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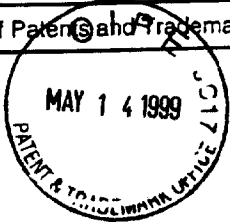
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Robert Marcel De Wilde;
Pascal Yves Duro

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PRAXAIR TECHNOLOGY, INC.
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United States of America

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**ASSIGNMENT OF INVENTION, PRIORITY RIGHTS
AND RIGHTS TO APPLY FOR PATENTS**

We, the undersigned, ROBERT MARCEL DE WILDE, Engineer and citizen
of Belgium, residing at Grote Heimeelinkstraat 138, Sint Niklaas
9100, Belgium; and PASCAL YVES DURO, Engineer and citizen of
France, residing at Route des Bouleaux, 14, Grandchamp 78113,
France

HEREBY STATE UNDER OATH that we are the original, first and true inventors of an
invention for METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR INERTING POLYMERIC FILM
PRODUCING MACHINES

as described and/or claimed in our application for Letters Patent in the United States of America,
executed on the 21st day of April, 1999, (Docket No. D-20,705).

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of our employment by Praxair, Inc., manufacturers, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, United States of America and having an office at 39 Old Ridgebury Road, Danbury, Connecticut 06810-5113, United States of America, and in fulfillment of our pre-existing obligation of assignment to my employer,

WE DO HEREBY ASSIGN, TRANSFER AND SELL our entire right, title, and interest in and to said invention and application unto

PRAXAIR TECHNOLOGY, INC.

technology licensors, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, United States of America, its successors and nominees, having an office at 39 Old Ridgebury Road, Danbury, Connecticut 06810, United States of America and being a wholly owned subsidiary of the said Praxair, Inc., as the Assignee, without any restrictions, reservations or limitations, the entire right, title and interest in and to the aforesaid application for Letters Patent and all patents which may be granted thereon, and all divisions, continuations, continuations-in-part, reissues and extensions thereof;

INCLUDING ALL RIGHTS in and to said invention in any country of the world, including, but not limited to, all priority rights derived from the aforesaid application for Letters Patent by virtue of the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property and for any and all member countries of the aforesaid International Convention;

AND FURTHER INCLUDING THE SOLE RIGHT to file such applications under the Patent Laws of any country of the world in its name and/or ours, and the sole right to have patents granted on said applications in its name and/or ours to the full end of the term for which said patents may be granted as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by us had this assignment not been made, and to enforce said patents with our right to sue in any court of competent jurisdiction and obtain all remedies available, including but not limited to injunctions and to recover lost profits or compensatory and enhanced damages and attorneys fee for any and all infringements thereof;

AND AUTHORIZE our attorney, to insert below in this instrument the serial number and filing date of said application;

AND AUTHORIZE AND REQUEST the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue all patents on said invention resulting therefrom to said PRAXAIR TECHNOLOGY, INC. as Assignee of the entire right, title and interest, and covenant that we have the full right so to do, and agree that we will communicate to said PRAXAIR TECHNOLOGY, INC. or its representatives any facts known to us respecting said invention and testify in legal proceedings, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuing, continuation-in-part, extensions and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths and generally do everything possible to aid said PRAXAIR TECHNOLOGY, INC., its successors, assigns, or nominees, to obtain and enforce proper protection for said invention in all countries.

SIGNED AND SEALED at _____ this 28th

day of April, 19 99 .

WITNESSES:

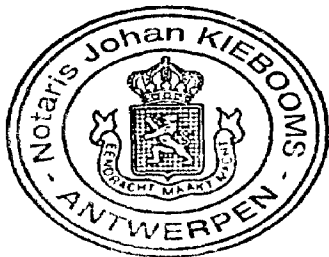
- 1. PHIL VAN DER VOORST
- 2. PIERRE HERMANS

De Wilde Robert Marcel
ROBERT MARCEL DE WILDE

State of _____)
County of _____) ss.:

This 28th day of APRIL, 1999, before me personally came the above-named Robert Marcel De Wilde to me personally known as the individual who executed the foregoing assignment, who has acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same of his/her own free will for the purposes therein set forth.

(Seal)



Notary Public

SIGNED AND SEALED at _____ this 28th _____

day of April, 19 99 .

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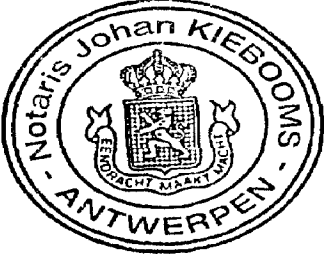
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PAUL VAN DER VOEST

DURO Pascal Yves
PASCAL YVES DURO

2. [Signature]
JERRE HEMMANS

State of _____)
County of _____) ss:

This 28th day of APRIL, 1999, before me personally came the above-named Pascal Yves Duro to me personally known as the individual who executed the foregoing assignment, who has acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same of his/her own free will for the purposes therein set forth.



(Seal)

Notary Public
[Signature]

SIGNED AND SEALED at _____ this _____ day of _____, 19 _____ .

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This _____ day of _____, 19 _____, before me personally came the above-named _____ to me personally known as the individual who executed the foregoing assignment, who has acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same of his/her own free will for the purposes therein set forth.

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ACCEPTANCE

WE, the undersigned, PRAXAIR TECHNOLOGY, INC. of 39 Old Ridgebury Road, Danbury, Connecticut 06810 United States of America, do hereby declare that we have accepted the foregoing assignment.

Danbury, Connecticut, U.S.A. May 12, 1999

(Seal)

PRAXAIR TECHNOLOGY, INC.

Joanne Marotta
Witness:

By: Joann M. Jelisa
Joann M. Jelisa
Authorized Agent

Vickaria E. Medina
Witness:

The application identified above as Docket No. D- 20,705 was filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on February 16, 1999 and was given Serial Number 09/250,266.

This insertion was made by me this 12th day of May, 1999

Bruce Lee
Attorney For Applicants