. The flat folded cartons are showing the same characteristic features as (drawing 54,55,56) and they contain the folds needed in their condition to get unfolded and afterwards to get folded again. The cartons are clean and unused and could be packed hygienically. They could be rinsed and cleaned and re-used. A series of drawings is placed on the outside of the carton showing how the carton could be  
10 unfolded and how it could be closed and folded again afterwards.

2.

Cartons like in claim 1 combined with a Fastener that can seal the folded opening. This Fastener could also be sold individually and this Fastener has as characteristic features the capability to press the several layers of  
15 the opening of MilkcartonNL with so much force against one another the liquids inside can not leak out. It is a tubelike shape made out of solid material like metal or firm plastic that has been split from one end to the other. The several layers of the folded opening can be tightened between the two sides of the split. The corners/ angles and the edges of the two sides of the split can be rounded off to make it easier to slide the Fastener around A. At the four corners/ angles of the split hooks could be attached that could be hooked  
20 around and be placed underneath the four edges of the two tilted sides of the folded upperside. The Fastener can also be made out of two parts that can be shoven partly into and out of each other making it easy to bring the hooks into place and hook them around the edges of the tilted sides. Using a spring the two parts could hold on to each other and be drawn into one another firmly. Using two screws and two female screws that go from one side of the Fastener to the other the two sides of the split could be pressed together with extra force.  
25 The two sides of the split could contain ledges and gullies to make the size of the part pressing into A smaller making it possible to press the sides of the split deeper into A by using the same amount of force.

3.

Cartons like in claim 1 and the strip (A) at the top of an unfolded carton with its opening folded has as  
30 characteristic features an extra layer attached to the outside of the upper side as well as on both sides making the strip to thick for the Fastener to slip off into that direction. Around the folds the extra layers are interrupted in such manner they will not hinder the folds from functioning optimal. The extra firmness A gaines can make it easier to open and to close the opening. Also other cartons can have as characteristic feature an extra layer that is placed around the rim of the opening to prevent a Fastener from slipping off into  
35 that direction.

4.

Cartons like in claim 1 and these cartons has as characteristic features that the two nozzles when folded don't touch each other. To compensate this an extra layer of carton is attached to the innerside of both of the layers  
40 that are on the outside of A. The extra layers are attached between the points of the two nozzles to make sure

A will have the same amount of layers everywhere in order to avoid the opening from leaking if A is pressed tight together by a Fastener.

5 5.

Cartons like in claim 1 combined with a Fastener that can seal the folded opening. The Fastener can also be sold individually and this Fastener has as characteristic features that it is a rectangle R with a slit in the middle that can be pressed downwards around A (drawing 8). Both ends of R can be folded downwards alongside of P. Thick extra layers can be attached to the underside of R and on either side of the slit and if  
10 necessary also on both of the ends that can be folded alongside of P. At the place of the folds the extra layers will be interrupted sufficiently in order to maintain the functionality of the folds. If R is dubbelfolded when it is put into place a fold should run through R lengthwise as an extension of the slit. The part of the slit that is formed by the thick extra layers can have a V-like form. Because of this V-like form the lower part of A can be pressed together with extra force. The form of the extra layers on both ends of R could be adjusted to the  
15 triangled form of the cavities on both sides of P below the tilted sides of the folded upper side of P. The edges of the two ends of R that can be folded downwards could be attached to P by use of self-adhesive layers. The Fastener could be made from one or from several sorts of carton but also from longer lasting and firmer materials like plastic or a combination of plastic and textiles. Both ends of the Fastener could also be attached to a part surrounding the trunk of P. To this part that is surrounding P absorbing materials can be  
20 attached to catch and hold drops leaking downwards alongside of P after pooring some of the contents. The absorbing material can contain a layer impervious to liquids on all sides except the upper side in order to hold the liquids extra.

6.

25 Cartons like in claim 1 combined with a means that can enclose P and catch and hold drops like in claim 6 with as charateristic features that the Fastener is not attached to it. This means to catch and hold drops can also be attached to a side of P instead of surrounding P.

7.

30 Cartons P like in claim 1 combined with a means O that also could be sold individually. This means O has as characteristic features that it is a rectangle containing two folds by which it is divided into three rectangles laying next to each other. If O is shoven into P the three rectangles will fit in nicely with three sides of the inside of P and the edges of O will fit in nicely with the corners of the fourth side. If O is put into place inside P it can be used as a gutter or as a shield. As a gutter for women who want to pee squatted down or as a  
35 shield for men who want to pee into P. The edges of O contain two indentations. An indentation is formed by two rectangled cuts. The Indentations can be hooked around the rim of the opening of P to prevent O from shifting and to prevent the sides of O from bending inwards towards each other (drawing 2). The two corners/ angles of the part of O sticking out of P can be cut off or they can be folded in a manner which makes the form of the part that is cut off or the folded part a triangle. The form in which the two corners/ angles are cut  
40 off can be adjusted more to the form of the body of the users by making it a bended form.

