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## ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, MITSUI CHEMICALS, INC., (hereinafter MITSUI) a corporation of Japan having a place of business at 2-5, Kasumigaseki 3-chome, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo 100 Japan; and HOECHST AKTIENGESELLSCHAFT, (hereinafter HOECHST) a German company having a place of business at D-65926 Frankfurt am Main, Germany, are the owners, by assignment, of U.S. Patent 5,650,471 titled PROCESS FOR THE PRODUCTION OF CYCLOOLEFIN RANDOM COPOLYMER, and the invention recited therein, (hereinafter Invention) which assignment has been duly recorded in the records of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

WHEREAS, TICONA GmbH., (hereinafter TICONA) a corporation of Germany having a place of business at An der B 43, 65451 Kelsterbach, Germany, is desirous of acquiring the entire undivided right, title and interest of HOECHST in and to said Invention, said U.S. Patent and in and to any related Letters Patent that may be granted therefor in the United States and in any and all foreign countries.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) to us in hand paid, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, and other valuable considerations, HOECHST has sold, assigned and transferred, and by these presents does sell, assign and transfer unto TICONA, their entire right, title and interest to the said Invention and said U.S. Patent in the United States and its territorial possessions and in all foreign countries and their entire right, title and interest in and to any and all Letters Patent, which may be granted thereof in the United States and its territorial possessions and in any and all foreign countries and in and to any and all divisions, reissues, continuations and extensions thereof.

Patent Office officials in the United States and in any and all foreign countries are hereby authorized and requested to issue any and all of said Letters Patent, when granted, to TICONA as the assignee of the entire right, title and interest in and to the same, for the sole use and behoof of TICONA, its successors and assigns.

FURTHER, it is agreed that HOECHST will communicate to TICONA or its representatives any facts known respecting said invention, and testify in any legal proceedings, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuation, substitution, renewal and reissue applications, execute all necessary assignment papers to cause any and all of said Letters Patent to be issued to TICONA, make all rightful oaths and generally do everything possible to aid TICONA, its successors and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper protection for said Invention in the United States and in any and all foreign countries.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, on behalf of HOECHST AKTIENGESELLSCHAFT, I have hereunto set my hand this 11th day of January , 2000, 2001

Signed in the presence of:

Witness: <u>fudrem</u> Barth

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