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ASSIGNMENT

~~NOBEL UK LTD~~  
WHEREAS, Akzo ~~Novel Limited~~, hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNOR, a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the country of the United Kingdom and engaged in business at P.O. Box 20980, Oriel House, 16 Connaught Place, London W2 2ZB, United Kingdom is the owner of all right, title and interest in and to all inventions and improvements disclosed and claimed in the application for Letters Patent of the United States which has been prepared in connection with said invention, and which has been filed on February 9, 1999 and given Application Number 09/242,186 entitled MANUFACTURE OF EXTRUDED ARTICLES, and any and all continuations, divisions, and renewals of, and substitutes for, said application, and in and to said application, and in, to and under any and all Letters Patent which may be granted on or as a result thereof in the United States and in any and all other countries, and any reissues, reexaminations or extension of said Letters Patent, by virtue of an assignment recorded at the United States Patent Office on April 5, 1999 on Reel 9884 and Frame 0237; and

WHEREAS, Acordis Fibres (Holdings) Limited, a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the country of the United Kingdom and engaged in business at P.O. Box 5, Station Road, Spondon, Derby DE21 7BP, United Kingdom, hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to and under any and all applications for Letters Patent and any and all Letters Patent of the United States and foreign countries which may be issued therefor in any and all countries;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNOR has assigned, sold and transferred to, and does hereby assign, sell and transfer to ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns, nominees or legal representatives, the entire right, title and interest in and to all inventions and improvements disclosed and claimed in said U.S. Patent Application No. 09/242,186 and any and all continuations, divisions and renewals of, and substitutes for, said application, and in and to said application, and in, to and under any and all Letters Patent which may be granted on or as a result thereof in the United States and in any and all other countries, and any reissues, reexaminations, or extension of said Letters Patent.

And ASSIGNOR hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any and all Letters Patent of the United States to ASSIGNEE, its successors and assigns, as the owner of all right, title and interest therein.

And for said consideration, it is hereby covenanted and agreed that at the request and expense of ASSIGNEE, its successors and assigns, ASSIGNOR will execute any further papers and do such other acts and things as may be necessary and proper to procure Letters Patent for said invention in the United States and in such foreign countries as ASSIGNEE, its successors and assigns may elect, and vest the full title thereto in ASSIGNEE, its successors and assigns.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this assignment has been executed on the dates indicated below.

Date 25 May 2000



(SEAL)  
Valerie A. Pomeroy  
Akzo Nobel UK Limited

NOTARIAL CERTIFICATE

KINGDOM OF ENGLAND  
State of \_\_\_\_\_ :  
CITY OF LONDON ss.:  
County of \_\_\_\_\_ :

Before me, the undersigned, a notary public, in and for the county aforesaid, on this 25th day of May 2000, personally appeared Valerie A. Pomeroy to me known to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument and who acknowledged the execution of the same as a free act and deed and desired the same to be recorded as such.

(SEAL)

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Notary Public

(My Commission expires at death)