8.

Cartons P like in claim 1 with extra layers like in claim 4 and if necessary with extra layers like in claim 5 and these cartons has as characteristic features that they are so big they can be used like an emergency toilet.

5 On the outside a form of carton can be attached that can be used like a roof protecting the folded opening of P from the rain. Also a fine-drawn layer of netting could be placed over the folded opening to hold back little creatures like insects. To make sure the pressure that could be rising inside of P will not exceed a certain level a valve could be attached to a side of P. If wanted the valve of P could be combined with a filter to prevent evil contents from getting out. A toilet seat with legs that can be folded up could be placed over the  
10 opening of P. Plastic bags could be used to place inside of P like a sort of garbage bag.

9.

Cartons like in claim 1 combined with an aid that can be used in combination with a Fastener. This aid could also be sold individually and in combination with a Fastener and this aid has as characteristic features that it

15 is made out of two rectangles that are connected to each other in a hinged manner. Both rectangles have a gully on the outside. If both rectangles are folded towards each other the two sides of the split of a Fastener can be shoven into the gullies. Both rectangles can be folded towards each other with the opening of a carton in between them. It can be made out of carton or metal or firm plastic and on the inside of the two rectangles a layer of elastic material like rubber could be attached. On the corners/ angles of the two rectangles hooks  
20 could be attached that could be hooked around the edges of the tilted sides of the folded opening.

