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THIS ASSIGNMENT, made this 23 day of May, 2002,

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WHEREAS, Assignors have invented certain new and useful improvements in **PROCESS FOR THE RECOVERY OF PERFLUORINATED SULPHONIC ACIDS FROM SPENT ACID RESIDUE**, set forth in a Patent application for Letters Patent of the United States, filed on May 15, 2002 as U.S. application No. 10/144,709; and

WHEREAS, HALDOR TOPSOE A/S, a Corporation organized under and pursuant to the laws of Denmark having its principal place of business at Haldor Topsoe A/S, Nymollevvej 55, P.O. Box 213, DK-2800 Lyngby, DENMARK (hereinafter referred to as Assignee), is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said inventions and said Application for Letters Patent of the United States, and in and to any Letters Patent of the United States to be obtained therefore and thereon.

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