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ASSIGNMENT OF APPLICATION

WHEREAS, we,

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hereafter referred to as assignors, have invented certain new and useful improvements in

**Thermoplastic Polymer Blend Produced From Thermoplastic Starch and Method
for the Production Thereof**

for which an application for a United States Patent

[] is being made herewith;

[X] was filed on **2/6/2002**

as US Application Ser. No. **10/049,482**;

or PCT Application Ser. No.

AND WHEREAS,

Name: **BIOP BIOPOLYMER Technologies AG**

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herein referred to as "assignee", is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in the

same;

Now, therefore, in consideration of the sum of one dollar, the receipt whereof is acknowledged, and other good and valuable consideration, we, the assignors, by these presents do sell, assign, and transfer unto said assignee, its assigns and legal representatives, the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention for the United States and its territories, and in and to said Letters Patent, continuations, divisions, reissues and extensions thereof in the United States, and hereby request that said Letters Patent issue accordingly.

For said considerations, we, the assignors, agree to execute all papers that may be necessary to file applications in the United States for said invention and to assign the same to said assignee or any assignee acquiring title to said invention, and to execute any other papers that may be needed in connection with filing said applications and securing patents thereon.

In Testimony whereof, this assignment is being executed:

Name: **Werner Berger**

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