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WHEREAS, Paul Francis David REEVE, of 14 Les Hauts de Veyriere, 786 Chemin de la Veyriere, 06560 Valbonne, France, (hereafter "Assignor") invented certain new and useful improvements in METHOD OF INHIBITING THE FORMATION OF OIL AND WATER EMULSIONS, (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.

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| IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, Assignor intersignature.                                     | nding to be legally bound has hereunto affixed his   |
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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 METHOD OF INHIBITING THE FORMATION OF OIL AND WATER EMULSIONS (hereinafter "INVENTION") for which French Patent Application No. 98-11157 was filed on September 7, 1998.

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 formalise 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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