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BOX ASSIGNMENT

REQUEST FOR RECORDING AND COVER SHEET UNDER 37 C.F.R. §§ 3.28 AND 3.31

Please record the attached original document or copy thereof:

1. Name of parties conveying the interest:

Robert Snell

2. Name and address of party receiving the interest:

Ranier Limited, Fountain House, 25 City Road, Cambridge, CB1 1DP, United Kingdom

3. Description of the interest conveyed or transaction to be recorded:

☒ Assignment ☐ Other:

4. Application Number: PCT/GB98/03547

☒ Document filed together with a patent application executed on May 26, 2000

5. Address correspondence concerning this request to: VENABLE, Post Office Box 34385, Washington, D.C. 20043-9998.

6. Number of Applications, Patents or Registrations and total fee:

Patents: 1 patent rights @ \$40 Total: \$ 40.00

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7. Date of execution of document: May 26, 2000.

To the best of the knowledge and belief of the undersigned, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document.

I hereby certify that the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office has advised that the application identified herein has been assigned U.S. Patent Application No. _____

Date: May 26, 2000

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ASSIGNMENT
OF APPLICATION FOR UNITED STATES LETTERS PATENT

Attorney Docket
32406-163900

WHEREAS Robert Snell, 4 Garden Court, Rowley Drive, Newmarket CB8 0PT, United Kingdom, hereinafter collectively referred to as the assignor, has invented a certain improvement relating to RETICULATED COATINGS for which said assignor has caused an application for United States Letters Patent to be prepared,

the Assignor's declaration for said application being executed concurrently with the execution of this instrument; said application to be filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office;

said application having been filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on _____ Serial Number (if known) _____;

[X] was filed under the Patent Cooperation Treaty on November 26, 1998, as International Application No. PCT/GB98/03547, the United States of America being designated, the U.S. national stage application having been filed on May 26, 2000.

AND WHEREAS Ranier Limited, Fountain House, 25 City Road, Cambridge CB1 1DP United Kingdom, hereinafter referred to as the assignee, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said application, including any and all divisions and continuations thereof, and in and to said invention and any and all patents which may be granted therefor, including any and all renewals, reissues and prolongations thereof;

NOW WITNESSETH, that for and in consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00), and other good and valuable consideration paid by said assignor to said assignee, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, said assignor hereby assigns, sells and transfers to said assignee, and said assignee's successors and assigns, the entire and exclusive right, title and interest in and to said application, including any and all divisions and continuations thereof, and in and to said invention and any and all patents which may be granted therefor, including any and all renewals, reissues and prolongations thereof; said assignee, and said assignee's successors and assigns, to have, hold, exercise and enjoy the said application, including any all divisions and continuations thereof, and the said invention and any all patents which may be granted therefor, including any and all renewals, reissues and prolongations thereof, with all the rights, powers, privileges and advantages in anywise arising from or appertaining thereto, for and during the term or terms of any and all such patents when granted, including any and all renewals, reissues and prolongations thereof, for the use and benefit of said assignee, and said assignee's successors and assigns, in as ample and beneficial a manner as the said assignor might or could have held and enjoyed the same, if this assignment had not been made.

AND said assignor hereby agrees to perform, upon the request of said assignee, or said assignee's successors or assigns, any and all acts relating to the obtaining or to the asserting of said patents, including any and all renewals, reissues and prolongations thereof.

AND said assignor authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue Letters Patent on said application, and on any and all divisions and continuations thereof, to said assignee, and said assignee's successors and assigns, in accordance herewith.

EXECUTED, this 26th day of May, 2000.

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