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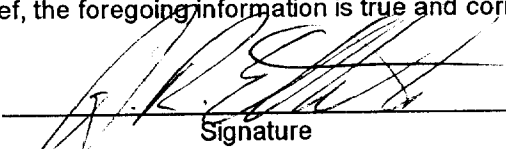
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ASSIGNMENT OF APPLICATION FOR PATENT

WHEREAS, we, Werner Seipel, Hermann Hensen, Norbert Boyxen, Celia Kosboth and Claudia Stammen citizens of Germany and residents of Hofstrasse 29, 40723 Hilden, Germany; Rathmacherweg 13, 42791 Haan, Germany; Rosenstrasse 29, 47906 Kempen, Germany; Sternbuschweg 87, 47057 Duisburg, Germany and Sevelenerstrasse 32, 47661 Issum, Germany; respectively, have invented certain new and useful improvement in OIL BATHS for which we have made application for United States Letters Patent, said application having been filed as PCT international application number PCT/EP99/09227 on November 27, 1999 designating the United States of America; and various other countries; and

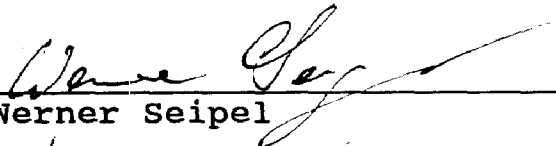
WHEREAS, Cognis Deutschland GmbH (Cognis) a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of Germany and having a place of business at Henkelstrasse 67, D-40589 Duesseldorf, Germany is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, said application and any and all Letters Patent which may issue thereon;

NOW, THEREFORE, to all whom it may concern, be it known that we, the said Werner Seipel, Hermann Hensen, Norbert Boyxen, Celia Kosboth and Claudia Stammen for good and valuable considerations, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over unto the said Cognis 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 Cognis 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).


Werner Seipel


Date June 13, 2001


Hermann Hensen

Date June 13, 2001


Norbert Boyxen

Date June 13, 2001


Celia Kosboth

Date June 13, 2001


Claudia Stammen

Date June 13, 2001