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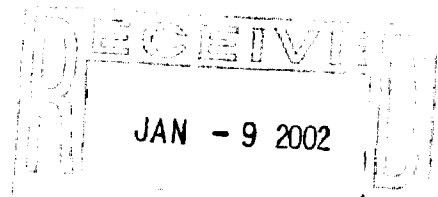
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WHEREAS, Henkel Kommanditgesellschaft auf Aktien (Henkel KGaA), a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of Germany and having a place of business at Henkelstrasse 67, 40589 Duesseldorf, Germany, is desirous of acquiring the entire 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 Horst Hoeffkes, Doris Oberkobusch, David Rose and Melanie Hitz 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 with any division, divisions, extension or extensions, reissue or reissues thereof;

AND, we hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any and all Letters Patent which may issue upon said invention to said Henkel KGaA as assignee of the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, said application and any and all Letters Patent that may issue thereupon.

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

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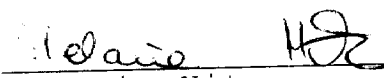
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