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1. Name of conveying party(ies):

Yves Duccini, Barry Weinstein, Andrea Keenan,
Jan Shulman, Francois Gauthier, Norsohaas, S.A.,
Rohm and Haas France, S.A.

Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? ☐ Yes ☒ No

3. Nature of conveyance:

☒ Assignment ☐ Change of Name
☐ Security Agreement ☐ Merger
☐ Other _____

Execution Dates: 5/20/97(Duccini), 5/22/97(Weinstein,
Keenan, Shulman), 5/28/97(Gauthier, Norsohaas), 5/30/97
(Rohm and Haas France)

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies):

Name: **ROHM AND HAAS COMPANY**Internal Address: **Patent Department**Street Address: **100 Independence Mall West**City: **Philadelphia** State: **PA** Zip: **19106-2399**Additional name(s) and address(es) attached? ☐ Yes ☒ No

4. Application number(s) or patent number(s):

If this document is being filed together with a new application, the execution date of the application is: _____

A. Patent Application No.(s)

Serial No. 09/071,025 filed May 1, 1998

B. Patent No.(s)

Additional numbers attached? ☐ Yes ☒ No

5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:

Name: **Thomas J. Howell**Internal Address: **ROHM AND HAAS COMPANY****Patent Department, 7th Floor**Street Address: **100 Independence Mall West**City: **Philadelphia** State: **PA** Zip: **19106-2399**6. Total no. of applications and patents involved: ☐ 17. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41): **\$40.00**☐ Enclosed☒ Authorized to be charged to deposit account

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Marc S. Adler

Attorney (or Agent) Name

Registration No. 29,764Marc S. Adler
SignatureJune 1, 2000
Date

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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Yves DUCCINI, of 45 RUE DU CAURROY, 6000 BEAUVAIS, France, (hereafter "Assignor") invented certain new and useful improvements in SCALE INHIBITORS, (hereafter "INVENTION") for which on the date below an application for Letters Patent in France was filed;

WHEREAS, at the time the INVENTION was made, all right, title and interest in Assignor's INVENTION was assigned to ROHM AND HAAS FRANCE, S.A., a company organized and existing under the laws of France, and having its principal place of business at 185, rue de Bercy, 75579 Paris, Cedex 12, France, by virtue of Assignor's employment with ROHM AND HAAS FRANCE, S.A.; and whereas ROHM AND HAAS FRANCE, S.A., wants to formalize the assignment and its ownership of the entire interest in the INVENTION and in any and all applications for patent thereon and in any and all Letters Patent which may be granted thereon;

NOW, THEREFORE, for valuable consideration received by Assignor, receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignor has assigned and by this Assignment does assign to ROHM AND HAAS FRANCE, S.A., for all countries, the entire right, title, and interest in and to the INVENTION including the right to apply for patents, and to claim International Convention priority, in all such countries; Assignor further agrees without further consideration to testify in any proceedings, to execute all papers, execute all divisional, continuing, reissue and foreign applications, and make all rightful oaths and declarations relating to the INVENTION, requested by the ROHM AND HAAS FRANCE, S.A. or its successors and assigns; and Assignor does hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States of America and the corresponding official in any foreign country to issue any Letters Patent which may be granted in the United States or foreign country, respectively, to ROHM AND HAAS FRANCE, S.A. or its successors or assigns, for its sole use and benefit and for its successors and assigns, to the full end of the term for which said Letters Patent may be granted.

The said application for Letters Patent in France was filed on 9 MAY 1997 and bears the application number 97 05739

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, Assignor intending to be legally bound has hereunto affixed his signature.