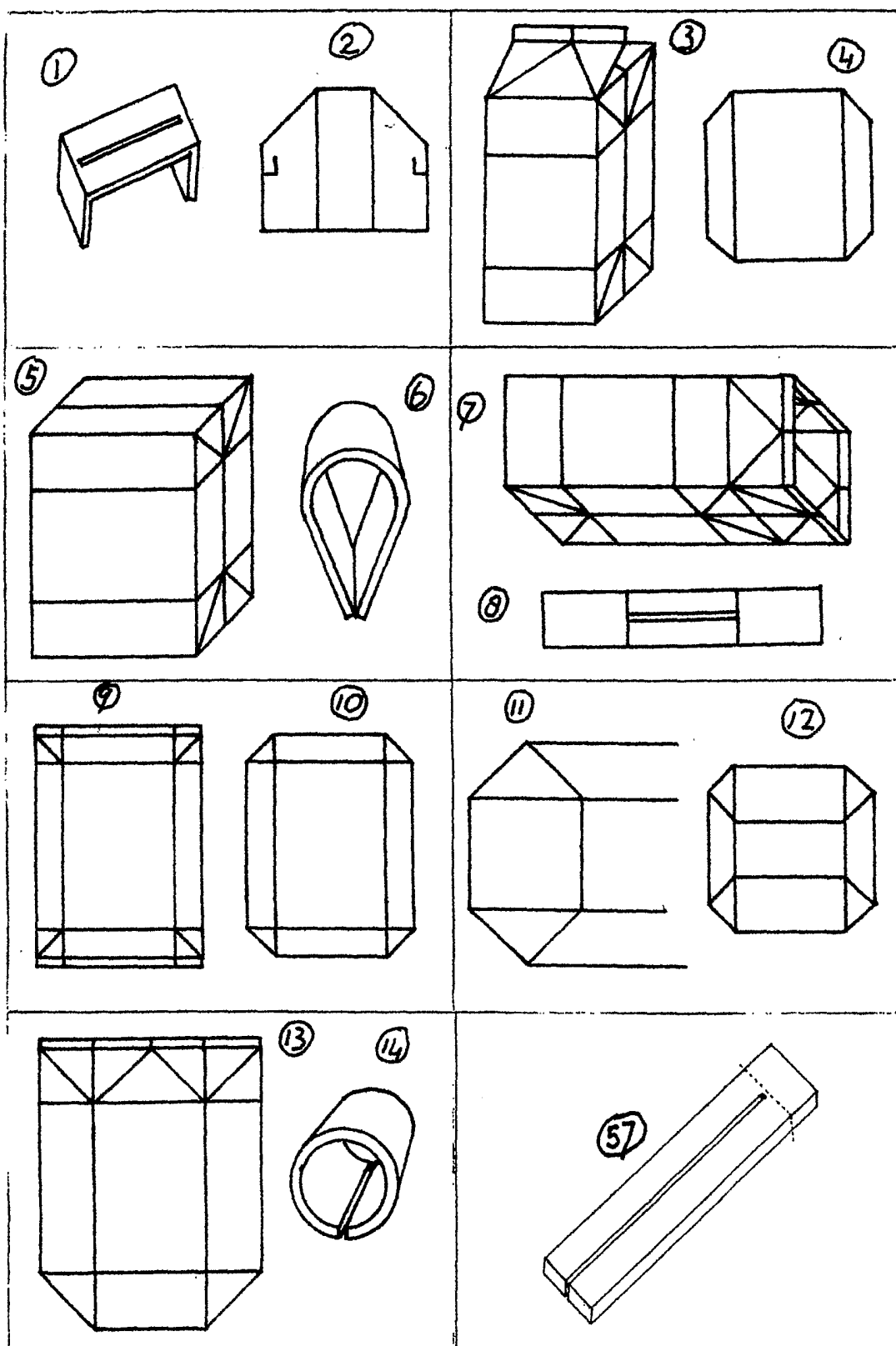
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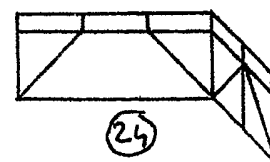
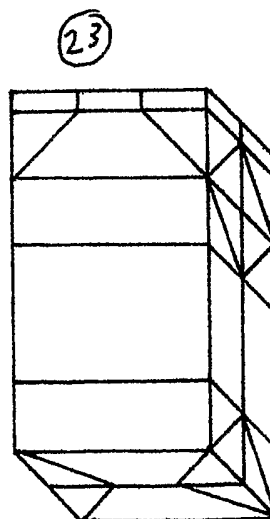
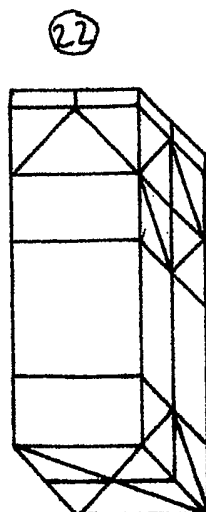
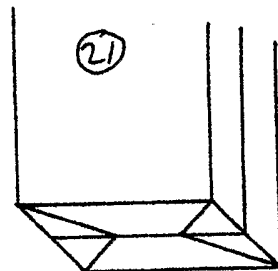
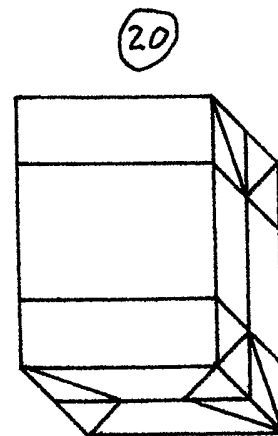
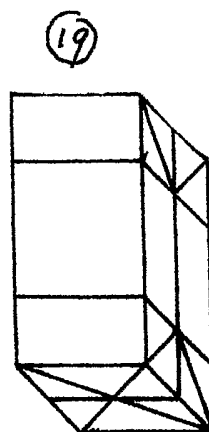
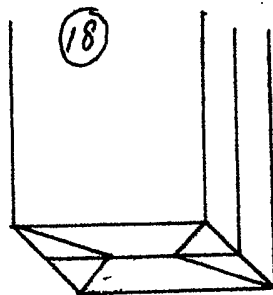
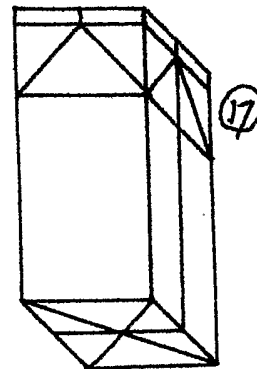
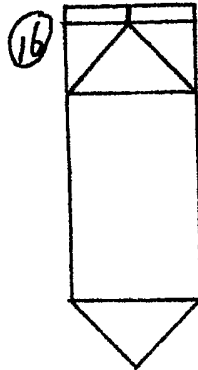
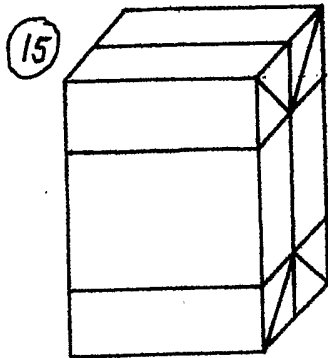
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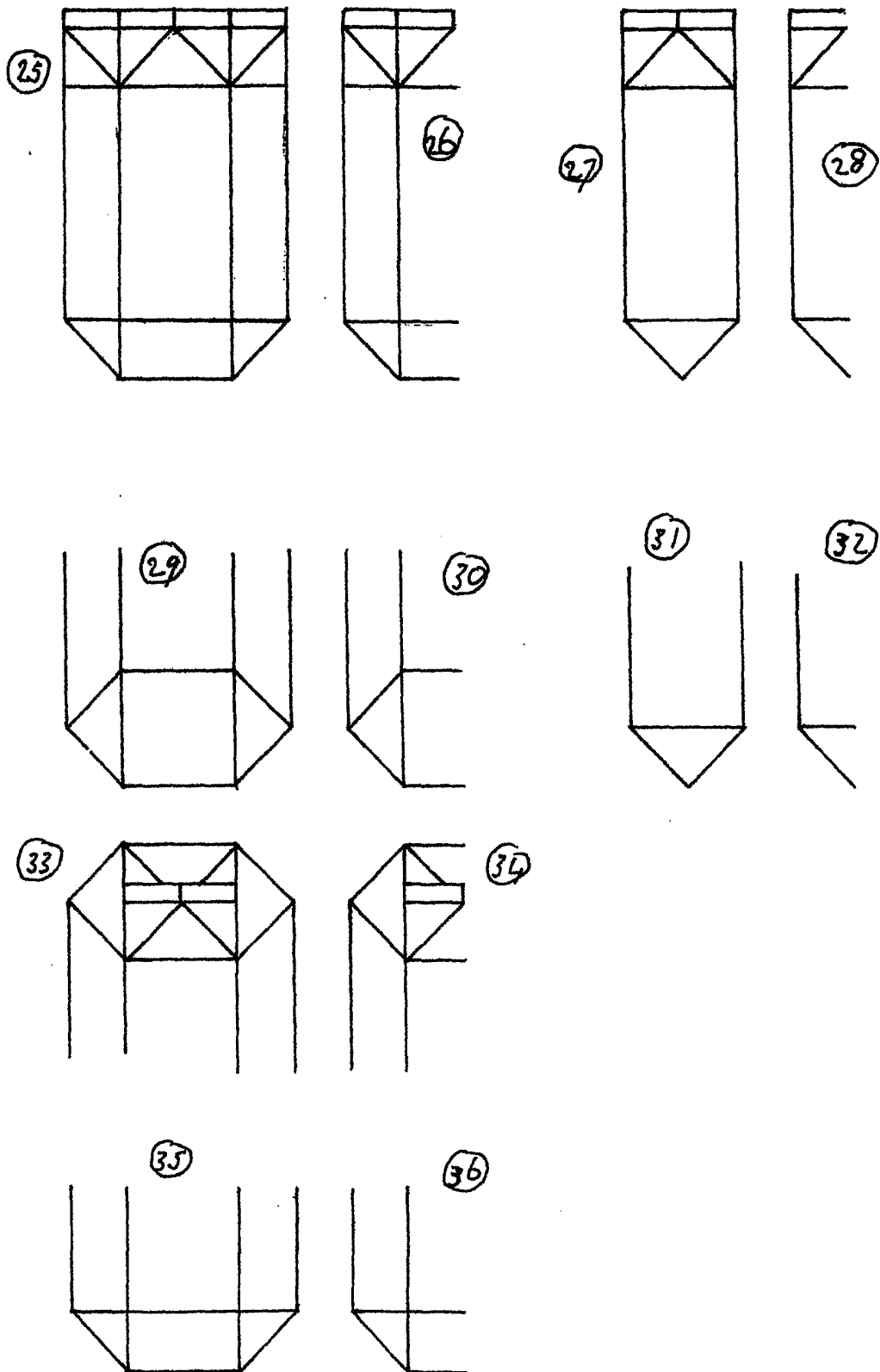
25 already filled with goods before the consumer bought them and these cartons has as characteristic features that they possess a combination of prepared folds like in claim 1 that could be used to fold these cartons flat after they have been emptied. The folds could be prepared by pressing them into the carton or they could be marked on the outside as lines (drawings 3,5,37,47,49). A series of drawings is placed on the outside of the cartons or other packages showing how they could be folded.

