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Laura SMOLIAR

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2. Name and address of receiving party(ies):

Name: SEAGATE TECHNOLOGY, INC.

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Street Address: 920 Disc Drive, P.O. Box 66360City: Scotts Valley State/Country: CA ZIP: 95067-0360Additional name(s) & address(es) attached? ☐ Yes ☒ No

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 PATENT
 REEL: 9321 FRAME: 0089

ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS I, Laura Smoliar of Palo Alto, California, have made a certain new and useful invention as set forth in an application for United States Letters Patent, entitled METHOD OF SPUTTERING PROTECTIVE OVERCOATS WITH IMPROVED CORROSION RESISTANCE,

executed by me on the date of execution of this document, as shown below, and filed concurrently herewith;

AND WHEREAS, SEAGATE TECHNOLOGY, INC., a corporation of the State of Delaware and having an address of 920 Disc Drive, P. O. Box 66360, Scotts Valley, California 95067-0360 is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and in and to any and all Letters Patent of the United States and foreign countries which may be obtained therefor;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt for and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, I do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over unto SEAGATE TECHNOLOGY, INC., its legal representatives, successors, and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention as set forth in the above-mentioned application, including any continuations, continuations-in-part, divisions, reissues, re-examinations or extensions thereof, and in and to any and all patents of the United States and foreign countries which may be issued for said invention;

UPON SAID CONSIDERATIONS, I hereby agree with the said assignee that I will not execute any writing or do any act whatsoever conflicting with these presents, and that I will, at any time upon request, without further or additional consideration but at the expense of said assignee, execute such additional assignments and other writings and do such additional acts as said assignee may deem necessary or desirable to perfect the assignee's enjoyment of this grant, and render all necessary assistance in making application for and obtaining original, divisional, continuations, continuations-in-part, reexamined, reissued, or extended Letters Patent of the United States or of any and all foreign countries on said invention, and in enforcing any rights or choses in action accruing as a result of such applications or patents, by giving testimony in any proceedings or transactions involving such applications or patents, and by executing preliminary statements and other affidavits, it being understood that the foregoing covenant and agreement shall bind, and inure to the benefit of the assigns and legal representatives of assignor and assignee;

AND I request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any Letters Patent of the United States which may be issued for said invention to said SEAGATE TECHNOLOGY, INC., its legal representatives, successors or assigns, as the sole owner of the entire right, title and interest in and to said patent and the invention covered thereby.

7/9/98
Date

Laura Smoliar
Laura Smoliar

STATE OF CA)
) SS:
COUNTY OF SANTA CLARA

On this 9th day of July, 1998, before me personally appeared Laura Smoliar, to me known to be the person named in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

[Signature]
Notary Public

My commission expires 08-11-99

