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WHEREAS, Dynal Particles AS (hereinafter "ASSIGNOR"), a corporation organized and registered under the laws of Norway and having a usual place of business at Svelleveien 29, N-2004 Lillestrom, Norway has acquired the entire right, title, and interest in the application and invention:

Process for the Preparation of Monodisperse Polymer Particles

described in an application for Letters Patent of the United States assigned U.S. Serial No. 09/958,431 filed in the United States Patent Office on October 9, 2001, which is a U.S. national phase patent application of International Patent Application No. PCT/GB00/01334 filed April 10, 2000; and

WHEREAS, Dynal Biotech ASA (hereinafter "ASSIGNEE"), a corporation organized and registered under the laws of Norway, and having a usual place of business at Ullemchauséen 52, 0379 Oslo, Norway, and of which ASSIGNOR is a wholly owned subsidiary, desires to acquire an interest therein, in accordance with agreements duly entered into with ASSIGNOR;

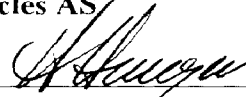
NOW, THEREFORE, to all whom it may concern, be it known that for and in consideration of said agreements and of other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNOR has sold, assigned and transferred and by these presents does hereby sell, assign and transfer unto said ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns, and legal representatives, the entire right, title and interest in and throughout the United States of America, its territories and all foreign countries, in and to the inventions described in said application, together with the entire right, title and interest in and to said application and such Letters Patent as may issue thereon or claim priority under international convention, including but not limited to continuations, divisionals, reissues, and reexaminations of said application or such Letters Patent; said inventions, applications and Letters Patent to be held and enjoyed by said ASSIGNEE for its own use and behalf and for its successors, assigns and legal representatives, to the full end of the term for which said Letters Patent may be granted as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by ASSIGNOR had this assignment and sale not been made: ASSIGNOR hereby conveys all of the rights arising under or pursuant to any and all international agreements, treaties or laws relating to the protection of industrial property by filing any such applications for Letters Patent. ASSIGNOR hereby acknowledges that this assignment, being of the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, carries with it the right in ASSIGNEE to apply for and obtain from competent authorities in all countries of the world any and all Letters Patent by attorneys and agents of ASSIGNEE's selection and the right to procure the grant of all Letters Patent to ASSIGNEE for its own name as assignee of the entire right, title and interest therein.

AND, ASSIGNOR hereby further agrees that it and its executors and administrators execute upon request any other lawful documents and likewise to perform any other lawful acts which may be deemed necessary to secure fully the aforesaid invention to said ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns, and legal representatives, but at its or their expense and charges, including: the execution of applications for patents in foreign countries; the execution of substitution, reissue, divisional or continuation applications; and preliminary or other statements or the giving of testimony in any interference or other proceeding in which said invention or any application or patent directed thereto may be involved;

AND, ASSIGNOR does hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents of the United States to issue such Letters Patent as shall be granted upon said application or applications based thereon to said ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns, and legal representatives.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal the date set forth below.

For Dynal Particles AS

Signature: 

Date: 15 May 2002

Name: HÅKON HAUGEN

Title: Managing Director

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Name: TOR OPPEDAL

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