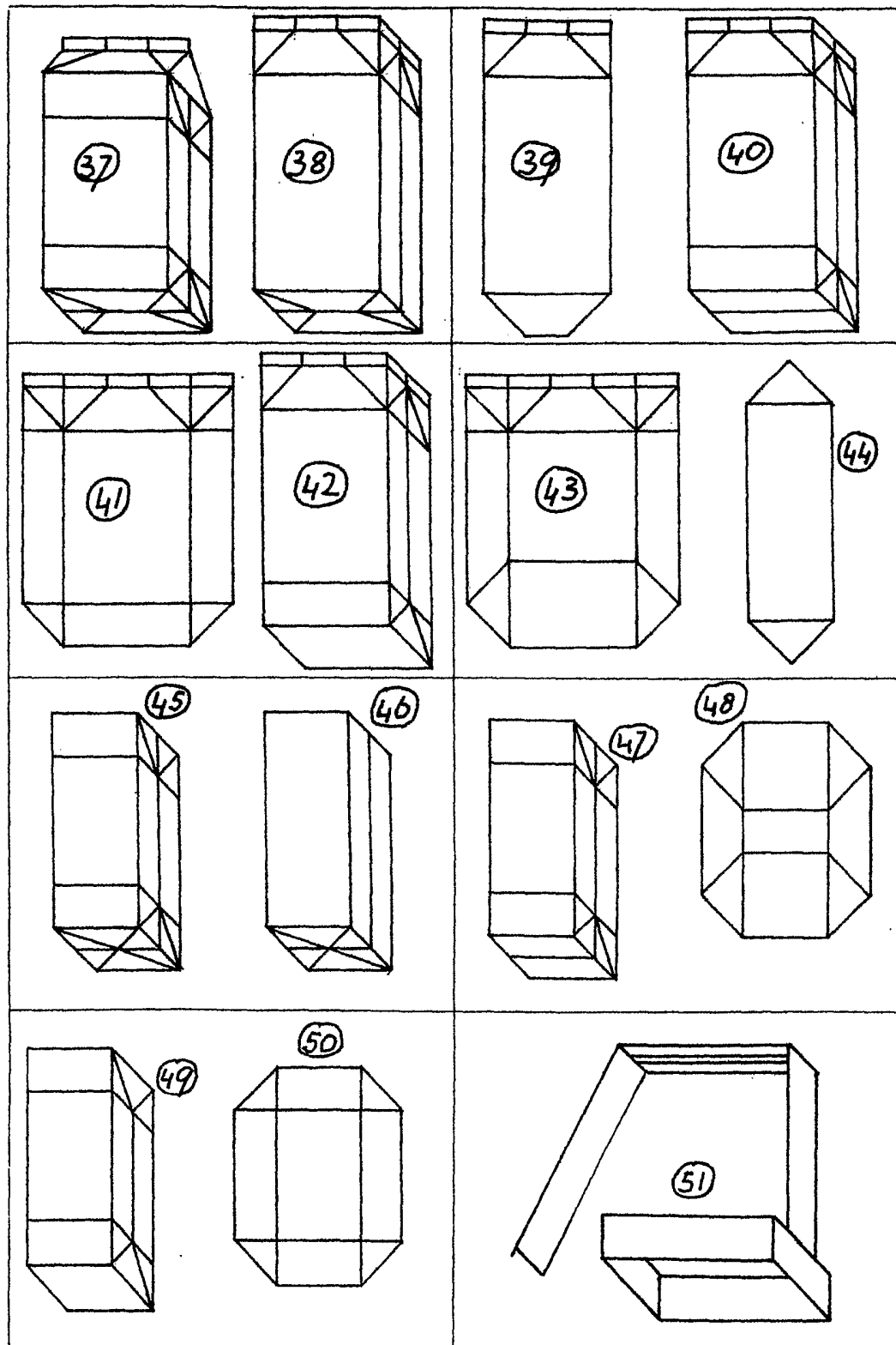
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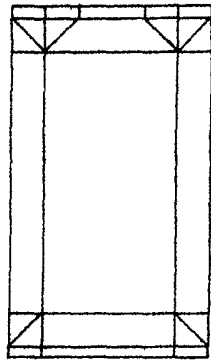




