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ASSIGNMENT

For valuable consideration, we, Dexi Weng, of Cumberland, Rhode Island; John C. Andries of E. Greenwich, RI; and Keith G. Saunders of Cumberland, RI; hereby assign to Teknor Apex Company, a Delaware corporation having a place of business at 505 Central Avenue, and its successors and assigns (collectively hereinafter called "the Assignee"), the entire right, title and interest throughout the world in the inventions and improvements which are subject of an application for United States Patent signed by us, entitled POLYVINYL CHLORIDE ELASTOMERS, filed June 22, 1998, and assigned U.S. Serial Number 09/102,603, and we authorize and request the attorneys appointed in said application to hereafter complete this assignment by inserting above the filing date and serial number of said application when known; this assignment including said application, any and all United States and foreign patents, utility models, and design registrations granted for any of said inventions or improvements, and the right to claim priority based on the filing date of said application under the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, the Patent Cooperation Treaty, the European Patent Convention, and all other treaties of like purposes; and we authorize the Assignee to apply in all countries in our name or in its own name for patents, utility models, and design registrations and like rights of exclusion and for inventors' certificates for said inventions and improvements; and we agree for ourselves and our respective heirs, legal representatives and assigns, without further compensation to perform such lawful acts and to sign such further applications, assignments, Preliminary Statements and other lawful documents as the Assignee may reasonably request to effectuate fully this assignment.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereto set my hand and seal at PANTUCKET, RI, this 13 day of November, 1998  
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Dexi Weng L.S.

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND :  
:SS.  
COUNTY OF PROVIDENCE :

Before me this 13 day of Nov, 1998, personally appeared  
DEXI WENG known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing Assignment, and acknowledged that he/she executed the same as his/her free act and deed for the purposes therein contained.

[Signature]  
Notary Public  
My Commission Expires: 4/24/2002

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereto set my hand and seal at PAWTUCKET, RI,

this 13 day of Nov, 1998

John C Andries L.S.  
John C. Andries

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND :

COUNTY OF PROVIDENCE :ss.

Before me this 13 day of Nov, 1998, personally appeared

John C. Andries known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing Assignment, and acknowledged that he/she executed the same as his/her free act and deed for the purposes therein contained.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereto set my hand and seal at PAWTUCKET, RI,

this 13 day of November, 1998

Keith G Saunders L.S.  
Keith G. Saunders

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND :

COUNTY OF PROVIDENCE :ss.

Before me this 13 day of Nov, 1998, personally appeared

KEITH G. SAUNDERS known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing Assignment, and acknowledged that he/she executed the same as his/her free act and deed for the purposes therein contained.

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