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Moorman Manufacturing Company

Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? YES X NO

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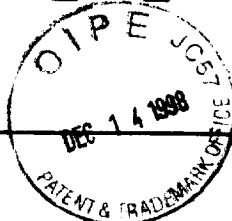
Archer-Daniel-Midland Company

Box 1470

Decatur, Illinois 62525

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X NO

3. Nature of conveyance:

☒ Assignment☐ Merger☐ Security Agreement☐ Change of Name☐ Other _____Execution Date: November 30, 1998

4. Application number(s) or patent number(s).

If this document is being filed together with a new application, the execution date of this application is:

A. Patent Application No(s)

Serial No. 08/991,468

B. Patent No(s)

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5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:

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Fred S. Lockwood

Name of Person Signing

Signature

December 10, 1998

Date

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Our Case No.

PATENT
REEL: 9652 FRAME: 0025

ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Moorman Manufacturing Company, a corporation of Illinois having a place of business in Decatur, Illinois (hereinafter referred to as "Assignor") is the owner by an assignment recorded in the United States Patent Office on December 16, 1997 at Reel/Frame: 9009/0833 of application Serial No. 08/991,468 filed December 16, 1997, and the invention disclosed and claimed therein; and

WHEREAS, Archer-Daniel-Midland Company, a Delaware corporation, of Decatur, Illinois (hereinafter referred to as "Assignee") is desirous of acquiring all the entire right, title and interest in and to said application and invention acquired by Assignor by virtue of said assignment:

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of ten dollars (\$10) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, Assignor, by these presents does hereby sell, assign, convey and transfer unto said Assignee, all of its entire right, title and interest in and to said application and invention; the same to be held and enjoyed by the said Assignee, for its own use and behoof, and for its successors and assigns, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by Assignor had this assignment not been made

MOORMAN MANUFACTURING COMPANY

Date: November 30, 1998

By: _____


David O. Smith

Vice President & Secretary

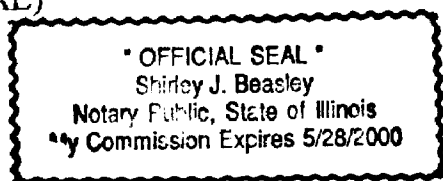
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COUNTY OF MACON

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I, Shirley J. Beasley, a Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid, do hereby certify that David J. Smith, personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, appeared before me this date in person and acknowledged that he signed, sealed and delivered the said instrument as his free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

(SEAL)



Shirley J. Beasley
Notary Public