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UNITED STATES
PATENT ASSIGNMENT

-between-

**QUEENSLAND METALS
CORPORATION LIMITED**

-and-

**ORICA AUSTRALIA
PTY. LTD.**

ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, We, QUEENSLAND METALS CORPORATION LIMITED, an Australian company, of Level 6, 9 Sherwood Road, Toowong, Queensland, 4066, Australia, (hereinafter generally referred to as "ASSIGNOR")

is the Assignee of a half-share of the right, title and interest in the invention entitled "PEROXIDE BLEACHING OF PULP", the subject of Patent Application filed on December 12, 1997, corresponding to International Application No. PCT/AU96/00354

AND WHEREAS, ORICA AUSTRALIA PTY. LTD., an Australian company, of 1 Nicholson Street, Melbourne, Victoria, 3000, Australia, formerly known as ICI AUSTRALIA OPERATIONS PTY. LTD., changed its name to ORICA AUSTRALIA PTY. LTD. on February 2, 1998 and a certified copy of the Certificate of Incorporation on Change of Name is *attached* herewith as Schedule 1

AND WHEREAS ORICA AUSTRALIA PTY. LTD. (hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNEE") desires to acquire all the ASSIGNOR's entire right, title and interest in and to the said invention with respect to the United States of America, its territories and possessions

NOW THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNOR hereby acknowledges that it has sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents does hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over, unto ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, its entire right, title and interest in the United States of America, and its territories and possessions in, to and under said invention, and any Patent Applications in the United States of America and all divisions, renewals and continuations thereof, and all Patents of the United States of America which may be granted thereon and all reissues and extensions thereof, and all rights of priority under International Conventions; and ASSIGNOR hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents of the United States of America to issue all Patents for said invention to ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this instrument.

AND ASSIGNOR HEREBY covenants and agrees that it will communicate to Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, any facts known to it respecting said invention, and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuing and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths and generally do everything possible to aid Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for said invention in the United States of America.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, the ASSIGNOR intending to be legally bound has hereunto affixed its signature.

This 27th day of March 1998.

QUEENSLAND METALS CORPORATION LIMITED

by 
Name: _____
Title: _____

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