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Kelly Dean Branham**

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies):
Name: **Kimberly-Clark Worldwide, Inc.**

Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? Yes No

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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, we, **VASILY TOPOLKARAEV**, a citizen of Russia, residing at 1730 S. Lee Street, Appleton, Wisconsin 54915; **DAVE A. SOERENS**, a citizen of the United States of America, residing at 736 Kensington Road, Neenah, Wisconsin 54956; and **KELLY DEAN BRANHAM**, a citizen of the United States of America, residing at 3337 Rae Place, Lawrenceville, Georgia 30044, are the inventors of certain inventions and improvements disclosed in an application for Letters Patent entitled "**METHOD FOR MAKING WATER DEGRADABLE POLYMER MICROLAYER FILM**", filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on December 31, 1997 and designated as Serial No. 09/002,059; and

WHEREAS, **KIMBERLY-CLARK WORLDWIDE, INC.**, a corporation of the State of Delaware having a principal place of business at 401 North Lake Street, Neenah, Wisconsin 54956, is desirous of acquiring an interest in the same;

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which we hereby acknowledge, we, **VASILY TOPOLKARAEV, DAVE A. SOERENS** and **KELLY DEAN BRANHAM** by these presents do sell, assign and transfer unto **KIMBERLY-CLARK WORLDWIDE, INC.**, the full, exclusive and entire right, title, and interest in and to said application, in and to any divisions, continuations, and reissues thereof, and in and to all inventions and improvements disclosed and described in said application, preparatory to obtaining Letters Patent of the United States therefor; and we hereby request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any and all Letters Patent of the United States resulting from said application, or from a division, continuation, or reissue thereof, to **KIMBERLY-CLARK WORLDWIDE, INC.**, as the assignee, for its interest and for the sole use and benefit of **KIMBERLY-CLARK WORLDWIDE, INC.**, and its assigns and legal representatives;

For the same consideration, we, by these presents do sell, assign, and transfer to **KIMBERLY-CLARK WORLDWIDE, INC.**, the full, exclusive, and entire right, title and interest in and to any foreign application or applications corresponding to said application, in whole or in part, in countries other than the United States, in and to any Letters Patent and similar protective rights granted on said foreign applications, and in and to the right to claim any applicable priority rights arising from or required for said foreign applications under the terms of any applicable conventions, treaties, statutes, or regulations; said foreign applications to be filed and issued in the name of **KIMBERLY-CLARK WORLDWIDE, INC.**, or its designee insofar as permitted by applicable law.

AND, for the same consideration, we agree to sign all lawful papers, execute all division, continuing, reissue and other applications, make all assignments and rightful oaths, and generally do everything possible to aid **KIMBERLY-CLARK WORLDWIDE, INC.**, its successors, assigns, and nominees, to obtain and enforce proper protection for all said inventions and improvements in all countries throughout the world.

Date: 05/14/98

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Date: 5/27/98

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