20/05/97

Date

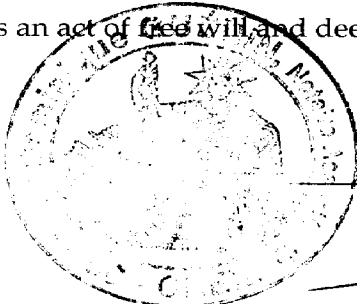
Yves Puccini

(SEAL)

COUNTRY OF FRANCE

_____ personally appeared before me and acknowledged to me that the execution of the foregoing instrument is an act of free will and deed of this 30 day of MAY, 1997.

[SEAL]



Notary Public

ROHM AND HAAS FRANCE, S.A.

On behalf of Rohm and Haas France, S.A., I hereby accept assignment of the above identified INVENTION.

4/6/97

Date

Vu et approuvé par le matériel de la
H. Herve M. Bellego
conté.

[Signature]

**ROHM AND HAAS
FRANCE S.A.
LA TOUR DE LYON
185, RUE DE BERCY
75012 PARIS CEDEX 12**

(Full Signature)

COUNTRY OF FRANCE

NAME: HERVE M. BELLEGO

TITLE: GENERAL MANAGER

_____ personally appeared before me and acknowledged to me that the execution of the foregoing instrument is an act of free will and deed of this ____ day of _____, 1997.

[SEAL]

Notary Public

ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Barry WEINSTEIN, of 419 Bluebird Lane, Dresher, Pennsylvania 19025, United States of America, (hereafter "Assignor") invented certain new and useful improvements in SCALE INHIBITORS, (hereafter "INVENTION") for which on the date below an application for Letters Patent in France was filed;

WHEREAS, at the time the INVENTION was made, it was agreed between the Assignor and the Assignee that all right, title and interest in Assignor's INVENTION was assigned to ROHM AND HAAS FRANCE, S.A., a company organized and existing under the laws of France, and having its principal place of business at 185, rue de Bercy, 75579 Paris, Cedex 12, France; and whereas ROHM AND HAAS FRANCE, S.A., wants to formalize the assignment and its ownership of the entire interest in the INVENTION and in any and all applications for patent thereon and in any and all Letters Patent which may be granted thereon;

NOW, THEREFORE, for valuable consideration received by Assignor, receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignor has assigned and by this Assignment does assign to ROHM AND HAAS FRANCE, S.A., for all countries, the entire right, title, and interest in and to the INVENTION including the right to apply for patents, and to claim International Convention priority, in all such countries; Assignor further agrees without further consideration to testify in any proceedings, to execute all papers, execute all divisional, continuing, reissue and foreign applications, and make all rightful oaths and declarations relating to the INVENTION, requested by the ROHM AND HAAS FRANCE, S.A. or its successors and assigns; and Assignor does hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States of America and the corresponding official in any foreign country to issue any Letters Patent which may be granted in the United States or foreign country, respectively, to ROHM AND HAAS FRANCE, S.A. or its successors or assigns, for its sole use and benefit and for its successors and assigns, to the full end of the term for which said Letters Patent may be granted.

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, Assignor intending to be legally bound has hereunto affixed his signature.

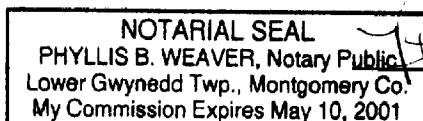
May 22, 1997
Date

Barry Weinstein (SEAL)
Barry Weinstein

COUNTRY OF UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Barry Weinstein personally appeared before me and acknowledged to me that the execution of the foregoing instrument is an act of free will and deed of this 22 day of May, 1997.

[SEAL]



Phyllis B. Weaver
Notary Public

ROHM AND HAAS FRANCE, S.A.

On behalf of Rohm and Haas France, S.A., I hereby accept assignment of the above identified

INVENTION.

30/5/97

Date

Vu pour certification matérielle de la
signature de M. Herve M. BELLEGO
apposée ci-contre

(Full Signature)

**ROHM AND HAAS
FRANCE S.A.**
LA TOUR DE LYON
185, RUE DE BERCY
75579 PARIS CEDEX 12

COUNTRY OF FRANCE

NAME: HERVE M. BELLEGO

TITLE: GENERAL MANAGER

_____ personally appeared before me and acknowledged to me that the execution of the foregoing instrument is an act of free will and deed of this ____ day of _____, 1997.

