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**ASSIGNMENT**

IN CONSIDERATION of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) or the equivalent thereof, and other good and valuable consideration paid to Akihiko TOBISAWA,

a citizen of Japan by SUMITOMO BAKELITE COMPANY LIMITED, a corporation organized under the laws of Japan,

located at 5-8, Higashishinagawa-2-chome, Shinagawa-ku, Tokyo, Japan,

receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I, the said Akihiko TOBISAWA,

do hereby sell and assign to said SUMITOMO BAKELITE COMPANY LIMITED,

~~me~~ its successors and assigns, all my right, title and interest, in and for the United States of America, in and to "FLAME-RETARDANT RESIN COMPOSITION, AND PREPREGS AND LAMINATES USING SUCH COMPOSITION" invented by me and described in the application for United States Letters Patent therefor, executed on even date herewith, and all United States Letters Patent which may be granted therefor, and all divisions, reissues, continuations and extensions thereof, the said interest being the entire ownership of the said Letters Patent when granted, to be held and enjoyed by said SUMITOMO BAKELITE COMPANY LIMITED,

~~me~~ its Successors, assigns or other legal representatives, to the full end of the term for which said Letters Patent may be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by me if this assignment and sale had not been made;

And I hereby agree to sign and execute any further documents or instruments which may be necessary, lawful, and proper in the prosecution of said above-named application or in the preparation and prosecution of any continuing, continuation-in-part, substitute, divisional, renewal, reviewed or reissue applications or in any amendment, extension, or interference proceedings, or otherwise to secure the title thereto in said assignee;

And I do hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents to issue said Letters Patent to said SUMITOMO BAKELITE COMPANY LIMITED.

Signed this 9th day of August, ~~19~~ 2000

*Akihiko Tobisawa*

(Akihiko TOBISAWA)

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*Kazuhiko Shibata*