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PERFORMANCE WITH VISCO-ELASTIC FLUIDS

Assignment - Joint Inventors

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Sir:

WHEREAS Connie Lynn Hetzler residing at 20 Boulder Ridge Crossing, Sparta, New Jersey 07871 and Nancy Donaldson Kollin residing at 315 Woodchuck Court, Roswell, Georgia 30076 and Crystal Sutphin Leach residing at 2214 Peachtree Road, #B-5, Atlanta, Georgia 30309 and Jack Nelson Lindon residing at 14810 East Bluff Road, Alpharetta, Georgia 30201 and Lawrence Howell Sawyer residing at 117 Ashbrooke Place, Neenah, Wisconsin 54956 and Heather Anne Sorebo residing at 2922 Glen Park Drive, Appleton, Wisconsin 54914 and Garry Roland Woltman residing at W6713 Greenridge Drive, Greenville, Wisconsin 54942 (hereinafter collectively referred to as Assignors), have made an invention and have each either (1) previously executed an application for Letters Patent of the United States of America therefor or (2) are contemporaneously executing an application for Letters Patent of the United States of America for the invention which is entitled:

STABILIZED ABSORBENT MATERIAL FOR IMPROVED DISTRIBUTION PERFORMANCE WITH VISCO-ELASTIC FLUIDS

AND WHEREAS Kimberly-Clark Worldwide, Inc. a corporation of the State of Delaware, having offices at 401 North Lake Street, Neenah, Wisconsin 54956, United States of America, (hereinafter referred to as Assignee), is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and under said Letters Patent or similar legal protection to be obtained therefor in the United States and in any and all foreign countries.

NOW, THEREFORE, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Be it known that in consideration of the payment by the Assignee to the Assignors of the sum of One U.S. Dollar (\$1.00 U.S.) and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, the Assignors hereby sell, assign and transfer to the Assignees the full and exclusive right, title and interest to said invention and in and to any and all Letters Patent or similar legal protection in the United States and its territorial possessions and in any and all foreign countries to be obtained for said invention by said application or any continuation, continuation-in-part, divisional, renewal, substitute, re-examination, conversion or reissue thereof, including all extensions thereof, or any legal equivalent thereof in any foreign country for the full term or terms for which the same may be granted, including any and all convention rights.

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The Assignors further covenant that the Assignors will promptly provide, upon written request, Assignee with all pertinent facts and documents relating to said application, said invention and said Letters Patent and legal equivalents in foreign countries as may be known and accessible to the Assignors and that they will promptly execute and deliver to Assignee or its legal representatives any and all papers, instruments or affidavits required to apply for, obtain, maintain, issue, extend and enforce said application, said invention and said Letters Patent and said equivalents thereof in any foreign country which may be necessary or desirable to carry out the purposes thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Assignors have executed this document on the date indicated below:

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