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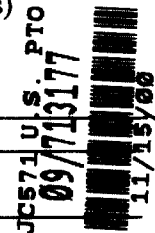
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## ASSIGNMENT OF THE INVENTION

WHEREAS, we, GLEN H. ERIKSON AND JASMINE I. DAKSIS, residing at The Sands, Providenciales, Turks and Caicos Islands, British West Indies and 36 Cartier Crescent, Richmond Hill, Ontario, Canada L4C 2N2, respectively, have made a certain new and useful invention in a TRIPLEX AND QUADRUPLEX CATALYTIC HYBRIDIZATION and are about to file a United States patent application having the Attorney Docket No. E1047/20048 based thereon;

WHEREAS, INGENEUS CORPORATION, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the Country of Barbados and having an office and place of business at Trident House, Broad Street, Bridgetown, Barbados, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to the invention and all improvements thereon which may be made, conceived or acquired by us during the course of our association with INGENEUS CORPORATION and for one year thereafter, in and throughout the United States, its territories and all countries foreign thereto, and in and to said application for Letters Patent and in and to any and all Letters Patent of the United States and all countries foreign thereto which have been granted or may be granted on said invention or any part thereof, or any improvements thereon.

NOW, THEREFORE, IN CONSIDERATION of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00), and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged,

we, GLEN H. ERIKSON AND JASMINE I. DAKSIS, by these presents do sell, assign and transfer unto the said INGENEUS CORPORATION our entire right, title and interest in and throughout the United States, its territories and all countries foreign thereto in and to said invention and any improvements thereon which may be made, conceived or acquired by us during the course of our association with the said INGENEUS CORPORATION, and for one year thereafter, in and to said application for Letters Patent and any and all Letters Patent and extensions thereof of the United States and countries foreign thereto which have been or may be granted on said invention or any part thereof, or any improvements thereon or on said application, or any divisional, continuing, renewal, reissue, or other application and all international priority rights associated therewith, based in whole or in part thereon, or based upon said invention, or any improvements thereon;

TO BE HELD AND ENJOYED by the said INGENEUS CORPORATION, and its legal representatives and assigns to the full ends of the terms for which said Letters Patent, or any of them, have been granted as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by us had no sale and assignment of said interest been made; and we do hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any and all Letters Patent which may be granted upon the said invention above referred to, or any of them, or upon said invention or any part thereof, or upon any improvements thereon which may be made, conceived or acquired by us during the course of our association with the said company and for one year thereafter, to said INGENEUS CORPORATION, and we hereby agree for ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, to execute without further consideration, any further legal documents and any further

assignments and any releases, reissues, renewals or other applications for Letters Patent that may be deemed necessary by the Assignee herein named, fully to secure to the said Assignee its Interest as aforesaid In and to said invention or any part thereof or any improvements thereon, and in and to said several Letters Patent, or any of them.

We do hereby covenant for ourselves and our legal representatives, and agree with INGENEUS CORPORATION and its legal representatives, that we have granted no license to make or sell the said invention, that prior to the execution of this deed our right, title and interest in the said invention has not been encumbered, and that we then had good right and title in and to the invention and that we have not executed and will not execute any instrument in conflict therewith.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, Glen H. Erikson, have hereunto affixed my hand and seal this 15 day of November, 2000.

Glen H. Erikson (SEAL)

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, Jasmine I. Daksis, have hereunto affixed my hand and seal this 15 day of November, 2000.

Jasmine I. Daksis (SEAL)

WITNESS CERTIFICATION

Before us personally appeared said Glen H. Erikson and Jasmine I. Daksis,

each of whom acknowledged the foregoing Instrument to be his/her free act and deed this

15 day of November, 2000.

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Witness 1:

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