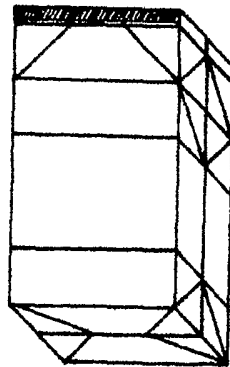




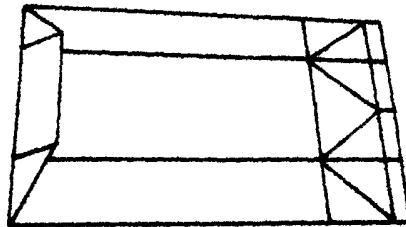
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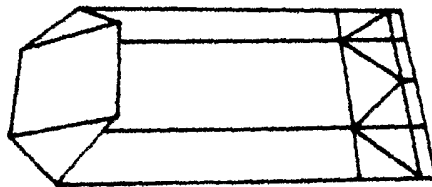
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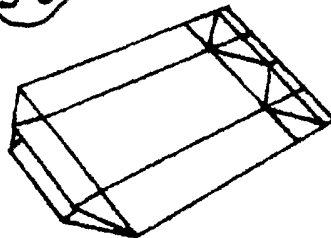
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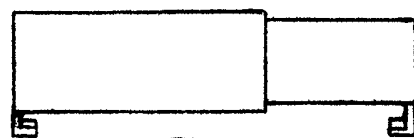
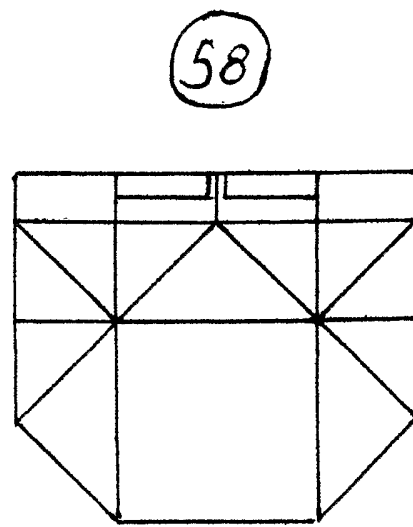
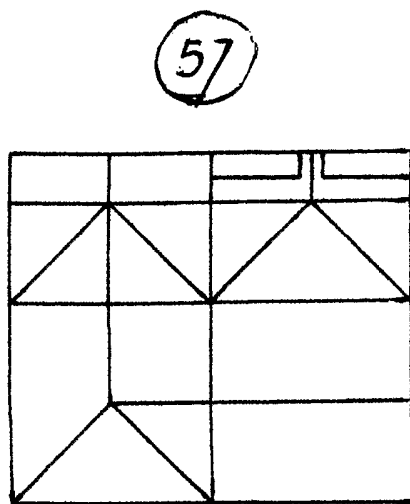


