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ASSIGNMENT - PATENT APPLICATION

WHEREAS, I/We, SCHOMMARZ, Klaus  
of 242 Cliffendale Dr., Faerie Glen, Pretoria 0043, Republic of South Africa  
have invented certain new and useful improvements in \_\_\_\_\_  
FLOTATION MACHINE AND METHOD FOR IMPROVING FLOTATION EFFECT

for which an application for United States Letters Patent was  
filed as entry into the national phase of PCT/FI00/01090 filed 13 December 2000; and

WHEREAS, Outokumpu Oyj  
of Espoo, Finland (hereinafter "Assignee")  
desires to acquire an interest therein and in the Letters  
Patent to be obtained therefor;

NOW THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the  
receipt and sufficiency of which are acknowledged, I/We hereby  
assign and transfer to Assignee, for the territory of the  
United States of America and all other countries, the entire  
right, title, and interest in and to said improvements and in  
and to said application and any Letters Patent that may be  
granted therefor in the United States and any other country  
including any division, continuation, substitute, renewal of  
reissue of said application or said Letters Patent.

I/We hereby agree to communicate to Assignee any facts  
known to me/us relating to said improvements, to testify as to  
the same in any interference or legal proceeding concerned  
therewith, to execute promptly and deliver to Assignee upon  
request any and all papers, instruments, declarations and  
affidavits required to apply for, obtain, maintain and enforce  
said Letters Patent, and generally to do everything necessary  
or desirable to vest and perfect title thereto in Assignee.

This assignment is binding upon me/us and my/our heirs,  
successors and personal representative, and shall inure to the  
benefit of Assignee, its successors, assigns and nominees.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I/We have hereunto set hand this  
11th day of August, 2002

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