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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, I/we, Jose M. Sosa and Lu Ann Kelly, have invented certain new and useful improvements in the subject matter which is described and claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention, design, or discovery entitled METHOD FOR THE PREPARATION OF CORE-SHELL MORPHOLOGIES FROM POLYBUTADIENE-POLYSTYRENE GRAFT COPOLYMERS the specification of which (check one)

 is attached hereto; or
 was filed on 03/15/99
as application Serial No. 09/268,419
and was amended on _____ (if applicable);

AND WHEREAS, Fina Technology, Inc., a corporation of the State of Delaware, having its principal offices at 8350 N. Central Expressway, P. O. Box 410, Dallas, Texas 75206 (hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNEE"), is desirous of acquiring my/our entire right, title and interest in and to the invention, the application and any Letters Patent that may issue thereon;

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, I/we do hereby sell, assign and transfer unto ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns and legal representatives the full and exclusive right, title and interest in and to said invention, application and all patents which may be granted therefor, and all divisions, reissues, substitutions, continuations, continuations-in-part and extensions thereof; and I/we hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents to issue all patents for said invention, or patents resulting therefrom, insofar as my/our interests are concerned, to the ASSIGNEE of my/our entire right, title and interest.

WE HEREBY sell and assign to ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns and legal representatives the full and exclusive right, title and interest to the invention disclosed in said application throughout the world, including the right to file applications and obtain patents, utility models, industrial models and designs for said invention in its own name throughout the world including all rights of priority, all rights to publish cautionary notices reserving ownership of said invention and all rights to register said invention in appropriate registries; and I/we further agree to execute any and all powers of attorney, applications, assignments, declarations, affidavits, and any other papers in connection therewith necessary to perfect such rights, title and interest in ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns and legal representatives.

WE HEREBY FURTHER agree that I/we will communicate to ASSIGNEE, or to its successors, assigns and legal representatives, any facts known to me/us respecting any improvements; and, at the expense of ASSIGNEE, to testify in any legal proceedings, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuation, continuation-in-part, reissue and substitute applications, make all lawful oaths, and generally do everything possible to vest title in ASSIGNEE and to aid ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns and legal representatives to obtain and enforce proper protection for said invention in all countries.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I/we have hereunto set my/our hand(s) this

24 day of MARCH, 1999 Jose M. Sosa
Jose M. Sosa

24 day of March, 1999 Lu Ann Kelly
Lu Ann Kelly

____ day of _____, 19____

On this 24th day of March, 1999 before me personally appeared Jose M. Sosa, known to me to be the person of the above name who signed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged the same to be his own free act and deed.

Donna Hicks
Notary Public in and for the State of Texas

On this 24th day of March, 1999 before me personally appeared Lu Ann Kelly, known to me to be the person of the above name who signed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged the same to be his own free act and deed.

Donna Hicks
Notary Public in and for the State of Texas

On this ____ day of _____, 19____, before me personally appeared _____, known to me to be the person of the above name who signed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged the same to be his own free act and deed.

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