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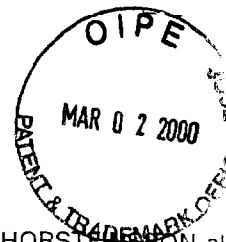
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(b) X To comply with 37 CFR 3.21 for recordal of this assignment, I/WE as ASSIGNOR(S) signing below, hereby authorize and request my/our attorney, as named in the Declaration and Power of Attorney to insert below the filing date and application number when it becomes known.

U.S. application Serial No. 29/116562 filed on 5 JANUARY 2000

(c) _____ International Application No. PCT/ _____

AND WHEREAS, **UNILEVER HOME & PERSONAL CARE USA, DIVISION OF CONOPCO INC**, a corporation of **NEW YORK**, having a principal place of business at **33 BENEDICT PLACE, GREENWICH, CONNECTICUT 06830** desires to acquire the entire right title and interest in and to the aforesaid invention, and to said United States application or any reissues, divisions, continuation, or continuation-in-part thereof, and in any Letters Patent which may issue therefrom;

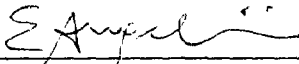
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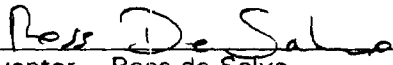
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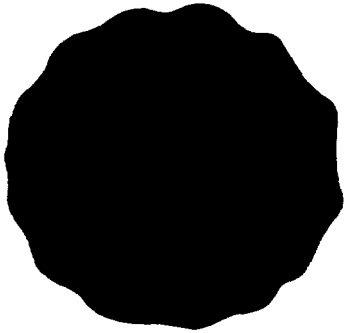
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