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**Box No. VIII (v) DECLARATION: NON-PREJUDICIAL DISCLOSURES OR EXCEPTIONS TO LACK OF NOVELTY**

*The declaration must conform to the standardized wording provided for in Section 215; see Notes to Boxes Nos. VIII, VIII (i) to (v) (in general) and the specific Notes to Box No. VIII (v). If this Box is not used, this sheet should not be included in the request.*

Declaration as to non-prejudicial disclosures or exceptions to lack of novelty (Rules 4.17(v) and 51bis.1(a)(v)):

In relation to international application PCT/NL2005/000309,  
DRIESSEN Maarten Willem declares that the subject matter claimed in this international  
application was disclosed as follows:

Benelux-trademark Depot No. 1022846

Publicationdate 08/2003

Title 4peepee

This declaration is made for the purposes of all designations.

☐ This declaration is continued on the following sheet, "Continuation of Box No. VIII (v)".



**Continuation of Box No. VIII (i) to (v) DECLARATION**

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Continuation of Box No. VIII (v). Declaration: non prejudicial disclosures or exceptions to lack of novelty.

In relation to international application PCT/NL2005/000309

DRIESSEN Maarten Willem declares that the subject matter claimed in the international application was disclosed as follows:

Benelux-design No. 80149-01

Publicationdate 06/2004

Title Sluiting voor verpakking

This declaration is made for the purposes of all designations.

**Continuation of Box No. VIII (i) to (v) DECLARATION**

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Continuation of Box No. VIII (v). Declaration: non prejudicial disclosures or exceptions to lack of novelty.

In relation to international application PCT/NL2005/000309

DRIESSEN Maarten Willem declares that the subject matter claimed in the international application was disclosed as follows:

Benelux-design No. 80149-02

Publicationdate 06/2004

Title Gootje voor verpakking

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**Continuation of Box No. VIII (i) to (v) DECLARATION**

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Continuation of Box No. VIII (v). Declaration: non prejudicial disclosures or exceptions to lack of novelty.

In relation to international application PCT/NL2005/000309

DRIESSEN Maarten Willem declares that the subject matter claimed in the international application was disclosed as follows:

Benelux-design No. 80149-03

Publicationdate 06/2004

Title Verpakking

This declaration is made for the purposes of all designations.

**Continuation of Box No. VIII (i) to (v) DECLARATION**

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Continuation of Box No. VIII (v). Declaration: non prejudicial disclosures or exceptions to lack of novelty.

In relation to international application PCT/NL2005/000309

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Benelux-design No. 80149-06

Publicationdate 06/2004

Title Sluiting voor verpakking

This declaration is made for the purposes of all designations.

**Continuation of Box No. VIII (i) to (v) DECLARATION**

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Continuation of Box No. VIII (v). Declaration: non prejudicial disclosures or exceptions to lack of novelty.

In relation to international application PCT/NL2005/000309

DRIESSEN Maarten Willem declares that the subject matter claimed in the international application was disclosed as follows:

Benelux-design No. 80149-07

Publicationdate 06/2004

Title Verpakking

This declaration is made for the purposes of all designations.

**Continuation of Box No. VIII (i) to (v) DECLARATION**

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Continuation of Box No. VIII (v). Declaration: non prejudicial disclosures or exceptions to lack of novelty.

In relation to international application PCT/NL2005/000309

DRIESSEN Maarten Willem declares that the subject matter claimed in the international application was disclosed as follows:

Benelux-design No. 80149-08

Publicationdate 06/2004

Title Sluïting voor verpakking

This declaration is made for the purposes of all designations.

**Continuation of Box No. VIII (i) to (v) DECLARATION**

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Continuation of Box No. VIII (v). Declaration: non prejudicial disclosures or exceptions to lack of novelty.

