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1. NAME OF CONVEYING PARTY(IES):

Mengtao HE
James Joseph DALTON
Kennard DANIELS
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2. NAME AND ADDRESS OF RECEIVING PARTY(IES):

NAME: Lever Brothers Company, Division of Conopco, Inc.

STREET ADDRESS: 390 Park Avenue

CITY: New York
ZIP: 10022

STATE: NY

ADDITIONAL NAME(S) OF CONVEYING PARTY(IES) ATTACHED?

YES [] NO [XX]

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[XX] ASSIGNMENT [] SECURITY AGREEMENT [] MERGER [] CHANGE OF NAME [] OTHER
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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, MENGTAO HE, a citizen of China residing at 9 Tuxedo Drive, Wayne, New Jersey 07470; JAMES JOSEPH DALTON, a citizen of the United States, residing at 245 Lawton Avenue, Cliffside Park, New Jersey 07010; KENNARD DANIELS, a citizen of the United States, residing at 33 Fairmount Drive, Danbury, Connecticut 06811; GEORGIA SHAFER, a citizen of the United States residing at 2120 Randolph Street, Carteret, New Jersey 07008; and MICHAEL MASSARO, a citizen of the United States residing at 39 Dover Road, Congers, New York 10920; invented certain improvements in

**CAST MELT BAR COMPOSITIONS COMPRISING HIGH LEVELS OF
LOW MOLECULAR WEIGHT POLYALKYLENE GLYCOLS**

(bearing Attorney's Docket Number 96-R276-A-EDG,) which is found in:

- (a) ____ U.S. patent application executed on _____
- (b) X To comply with 37 CFR 3.21 for recordal of this assignment, I/WE an ASSIGNOR(S) signing below, hereby authorize and request my/our attorney, as named in the Declaration and Power of Attorney to insert below the filing date and application number when it becomes known.

U.S. application Serial No. 09/015,558 filed on January 29, 1998.

- (c) ____ International Application No. PCT ____/_____.

AND WHEREAS, **LEVER BROTHERS COMPANY, DIVISION OF CONOPCO, INC.**, a corporation of New York, having a principal place of business at 390 Park Avenue, New York, New York 10022 desires to acquire the entire right, title and interest in the said application and invention, and improvements and to any United States and foreign patents to be obtained therefor;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of one dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration in hand paid, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, I/We, the undersigned, hereby sell, assign and transfer to the aforesaid **LEVER BROTHERS COMPANY, DIVISION OF CONOPCO, INC.**, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to the said application and invention therein disclosed for the United States and all foreign countries, and all rights of priority under the International Convention resulting from the filing of said application, and in and to any and all divisional, continuation, continuation-in-part, reissue, or other applications describing said invention or improvements thereon, and in and to any and all Letters Patent of the United States which may issue from said applications or any of them, and in

and to any and all applications for patents describing said invention to countries foreign to the United States and in and to any and all patents which may be granted for said invention in said foreign countries, the same to be held by and for the sole and exclusive use and benefit of the said **LEVER BROTHERS COMPANY, DIVISION OF CONOPCO, INC.**, its successors and assigns.

AND I/We do hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents to issue the said Letters Patent of the United States to said **LEVER BROTHERS COMPANY, DIVISION OF CONOPCO, INC.**, as the assignee of the entire right, title and interest in and to the same.

AND I/We do hereby agree to assist said **LEVER BROTHERS COMPANY, DIVISION OF CONOPCO, INC.**, in the prosecution of any and all said applications and in the prosecution of any and all interferences or other proceedings which may arise involving said invention, and to execute and deliver any powers of attorney, affidavits, assignments, applications, reissues, documents, or other written instruments which, in the opinion of counsel for said **LEVER BROTHERS COMPANY, DIVISION OF CONOPCO, INC.**, its successors and assigns, may be necessary in this or any foreign country fully to secure to said **LEVER BROTHERS COMPANY, DIVISION OF CONOPCO, INC.**, its successors and assigns, any and all said applications, inventions, improvements, Letters Patent, rights, titles and interests hereby sold, assigned, transferred and conveyed.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 3rd day of April, 1998.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY)
COUNTY OF BERGEN)

Mengtao He (Seal)
MENGTAO HE

On this 3 day of April, 1998 before me came MENGTAO HE to me known to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he/she executed the same.

Michele Trapp
Notary Public MICHELE TRAPP
Notary Public, State of New Jersey
Commission Expires Sept. 25, 2001

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 26 day of March, 1998.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY)
COUNTY OF BERGEN)

James Joseph Dalton (Seal)
JAMES JOSEPH DALTON

On this 26 day of March, 1998 before me came JAMES JOSEPH DALTON to me known to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he/she executed the same.

Michele Trapp
Notary Public MICHELE TRAPP
Notary Public, State of New Jersey
Commission Expires Sept. 25, 2001

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 17 day of March, 1998.

STATE OF CONNECTICUT)
COUNTY OF Fairfield)

Kennard Daniels (Seal)
KENNARD DANIELS

On this 17 day of March, 1998 before me came KENNARD DANIELS to me known to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he/she executed the same.

Margaret S. Arnold
Notary Public MARGARET S. ARNOLD
NOTARY PUBLIC
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES MAY 31, 2000

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 19 day of May, 1998.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY)
COUNTY OF BERGEN)

Georgia Shafer (Seal)
GEORGIA SHAFER

On this 19 day of May, 1998 before me came GEORGIA SHAFER to me known to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he/she executed the same.

Michele Trapp
Notary Public MICHELE TRAPP
Notary Public, State of New Jersey
Commission Expires Sept. 25, 2001

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this ²⁶ day
of March, 1998.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY)
COUNTY OF BERGEN)

 (Seal)
MICHAEL MASSARO

On this ²⁶ day of March 1998 before me came MICHAEL MASSARO to me
known to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and
acknowledged that he/she executed the same.


Notary Public MICHELE TRAPP
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Commission Expires Sept. 25, 2001