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**Box No. 1 Supplement:**

**Additional Conveying parties:  
Anandakumar Ranganathan**

PATENT ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, I/we, **KLAUS-ALEXANDER RIEDER**, a citizen(s) of **AUSTRIA**, residing at **20 Lovett Street, Apt. #6, Beverly, MA 01915, U.S.A.**, **NEAL S. BERKE**, a citizen(s) of **THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA**, residing at **39 Charlemont Court, North Chelmsford, MA 01863, U.S.A.**, **MICHAEL MACKLIN**, a citizen(s) of **SOUTH AFRICA**, residing at **9 Pierce Avenue, Westford, MA 01886, U.S.A.**, **Anandakumar RANGANATHAN**, a citizen(s) of **INDIA**, residing at **73B Lionel Avenue, Waltham, MA 02452, U.S.A.**, have made an invention which invention is claimed and described in an application for Letters Patent of the United States of America entitled "**HIGHLY DISPERSIBLE REINFORCING POLYMERIC FIBERS**", filed in the U. S. Patent and Trademark Office on April 25, 2001 under Serial No. 09/843,427, \*and;

WHEREAS, **W. R. GRACE & CO.-CONN.**, of **1114 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS, NEW YORK, NEW YORK 10036**, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the **STATE OF CONNECTICUT** and having a place of business at **62 WHITTEMORE AVENUE, CAMBRIDGE, MASSACHUSETTS 02140** (hereinafter "**GRACE**"), is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to the invention and in and to any Letters Patent that may be granted therefor;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I/we the undersigned party(ies) by these presents do sell, assign and transfer unto **GRACE**, its successors and assigns the full, exclusive and worldwide right to the said invention including the United States of America, and the entire right, title and interest in, to and under any Letters Patent which may be granted on said invention, or any parts thereof, or on any continuation, division or reissue thereof in the United States of America, in the territorial possessions of the United States of America and in any country foreign to the United States of America, the same to be held and enjoyed by **GRACE**, its successors and assigns as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by me/us, had this assignment not been made.

And I/we hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States of America and respective Patent Office officials in any country foreign to the United States of America to issue said Letters Patent to **GRACE** as the assignee of my/our entire right, title and interest in, to and under the same, and I/we hereby further authorize **GRACE** to apply for Letters Patent in my/our name(s) or in its own name, as it in its sole discretion sees fit, utilizing any benefits which may exist

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\* I/We authorize our attorney(s) to insert the filing date and serial number when known.

under any International Agreement, in any country foreign to the United States of America.

And I/we, do hereby agree for myself/ourselves and for my/our heirs, executors and administrators to execute any lawful document and to testify as to any material fact or thing which **GRACE**, its successors and assigns may deem necessary in order to secure unto itself, its successors and assigns the full right, title and interest in and to and the full enjoyment of said invention or any part thereof and any Letters Patent, the same to be done without any further consideration.

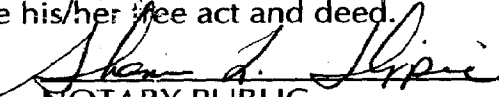
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned inventor(s) sets his/her hand(s) and affix his/her seal on the 30<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2001 below indicated.

  
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Klaus-Alexander Rieder

04/25/01  
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Date

Commonwealth of Massachusetts )  
County of Middlesex ) ss.

On the 20<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2001, before me personally appeared Alex Rieder, known to me to be the person described in and the person who executed the foregoing instrument of assignment and he/she did acknowledge the same to be his/her free act and deed.

  
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Neal S. Berke

Neal S. Berke

4/25/01

Date

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