In relation to international application PCT/NL2005/000309

DRIESSEN Maarten Willem declares that the subject matter claimed in the international application was disclosed as follows:

Benelux-design No. 80149-09

Publicationdate 06/2004

Title Verpakking (plano)

This declaration is made for the purposes of all designations.

**Continuation of Box No. VIII (i) to (v) DECLARATION**

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Continuation of Box No. VIII (v). Declaration: non prejudicial disclosures or exceptions to lack of novelty.

In relation to international application PCT/NL2005/000309

DRIESSEN Maarten Willem declares that the subject matter claimed in the international application was disclosed as follows:

Benelux-design No. 80149-11

Publicationdate 06/2004

Title Verpakking (plano)

This declaration is made for the purposes of all designations.



**Continuation of Box No. VIII (i) to (v)    DECLARATION**

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Continuation of Box No. VIII (v). Declaration: non prejudicial disclosures or exceptions to lack of novelty.

In relation to international application PCT/NL2005/000309

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Benelux-design No. 80149-13

Publicationdate 06/2004

Title Verpakking (plano)

This declaration is made for the purposes of all designations.

**Continuation of Box No. VIII (i) to (v) DECLARATION**

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Continuation of Box No. VIII (v). Declaration: non prejudicial disclosures or exceptions to lack of novelty.

In relation to international application PCT/NL2005/000309

DRIESSEN Maarten Willem declares that the subject matter claimed in the international application was disclosed as follows:

Benelux-design No. 80149-14

Publicationdate 06/2004

Title Sluitleiding voor verpakking

This declaration is made for the purposes of all designations.

**Continuation of Box No. VIII (i) to (v) DECLARATION**

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Continuation of Box No. VIII (v). Declaration: non prejudicial disclosures or exceptions to lack of novelty.

In relation to international application PCT/NL2005/000309

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Benelux-design No. 80303-01

Publicationdate 06/2004

Title Verpakking

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**Continuation of Box No. VIII (i) to (v) DECLARATION**

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Continuation of Box No. VIII (v). Declaration: non prejudicial disclosures or exceptions to lack of novelty.

In relation to international application PCT/NL2005/000309

DRIESSEN Maarten Willem declares that the subject matter claimed in the international application was disclosed as follows:

Benelux-design No. 80303-02

Publicationdate 06/2004

Title Verpakking

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**Continuation of Box No. VIII (i) to (v) DECLARATION**

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Continuation of Box No. VIII (v). Declaration: non prejudicial disclosures or exceptions to lack of novelty.

In relation to international application PCT/NL2005/000309

DRIESSEN Maarten Willem declares that the subject matter claimed in the international application was disclosed as follows:

Benelux-design No. 80303-03

Publicationdate 06/2004

Title Plano voor verpakking

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**Continuation of Box No. VIII (i) to (v) DECLARATION**

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Continuation of Box No. VIII (v). Declaration: non prejudicial disclosures or exceptions to lack of novelty.

In relation to international application PCT/NL2005/000309

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Benelux-design No. 80303-04

Publicationdate 06/2004

Title Verpakking

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Continuation of Box No. VIII (v). Declaration: non prejudicial disclosures or exceptions to lack of novelty.

In relation to international application PCT/NL2005/000309

DRIESSEN Maarten Willem declares that the subject matter claimed in the international application was disclosed as follows:

Benelux-design No. 80303-05

Publicationdate 06/2004

Title Plano voor verpakking

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Continuation of Box No. VIII (v). Declaration: non prejudicial disclosures or exceptions to lack of novelty.

In relation to international application PCT/NL2005/000309

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Benelux-design No. 80303-06

Publicationdate 06/2004

Title Verpakking

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Continuation of Box No. VIII (v). Declaration: non prejudicial disclosures or exceptions to lack of novelty.

In relation to international application PCT/NL2005/000309

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Benelux-design No. 80303-07

Publicationdate 06/2004

Title Plano voor verpakking

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Continuation of Box No. VIII (v). Declaration: non prejudicial disclosures or exceptions to lack of novelty.

In relation to international application PCT/NL2005/000309

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Benelux-design No. 80303-08

Publicationdate 06/2004

Title Plano voor verpakking

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In relation to international application PCT/NL2005/000309

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Benelux-design No. 80303-09

Publicationdate 06/2004

Title Verpakking

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Continuation of Box No. VIII (v). Declaration: non prejudicial disclosures or exceptions to lack of novelty.

In relation to international application PCT/NL2005/000309

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Continuation of Box No. VIII (v). Declaration: non prejudicial disclosures or exceptions to lack of novelty.

In relation to international application PCT/NL2005/000309

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Benelux-design No. 80303-11

Publicationdate 06/2004

Title Verpakking

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**Continuation of Box No. VIII (i) to (v) DECLARATION**

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Continuation of Box No. VIII (v). Declaration: non prejudicial disclosures or exceptions to lack of novelty.

