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First Named Inventor : Gerhard Poessnecker, et al.Title : LOW-MELTING COPOLYAMIDE AND THEIR USE AS HOT-MELT ADHESIVES

As a below named inventor, I, Gerhard Poessnecker, of Trin, Switzerland, Jurgen Spindler, of Domat/EMS, Switzerland, and Eberhard Kinkelin of Chur, Switzerland have invented certain new and useful improvements as described in a non-provisional application entitled LOW-MELTING COPOLYAMIDE AND THEIR USE AS HOT-MELT ADHESIVES for Letters Patent of the United States, the application having been executed on even date herewith, and/or being identifiable as the United States Patent and Trademark Office by Application No. _____, filed May 9, 2001;

WHEREAS, EMS-Chemie Ag, a company organized and existing under the laws of Switzerland, and having offices at Reichenauerstrasse, CH-7013 Domat/Ems, Switzerland ("Assignee"), is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to the invention, the application, and any and all United States Letters Patent or similar legal protection to be obtained therefor;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and adequacy of which is hereby acknowledged, I transfer to Assignee, its successors and assigns, my entire right, title and interest in and to the invention, the above-identified application and all Letters Patent or similar legal protection issuing thereon; and I authorize the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States to issue the Letters Patent or similar legal protection to the Assignee.

I authorize the Assignee, its successors and assigns, to insert in this instrument the filing date and application number of the application when ascertained.

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