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ASSIGNMENT OF APPLICATION FOR PATENT

WHEREAS, we, Dirk Kolowrot and Heinrich Traeger citizens of Germany and residents of Schwertstr. 48, 47799 Krefeld, Germany; and Azaleenweg 24, 40670 Meerbusch, Germany; respectively, have invented certain new and useful improvement in SPRAYABLE HOT-MELT ADHESIVE for which we have made application for United States Letters Patent, said application having been filed as PCT international application number PCT/EP99/06799 on September 14, 1999 designating the United States of America and various other countries; and

WHEREAS, Henkel Kommanditgesellschaft auf Aktien (Henkel KGaA) a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of Germany and having a place of business at Henkelstrasse 67.

40589 Duesseldorf, Germany is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, said application and any and all Letters Patent which may issue thereon;

NOW, THEREFORE, to all whom it may concern, be it known that we, the said Dirk Kolowrot and Heinrich Traeger for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over unto the said Henkel KGaA, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, said application and any and all Letters Patent that may issue thereon in the United States and any other country or countries together

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hand as of the following date(s).

Dirk Kolowrot

Date April 06, 2001

Heinrich Traeder

Date April 06, 2001

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