[SEAL]

Notary Public

ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Andrea KEENAN, of 4027 Schoolhouse Lane, Plymouth Meeting, Pennsylvania 19462, United States of America, (hereafter "Assignor") invented certain new and useful improvements in SCALE INHIBITORS, (hereafter "INVENTION") for which on the date below an application for Letters Patent in France was filed;

WHEREAS, at the time the INVENTION was made, it was agreed between the Assignor and the Assignee that all right, title and interest in Assignor's INVENTION was assigned to ROHM AND HAAS FRANCE, S.A., a company organized and existing under the laws of France, and having its principal place of business at 185, rue de Bercy, 75579 Paris, Cedex 12, France; and whereas ROHM AND HAAS FRANCE, S.A., wants to formalize the assignment and its ownership of the entire interest in the INVENTION and in any and all applications for patent thereon and in any and all Letters Patent which may be granted thereon;

NOW, THEREFORE, for valuable consideration received by Assignor, receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignor has assigned and by this Assignment does assign to ROHM AND HAAS FRANCE, S.A., for all countries, the entire right, title, and interest in and to the INVENTION including the right to apply for patents, and to claim International Convention priority, in all such countries; Assignor further agrees without further consideration to testify in any proceedings, to execute all papers, execute all divisional, continuing, reissue and foreign applications, and make all rightful oaths and declarations relating to the INVENTION, requested by the ROHM AND HAAS FRANCE, S.A. or its successors and assigns; and Assignor does hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States of America and the corresponding official in any foreign country to issue any Letters Patent which may be granted in the United States or foreign country, respectively, to ROHM AND HAAS FRANCE, S.A. or its successors or assigns, for its sole use and benefit and for its successors and assigns, to the full end of the term for which said Letters Patent may be granted.

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May 22, 1997

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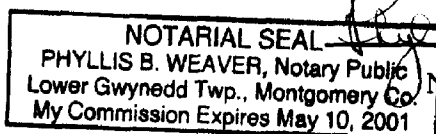
Andrea Keenan (SEAL)

Andrea Keenan

COUNTRY OF UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Andrea Keenan personally appeared before me and acknowledged to me that the execution of the foregoing instrument is an act of free will and deed of this 22 day of May 1997.

[SEAL]



Phyllis B. Weaver
Notary Public

ROHM AND HAAS FRANCE, S.A.

On behalf of Rohm and Haas France, S.A., I hereby accept assignment of the above-identified

**ROHM AND HAAS
FRANCE S.A.
LA TOUR (SEAL)**

INVENTION.

30/5/97

Date

Vu pour certification matérielle de la
signature de Herve M. Bellego
apposée ci- contre.

Herve M. Bellego
(Full Signature)
185, RUE DE BERCY
75579 PARIS CEDEX 12

COUNTRY OF FRANCE

NAME: HERVE M. BELLEGO

TITLE: GENERAL MANAGER

_____ personally appeared before me and acknowledged to me that the execution of the foregoing instrument is an act of free will and deed of this _____ day of _____, 1997.

[SEAL]

A large, stylized handwritten signature of the Notary Public.

