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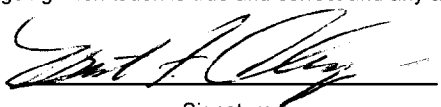


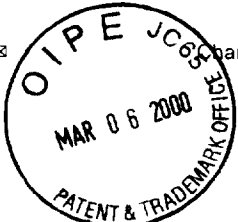
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<p>3. Nature of conveyance:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Assignment <input type="checkbox"/> Merger</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Security Agreement <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Change of Name</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Other</p> <p>Execution Date: <u>June 3, 1998</u></p>	<p>Street Address: <u>Oak House, Reeds Crescent, Watford</u></p> <p>City: <u>Hertfordshire WD1 1QM, United Kingdom</u></p> <p>State: _____ Zip Code: _____</p> <p>Additional name(s) & Address(es) attached? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</p>
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The Registrar of Companies for England and Wales hereby certifies that

RHODIA LIMITED

formerly called **RHONE-POULENC CHEMICALS LIMITED**

which name was changed by special resolution was incorporated under the
Companies Acts 1908 to 1917

as a limited company on the 6th May 1926 and that the certificate of
incorporation altered to meet the circumstances of the case was issued on
the 31st December 1997

Given at Companies House, Cardiff, the 3rd June 1998

J. Mayor
MRS. J. M. MAYOR
for the Registrar of Companies

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