
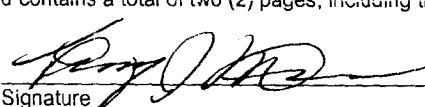
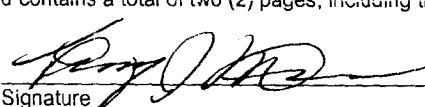
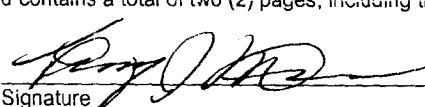


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WHEREAS, MILLIKEN & COMPANY, a Delaware Corporation of Spartanburg, South Carolina hereinafter referred to as "Assignee", is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest to said invention;

NOW THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, which is hereby acknowledged, MILLIKEN RESEARCH CORPORATION, by these presents does sell, assign and transfer unto said MILLIKEN & COMPANY the entire right, title and interest in and to the said invention, including any patent application, division, renewals and continuation thereof, and any letters patent which may be granted thereon, and all reissues and extensions thereof; the same to be held and enjoyed by the said Assignee for its own use and that of its representatives and assigns.

Executed this 11th day of February 2000, at Spartanburg, South Carolina.

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