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Name: Signal Development & Management Co.

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WHEREAS, in order to secure the payment, observance and performance of certain guaranty obligations, Signal Investment & Management Co. (the "Company") executed in favor of NationsBank, N.A. (the "Agent"), as agent for a syndicate of lenders (the "Lenders"), a Notice of Grant of Security Interest in Patents dated April 29, 1996 (the "Patent Agreement"), as recorded in the United States Patent and Trademark Office at Reel 7833, Frame 0820, on May 9, 1996, pursuant to which the Company granted to the Agent, for the benefit of the Lenders, a security interest in all of its right, title and interest in and to the patent listed on Schedule A attached hereto (the "Patent");

WHEREAS, the Company desires to transfer the Patent, and the Agent, on behalf of the Lenders, desires to release its security interest in the Patent.

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the Agent does hereby release and relinquish to the Company all its right, title and interest in and to the Patent and does hereby agree to the filing of this release in the United States Patent and Trademark Office. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Trademark Agreement, as modified herein, shall remain in full force and effect.

NATIONSBANK, N.A.

By: Kerry L. Jones
Title: Banking Officer
Date: May 12, 1998

Schedule A

| <u>Patent Title</u> | <u>Country</u> | Registration (serial) <u>Number</u> |
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| Cosmetic Facial Powder Containing Walnut Shell Flour | United States | 4,279,890 |

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