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**ASSIGNOR:** Hoechst Celanese Corporation  
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<b>4,896,683</b>	<b>5,009,239</b>	<b>4,907,609</b>
<b>4,798,570</b>	<b>5,071,599</b>	<b>5,122,550</b>

To:  
**ASSIGNEE:** Celanese Acetate LLC  
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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I/We have hereunto set hand and seal this 1st day of January, 1998.

Date: July 30, 1998

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