Notary Public

ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Jan SHULMAN, of 8 Hibiscus Place, Newtown, Pennsylvania 18940, United States of America, (hereafter "Assignor") invented certain new and useful improvements in SCALE INHIBITORS, (hereafter "INVENTION") for which on the date below an application for Letters Patent in France was filed;

WHEREAS, at the time the INVENTION was made, it was agreed between the Assignor and the Assignee that all right, title and interest in Assignor's INVENTION was assigned to ROHM AND HAAS FRANCE, S.A., a company organized and existing under the laws of France, and having its principal place of business at 185, rue de Bercy, 75579 Paris, Cedex 12, France; and whereas ROHM AND HAAS FRANCE, S.A., wants to formalize the assignment and its ownership of the entire interest in the INVENTION and in any and all applications for patent thereon and in any and all Letters Patent which may be granted thereon;

NOW, THEREFORE, for valuable consideration received by Assignor, receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignor has assigned and by this Assignment does assign to ROHM AND HAAS FRANCE, S.A., for all countries, the entire right, title, and interest in and to the INVENTION including the right to apply for patents, and to claim International Convention priority, in all such countries; Assignor further agrees without further consideration to testify in any proceedings, to execute all papers, execute all divisional, continuing, reissue and foreign applications, and make all rightful oaths and declarations relating to the INVENTION, requested by the ROHM AND HAAS FRANCE, S.A. or its successors and assigns; and Assignor does hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States of America and the corresponding official in any foreign country to issue any Letters Patent which may be granted in the United States or foreign country, respectively, to ROHM AND HAAS FRANCE, S.A. or its successors or assigns, for its sole use and benefit and for its successors and assigns, to the full end of the term for which said Letters Patent may be granted.

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, Assignor intending to be legally bound has hereunto affixed his signature.

May 22, 1997

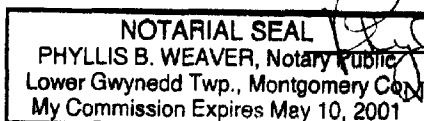
Date

Jan Shulman (SEAL)
Jan Shulman

COUNTRY OF UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

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[SEAL]



Phyllis B. Weaver
Notary Public

ROHM AND HAAS FRANCE, S.A.

On behalf of Rohm and Haas France, S.A., I hereby accept assignment of the above-identified

INVENTION.

30/5/97

Date

Vu pour certification matérielle de la
signature de Herve M. BELLEGO
apposée ci- contre

ROHM AND HAAS
FRANCE S.A. (SEAL)
LA TOUR DE LYON
(Full Signature) RUE DE BERCY
75579 PARIS CEDEX 12

COUNTRY OF FRANCE

NAME: HERVE M. BELLEGO

TITLE: GENERAL MANAGER

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[SEAL]

Notary Public

ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Francois GAUTHIER, of 8 allée de la source, 60550 Verneuil en Halatte, France, (hereafter "Assignor") invented certain new and useful improvements in SCALE INHIBITORS, (hereafter "INVENTION") for which on the date below an application for Letters Patent in France was filed;

WHEREAS, at the time the INVENTION was made, all right, title and interest in Assignor's INVENTION was assigned to NORSOHAAS, S.A., a company organized and existing under the laws of France, and having its principal place of business at 10 Av. de Bergoide, F60550 Verneuil en Halatte, France, by virtue of Assignor's employment with NORSOHAAS, S.A.; and whereas NORSOHAAS, S.A., wants to formalize the assignment and its ownership of the entire interest in the INVENTION and in any and all applications for patent thereon and in any and all Letters Patent which may be granted thereon;

NOW, THEREFORE, for valuable consideration received by Assignor, receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignor has assigned and by this Assignment does assign to NORSOHAAS, S.A., for all countries, the entire right, title, and interest in and to the INVENTION including the right to apply for patents, and to claim International Convention priority, in all such countries; Assignor further agrees without further consideration to testify in any proceedings, to execute all papers, execute all divisional, continuing, reissue and foreign applications, and make all rightful oaths and declarations relating to the INVENTION, requested by the NORSOHAAS, S.A. or its successors and assigns; and Assignor does hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States of America and the corresponding official in any foreign country to issue any Letters Patent which may be granted in the United States or foreign country, respectively, to NORSOHAAS, S.A. or its successors or assigns, for its sole use and benefit and for its successors and assigns, to the full end of the term for which said Letters Patent may be granted.

