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May 14, 2026

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**Re: U.S. Patent No. 11812895 — Response to Assertion of Infringement**

Dear Counsel,

We acknowledge receipt of your correspondence asserting infringement of U.S. Patent No. 11812895 (the "11812895 Patent"). After preliminary review, we have substantial concerns about the validity, enforceability, and scope of the asserted claims, summarized below. We reserve all rights and defenses.

## **1. Subject Patent — Summary**

Analysis of U.S. Patent 11,812,895

Title: Grease containment systems

Assignee: Grease Box LLC

Inventors: Amy Beaumont, Markus Dale Hillman

Filing Date: August 4, 2020

Issue Date: November 14, 2023

Abstract:

A safety system relating to outdoor cooking devices, such as wood pellet grills. An enclosure around a grease drain bucket. The enclosure designed to create a thermal buffer around the grease drain bucket and to securely mount to a drain of the outdoor cooking device increasing stability. The enclosure providing both burn safety and spill prevention, while still allowing ventilation of the heat from the grease collected. Adjustable vents in the walls of the enclosure allowing...

## **4. Litigation History of the Patent**

Public records reflect that the 11812895 Patent has been the subject of the following litigation, which informs our view of the asserted claims and your client's enforcement posture:

### 3. Request

In light of the foregoing, we request that your client (i) provide a detailed claim chart identifying each accused product or service and mapping every limitation of each asserted claim, (ii) identify any prior art known to your client, including any references cited during prosecution or reexamination, and (iii) substantiate the basis for any damages or licensing demand. We are prepared to discuss the matter further once we have received and reviewed the foregoing.

Sincerely,

[Your Name]

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