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Name: Metso Paper, Inc.

Internal Address:

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 Tapio Mäenpää and Vesa Ijäs

_____ (hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNOR").

Hereby sell, assign and transfer to Metso Paper, Inc.
 (hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNEE"), a corporation of Helsinki, Finland,
 having a place of business at Fabianinkatu 9 A, FIN-00130 Helsinki, Finland

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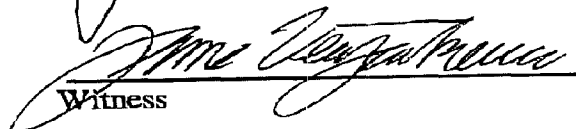
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Date: September 7, 2001


Tapio Mäenpää


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Date: September 17, 2001

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