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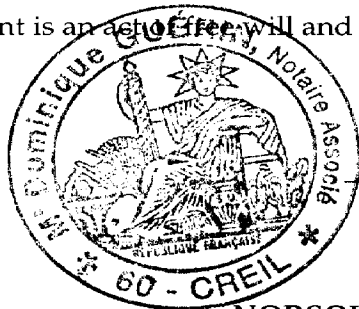
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Date

[Signature] (SEAL)
Francis GAUTHIER

COUNTRY OF FRANCE

_____ personally appeared before me and acknowledged to me that the execution of the foregoing instrument is an act of free will and deed of this 28 day of May, 1997.

[SEAL]



[Signature]
Notary Public

NORSOHAAS, S.A.

On behalf of Norsohaas, S.A., I hereby accept assignment of the above-identified INVENTION.

28/05/97
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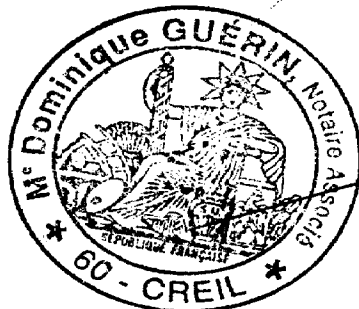
[Signature] (SEAL)
(Full Signature)
NORSOHAAS S.A.
PARC TECHNOLOGIQUE ALATA
B.P. 4
60550 VERNEUIL EN HALATTE
FRANCE
N° SIRET 351 276 852 00016

COUNTRY OF FRANCE

NAME: P. VULLIEZ-SERMET
TITLE: General Manager.

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Notary Public

ASSIGNMENT

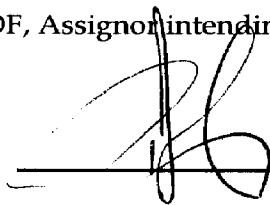
WHEREAS, NORSOHAAS, S.A., a company organized and existing under the laws of France and having its principal place of business at 10 Av. de Bergoide, F60550 Verneuil en Halatte, France, (hereafter "Assignor"), is the part owner of certain new and useful improvements in SCALE INHIBITORS (hereinafter "INVENTION") for which French Patent Application No. 97-05739 was filed on 9 MAY 1997 .

WHEREAS, Assignor now wishes to assign its entire right, title and interest in the INVENTION to ROHM AND HAAS FRANCE S.A., acompany organized and existing under the laws of France, and having its principal place of business at 185 rue de Bercy, 75579 Paris, Cedex 12, France, which wants to formalize the assignment and its ownership of the entire interest in the INVENTION and in any and all applications for patent thereon and in any and all Letters Patent which may be granted thereon;

NOW, THEREFORE, for valuable consideration received by Assignor, receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignor has assigned and by this Assignment does assign to ROHM AND HAAS FRANCE S.A., for all foreign countries, its entire right, title, and interest in and to the INVENTION including the right to apply for patents, and to claim International Convention priority, in all such countries; Assignor further agrees without further consideration to testify in any proceedings, to execute all papers, execute all divisional, continuing, reissue and foreign applications, and make all rightful oaths and declarations relating to the INVENTION, requested by the ROHM AND HAAS FRANCE S.A. and Assignor does hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States of America and the corresponding official in any foreign country to issue any Letters Patent which may be granted in the United States or foreign country, respectively, to ROHM AND HAAS FRANCE S.A. for its sole use and benefit and for its successors and assigns, to the full end of the term for which said Letters Patent may be granted.

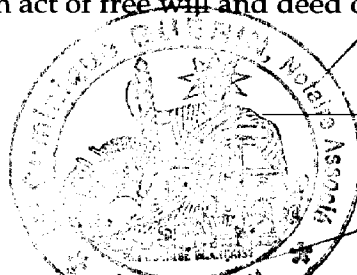
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26/05/97
Date


NORSOHAAS S.A.
PARC TECHNOLOGIQUE ALATA
B.P. 4
60550 VERNEUIL EN HALATTE
FRANCE
N° SIRET 351 276 852 00016
General Manager for NorsoHaas S.A.