In relation to international application PCT/NL2005/000309

DRIESSEN Maarten Willem declares that the subject matter claimed in the international application was disclosed as follows:

Benelux-design No. 80303-12

Publicationdate 06/2004

Title Plano voor verpakking

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**Continuation of Box No. VIII (i) to (v) DECLARATION**

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Continuation of Box No. VIII (v). Declaration: non prejudicial disclosures or exceptions to lack of novelty.

In relation to international application PCT/NL2005/000309

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Benelux-design No. 80303-13

Publicationdate 06/2004

Title Verpakking

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**Continuation of Box No. VIII (i) to (v) DECLARATION**

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Continuation of Box No. VIII (v). Declaration: non prejudicial disclosures or exceptions to lack of novelty.

In relation to international application PCT/NL2005/000309

DRIESSEN Maarten Willem declares that the subject matter claimed in the international application was disclosed as follows:

Benelux-design No. 80303-14

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Title Plano voor verpakking

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In relation to international application PCT/NL2005/000309

DRIESSEN Maarten Willem declares that the subject matter claimed in the international application was disclosed as follows:

Community-design No. 000221122-0001

Publicationdate 21/09/2004

Title Wrapping material

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**Continuation of Box No. VIII (i) to (v) DECLARATION**

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Continuation of Box No. VIII (v). Declaration: non prejudicial disclosures or exceptions to lack of novelty.

In relation to international application PCT/NL2005/000309

DRIESSEN Maarten Willem declares that the subject matter claimed in the international application was disclosed as follows:

Community-design No. 000221122-0002

Publication date 21/09/2004

Title Wrapping material

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Continuation of Box No. VIII (v). Declaration: non prejudicial disclosures or exceptions to lack of novelty.

In relation to international application PCT/NL2005/000309

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Community-design No. 000221122-0003

Publicationdate 21/09/2004

Title Wrapping material

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This International Searching Authority hereby declares, according to Article 17(2)(a), that **no international search report will be established** on the international application for the reasons indicated below

1. ☐ The subject matter of the international application relates to:
  - a. ☐ scientific theories.
  - b. ☐ mathematical theories
  - c. ☐ plant varieties.
  - d. ☐ animal varieties.
  - e. ☐ essentially biological processes for the production of plants and animals, other than microbiological processes and the products of such processes
  - f. ☐ schemes, rules or methods of doing business.
  - g. ☐ schemes, rules or methods of performing purely mental acts.
  - h. ☐ schemes, rules or methods of playing games
  - i. ☐ methods for treatment of the human body by surgery or therapy.
  - j. ☐ methods for treatment of the animal body by surgery or therapy.
  - k. ☐ diagnostic methods practised on the human or animal body.
  - l. ☐ mere presentations of information.
  - m. ☐ computer programs for which this International Searching Authority is not equipped to search prior art.
2. ☒ The failure of the following parts of the international application to comply with prescribed requirements prevents a meaningful search from being carried out:
 

☐ the description
☒ the claims
☐ the drawings
3. ☐ The failure of the nucleotide and/or amino acid sequence listing to comply with the standard provided for in Annex C of the Administrative Instructions prevents a meaningful search from being carried out:
 

☐ the written form has not been furnished or does not comply with the standard
   
☐ the computer readable form has not been furnished or does not comply with the standard.
4. ☐ The failure of the tables related to the nucleotide and/or amino acid sequence listing to comply with the technical requirements provided for in Annex C-bis of the Administrative Instructions prevents a meaningful search from being carried out:
 

☐ the written form has not been furnished.
   
☐ the computer readable form has not been furnished or does not comply with the technical requirements.
5. Further comments: see further information sheet

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In view of the structure and wording of the claims presently on file (definition of cartons, fasteners and means mainly based on results to be achieved, references to the drawings and/or references to other prior art cartons), which render it, even in the light of the description, difficult, if not impossible, to determine the matter for which protection is sought, the present application fails to comply with the clarity requirements of PCT Article 6 (see also PCT Rule 6) to such an extent that a meaningful search for claims 1-10 presently on file is impossible.

Consequently, no search report can be established for the present application.

The applicant's attention is drawn to the fact that claims relating to inventions in respect of which no international search report has been established need not be the subject of an international preliminary examination (Rule 66.1(e) PCT). The applicant is advised that the EPO policy when acting as an International Preliminary Examining Authority is normally not to carry out a preliminary examination on matter which has not been searched. This is the case irrespective of whether or not the claims are amended following receipt of the search report or during any Chapter II procedure. If the application proceeds into the regional phase before the EPO, the applicant is reminded that a search may be carried out during examination before the EPO (see EPO Guideline C-VI, 8.5), should the problems which led to the Article 17(2) declaration be overcome.