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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, WE, Corinne Lesens, Christian Dufort, Andrea M.A. Pfeifer and Florence Rochat, ASSIGNORS, citizens of France, France, Germany and Switzerland, residing at 6, rue du Docteur Roux, F-59260 Hellemnes, France; 38, rue George Guillemeau, F-60000 Beauvais, France; Rte de Fenil 16A, CH-1806 St.Legier, Germany and Quartier des Tilleuls 6, CH-1820 Montreux, Switzerland, respectively, are the inventors of the invention in

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for which we have executed an application for a Patent of the United States

- which is executed on even date herewith or _____ (date)
- which is identified by Pennie & Edmonds LLP docket no. 8265-236
- which was filed on _____, Serial No.

and WHEREAS, NESTEC, S.A., ASSIGNEE having a place of business at 55 Nestlé Avenue, CH-1800 Vevey, Switzerland, is desirous of obtaining the entire right, title and interest in, to and under the said invention and the said application:


NOW, THEREFORE, in good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we, the said ASSIGNORS, have sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over, unto the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in, to and under the said invention, and the said United States application and all divisions, renewals and continuations thereof, and all Patents of the United States which may be granted thereon and all reissues and extensions thereof;


AND WE HEREBY authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States, whose duty it is to issue patents or other evidence or forms of industrial property protection on applications as aforesaid, to issue the same to the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this instrument.

AND WE HEREBY covenant and agree that we have full right to convey the entire interest herein assigned, and that we have not executed, and will not execute, any agreement in conflict herewith.

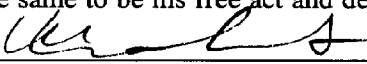
AND WE HEREBY further covenant and agree that we will communicate to the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, any facts known to us respecting said invention, and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuing, and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths, and generally do everything possible to aid the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper protection for said invention in all countries.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We hereunto set our hands and seals the day and year set opposite our respective signatures.

Date 24.02.99, 1999 _____  L.S.
Corinne LESENS

On this _____ day of _____, 1999, before me, a witness, personally appeared, Corinne Lesens to me known and known to me to be the person of that name, who signed and sealed the foregoing instrument, and he acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed.
_____  Witness.

Date 26.02.99, 1999 _____  L.S.
Christian DUFORT

On this _____ day of _____, 1999, before me, a witness, personally appeared, Christian Dufort to me known and known to me to be the person of that name, who signed and sealed the foregoing instrument, and he acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed.
_____  Witness.

Date 10.3.99, 1999 | *A. Pfeifer* L.S.
Andrea M.A. PFEIFER

On this 12th day of March, 1999, before me, a witness, personally appeared,
Andrea M.A. Pfeifer to me known and known to me to be the person of that name, who
signed and sealed the foregoing instrument, and he acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed.

I. Renold,
Witness.

Date 02.03, 1999 | *F. Rochat* L.S.
Florence ROCHAT

On this 2nd day of March, 1999, before me, a witness, personally appeared,
Florence Rochat to me known and known to me to be the person of that name, who
signed and sealed the foregoing instrument, and he acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed.

F. Rochat,
Witness.