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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, I, Thomas J. Karol, a citizen of the United States, whose post office address is 33 Harborview Avenue, Norwalk, Connecticut 06854, have filed U.S. Application Serial No. 09/151,362 for Letters Patent on September 10, 1998 entitled "AMINE-FUNCTIONALIZED POLYMERS" and

WHEREAS, R.T. Vanderbilt Co., Inc., a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Connecticut, and having an office for the transaction of business at 30 Winfield Street, Norwalk, Connecticut 06856, is desirous of acquiring Thomas J. Karol's entire right, title and interest in and to said improvements to U.S. Application Serial No. 09/151,362 therefor, and any Letters Patent which may be obtained therefor;

NOW, THEREFORE, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN, BE IT KNOWN, that I, the said for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00), lawful money of the United States, to me in hand paid by said R.T. Vanderbilt Co., Inc. and other valuable considerations unto me moving from said R.T. Vanderbilt Co., Inc. at or before the ensealing and delivery of these presents, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, have sold, assigned, transferred and conveyed and by these presents do sell, assign, transfer and convey, unto said R.T. Vanderbilt Co. Inc., its successors and assigns, my entire right, title and interest in and to U.S. Application Serial No. 09/151,362, and any and all improvements thereon, and in and to said application and any division, continuation or continuation-in-part thereof, and in and to any Letters Patent of the United States which may be issued on any of said applications, and any reissues thereof, and in and to any and all applications for Letters Patent filed in foreign countries for said invention or improvements including all priority rights, and any and all Letters Patent which may be granted in foreign countries therefor, TO HAVE AND TO HOLD THE SAME to the full end of the term or terms for which any and all said Letters Patent may be granted;

AND I, the said Thomas J. Karol do hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue the said Letters Patent of the United States to said R.T. Vanderbilt Co., Inc. as the assignee of my entire right, title and interest in and to the same, for the sole use and benefit of said R.T. Vanderbilt Co., nc. its successors and assigns;

AND I, the said Thomas J. Karol for the considerations aforesaid, do hereby covenant and agree to and with said R.T. Vanderbilt Co., Inc. its successors and assigns, that I have the full power to make this assignment, and that the rights assigned are not encumbered by any grant, license or right heretofore given, and that I, my executor or administrator, shall and will do all lawful acts and things and make, execute and deliver without further compensation, any and all other instruments in writing, further applications, papers, affidavits, powers of attorney, assignments, and other cocuments

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, the said Thomas J. Karol have hereumo set my hand and seal on the date below written.

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COUNTY OF FAIRFIELD)

BE IT KNOWN, that on this 3x day of November, 1998, before me personally came Thomas J. Karol to me known and known to me to be the person mentioned in and who executed the foregoing assignment, and he acknowledged to me that he executed the same as his free act and deed for the use and purposes therein mentioned.

K Suls Notary Public

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