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ASSIGNMENT

(NOT ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION)

WHEREAS, the undersigned, Zhijun Weng, a resident of Fresno, County of Fresno, State of California, (hereinafter termed "Inventor") has invented certain new and useful improvements in CONTROLLER AND METHOD FOR ADMINISTERING AND PROVIDING ON-LINE HANDLING OF DEVIATIONS IN A CONTINUOUS OVEN COOKING PROCESS and has executed an application for a United States patent disclosing and identifying the invention and having Serial No. 09/560,637 and filing date of April 28, 2000; and

WHEREAS, FMC Corporation (hereinafter termed "Assignee"), a corporation of the State of Delaware, having a place of business at 200 East Randolph Drive, Chicago, State of Illinois, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to the application and the invention disclosed therein, and in and to all embodiments of the invention, heretofore conceived, made or discovered by the Inventor (all collectively hereinafter termed "the invention"), and in and to any and all patents, inventor's certificates and other forms of protection (hereinafter termed "patents") thereon granted in the United States and foreign countries.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of good and valuable consideration acknowledged by the Inventor to have been received in full from the Assignee:

1. The Inventor does hereby sell, assign, transfer and convey unto the Assignee, the entire right, title and interest (a) in and to the application and the invention; (b) in and to all rights to apply for foreign patents on the invention pursuant to the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property or otherwise; (c) in and to any and all applications filed and any and all patents granted on the invention in the United States or any foreign country, including each and every application filed and each and every patent granted on any application which is a division, substitution, or continuation of any of the applications; and (d) in and to each and every reissue or extensions of any of the patents.

2. The Inventor hereby covenants and agrees to cooperate with the Assignee to enable the Assignee to enjoy to the fullest extent the right title and interest herein conveyed in the United States and foreign countries. Such cooperation by the Inventor shall include prompt production of pertinent facts and documents, giving of testimony, execution of petitions, oaths, specifications, declarations or other papers, and other assistance all to the extent deemed necessary or desirable by the Assignee (a) for perfecting in the Assignee the right, title and interest herein conveyed; (b) for prosecuting any of the applications; (c) for filing and prosecuting substitute, divisional, continuing or additional applications covering the invention; (d) for filing and prosecuting applications for reissuance of any of the patents; (e) for interference or other priority proceedings involving the invention; and (f) for legal proceedings involving the invention and any applications therefor and any patents granted thereon, including without limitation opposition proceedings, cancellation

proceedings, priority contests, public use proceedings, infringement actions and court actions; provided, however, that the expense incurred by the Inventor in providing such cooperation shall be paid for by the Assignee.

3. The terms, covenants and conditions of this assignment shall inure to the benefit of the Assignee, its successors, assigns and other legal representatives, and shall be binding upon the Inventor, his heirs, legal representatives and assigns.

4. The Inventor hereby warrants and represents that he has not entered and will not enter into any assignment, contract, or understanding in conflict herewith.

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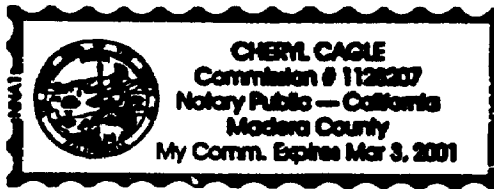
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State of California.)

On this 25 day of September, in the year 2000, before me, Cheryl Cagle, Notary Public of the State of California, personally appeared Zhijun Weng, personally known to me (or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence) to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that (he/she) executed the same in (his/her) authorized capacity(ies), and that by (his/her) signature on the instrument the person, or the entity upon behalf of which the person acted, executed the instrument.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

Signature Cheryl Cagle



(Seal)

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Inventor has executed and delivered this instrument to the Assignee this 25 day of September, 2000.

Zhijun Weng
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