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(hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNOR) is the owner of the United States Letters Patent and patent application(s) enumerated on the attached list.

And whereas

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(hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE) is desirous of acquiring all right, title and interest in said Patents and Patent Applications.

Now, therefore, in consideration of One Dollar (\$ 1.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNOR does hereby sell, assign and set over to said ASSIGNEE the entire right, title and interest for the United States in and to said aforesaid Patents and Patent Applications including all rights of priority from the filing of said inventions, and all rights for past infringement.

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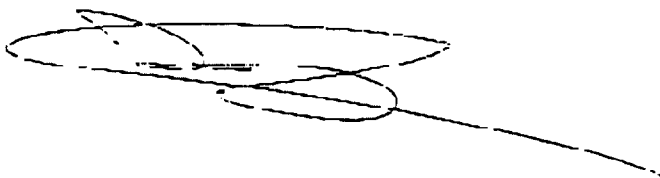


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I further certify that DSM Gist B.V. is a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of The Netherlands and having its principal place of business at Delft, The Netherlands and that Peter Maria BREEPOEL who executed the foregoing Assignment, is duly authorized to sign on its behalf in matters relating to Patents and Trademarks.

Signed on this 20th day of November 2000



Izaak Kijlstra, LL.M.