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## ASSIGNMENT

ASSIGNOR: 3M COMPANY (formerly MINNESOTA MINING AND MANUFACTURING COMPANY)  
of: PO Box 33427  
St. Paul, Minnesota 55133-3427  
United States of America

a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, United States of America does hereby claim and declare that it is the owner of all right, title and interest in and to the following Patent Application(s) or letters Patents(s) and other rights and powers obtainable or exercisable in respect thereof as numbered in United States Patent(s) and /or Patent Application(s):

Patent Application No.	Patent Number	Filing Date	Issue Date
08/631550		April 12, 1996	

3M Company (formerly Minnesota Mining and Manufacturing Company) does hereby, for good and valuable consideration, effective as of April 1, 1999 received, sell, assign and transfer unto:

ASSIGNEE: 3M INNOVATIVE PROPERTIES COMPANY  
of: PO Box 33427  
St. Paul, Minnesota 55133-3427  
United States of America

a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, United States of America, its entire right, title and interest in and to the said Patent Application(s) or Letters Patent(s) including any division, continuation (in whole or in part) reissue or reexamination thereof, and in and to any countries foreign thereto, and consent to the recordal of this Assignment.

## ASSIGNOR

Subscribed and Sworn:

At St. Paul, Minnesota 55133-3427

this 29<sup>th</sup> day of July, 20023M COMPANY (formerly MINNESOTA  
MINING AND MANUFACTURING COMPANY)By: Carolyn A. Bates

Name: Carolyn A. Bates

Its: Assistant Chief Intellectual Property Counsel

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

29<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2002Cheryl A. Saver  
Notary Public

## ASSIGNEE

Accepted:

At St. Paul, Minnesota 55133-3427

this 31<sup>st</sup> day of July, 2002

3M INNOVATIVE PROPERTIES COMPANY

By: Gary L. Griswold

Name: Gary L. Griswold

Its: President and Chief Intellectual Property Counsel

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

31<sup>st</sup> day of July, 2002Jean S. Kistler  
Notary Public