COUNTRY OF FRANCE

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Notary Public

ROHM AND HAAS FRANCE S.A.

On behalf of Rohm and HaasFrance S.A., I hereby accept assignment of the above-identified INVENTION.

4/6/97
Date

Vu pour certification matérielle de la signature de Herve M. Bellego
apposée ci-contre



**ROHM AND HAAS
FRANCE S.A.**
LA (SEAH) DE LYON
185, RUE DE BERCY
75579 PARIS CEDEX 12
Herve M Bellego
General Manager

COUNTRY OF FRANCE

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[SEAL]

Notary Public

ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, ROHM AND HAAS FRANCE, S.A., a company organized and existing under the laws of France and having its principal place of business at 185, rue de Bercy, 75579 Paris, Cedex 12, France, (hereafter "Assignor"), is the part owner of certain new and useful improvements in SCALE INHIBITORS (hereinafter "INVENTION") for which French Patent Application No. 97-05739 was filed on 9 MAY 1997 .

WHEREAS, Assignor now wishes to assign its entire right, title and interest in the INVENTION to ROHM AND HAAS COMPANY, a Delaware corporation having its principal place of business at 100 Independence Mall West, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, 19106-2399, United States of America, which wants to formalize the assignment and its ownership of the entire interest in the INVENTION and in any and all applications for patent thereon and in any and all Letters Patent which may be granted thereon;

NOW, THEREFORE, for valuable consideration received by Assignor, receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignor has assigned and by this Assignment does assign to ROHM AND HAAS COMPANY, for the United States of America and for all foreign countries, its entire right, title, and interest in and to the INVENTION including the right to apply for patents, and to claim International Convention priority, in all such countries; Assignor further agrees without further consideration to testify in any proceedings, to execute all papers, execute all divisional, continuing, reissue and foreign applications, and make all rightful oaths and declarations relating to the INVENTION, requested by the ROHM AND HAAS COMPANY; and Assignor does hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States of America and the corresponding official in any foreign country to issue any Letters Patent which may be granted in the United States or foreign country, respectively, to ROHM AND HAAS COMPANY for its sole use and benefit and for its successors and assigns, to the full end of the term for which said Letters Patent may be granted.

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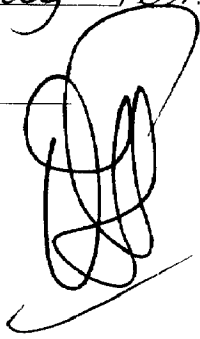
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30/5/97
Date

Herve M. Bellego **ROHM AND HAAS
FRANCE S.A.**
LA TOUR DE LYON
Herve M Bellego 185, RUE DE BERCY
75579 PARIS CEDEX 12
General Manager
Vu pour certification matérielle de la
signature de Herve M. Bellego
apposée ci-dessus

COUNTRY OF FRANCE

Herve M. Bellego personally appeared before me and acknowledged to me that the execution of the foregoing instrument is an act of free will and deed of this 30 day of May, 1997.

Notary Public 

ROHM AND HAAS COMPANY

On behalf of Rohm and Haas Company, I hereby accept assignment of the above-identified INVENTION.

June 15, 1997
Date

Marc S. Adler (SEAL)
Marc S. Adler
Chief Patent Counsel

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA :
:
COUNTY OF Philadelphia :

Marc S. Adler personally appeared before me and acknowledged to me that the execution of the foregoing instrument is an act of free will and deed of this 15th day of June, 1997.

[SEAL]

Astrid B. Mills
Notary Public

NOTARIAL SEAL
ASTRID B. MILLS, Notary Public
City of Philadelphia, Phila. County
My Commission Expires April 8, 2000