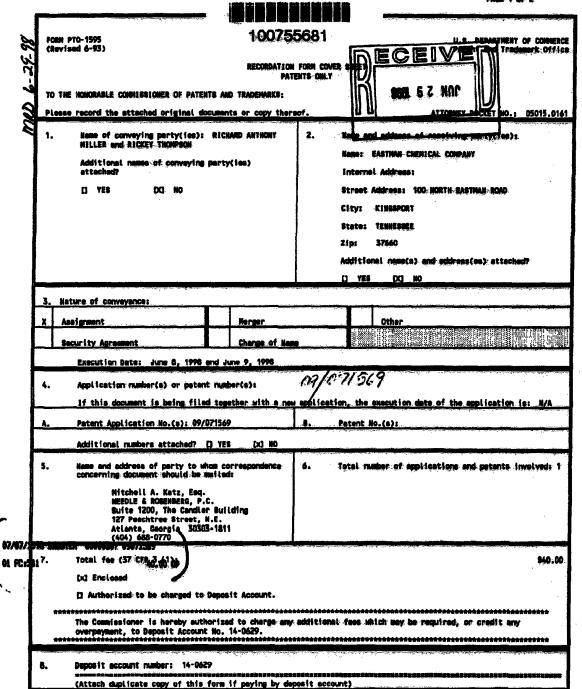
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## **ASSIGNMENT**

For good and valuable consideration received, we, RICHARD ANTHONY MILLER, and RICKEY THOMPSON, do hereby sell and assign to Eastman Chemical Company, a Delaware corporation having a place of business at Kingsport, Tennessee, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title, interest and priority rights in and to all of our inventions, discoveries and improvements disclosed in an application for Letters Patent for "ANTIBLOCK COATING FOR HOT MELT ADHESIVES," filed by RICHARD ANTHONY MILLER and RICKEY THOMPSON on the 1st day of May, 1998, as U.S.S.N. 09/071,569, and all right, title and interest in and to Letters Patent and similar protective rights granted on said applications in the United States and other countries, as well as the right to claim any applicable priority rights arising from said applications under the terms of any applicable conventions, treaties, statutes or regulations, said applications to be filed and issued in the name of Eastman Chemical Company or its designee; and we agree to execute such documents as in the judgment of Eastman Chemical Company may be necessary to obtain any such patents and similar protective rights and vest and maintainthe title thereto in Eastman Chemical Company or its designee; and we further agree that, upon request, but without expense to us, we shall furnish to Eastman Chemical Company or its designee any data, information, exhibits, memoranda, or other evidence in our possession relating to any of said inventions, discoveries or improvements and to testify in any ex parte or inter parties legal proceedings relating to any of said inventions, discoveries, improvements, applications, patents or similar protective rights; and we

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authorize and request issuance of all Letters Patent and similar protective rights that may be granted on any of said applications, to the extent that and in such manner as such issuance shall be requested by Eastman Chemical Company or its designee. This document shall be governed, construed, and interpreted in all respects in accordance with

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have executed this assignment this $_{-}$ day of
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RICHARD ANTHONY MILLER (L.S.)
State of Jennessee
County of Sulwaw
On this
Bailara N. Rasnick
Notary Public
Notary Public  My Commission Expires: January 23, 2002

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have executed this assignment this $\mathcal{S}^{+k}$ day of
, 1998.
RICKEY THOMPSON (L.S.)
State of Sunessee
County of Sullivan
On this, 1998, personally appeared before me, a Notary Public in and for Sullivan County, <b>RICKEY THOMPSON</b> , to me known and known to me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and who acknowledged to me that he executed the same.
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