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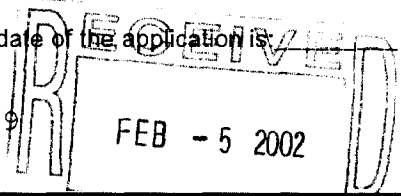
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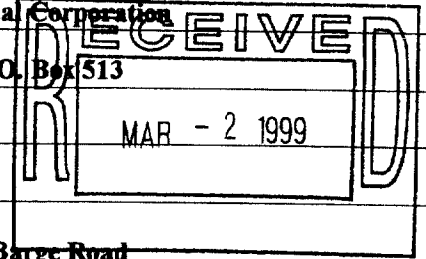
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PATENT ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, **RHODIA INC.**, a Delaware Corporation, having a principal place of business at Prospect Plains Road, Cranbury, New Jersey 08512 (hereinafter referred to as "Assignor"), is the owner of the entire right, title and interest in, to and under U.S. Patent No. 5,783,159 issued July 21, 1998 based upon U.S. Application No. 909,529 filed August 12, 1998, a continuation of U.S. Serial No. 536,564 filed September 29, 1995 entitled: "Inorganic Impurities Removal in Soda Ash Solutions with Carbon" ; all inventions described and claimed therein; all patents which have been or may be granted thereon, including continuations, divisions, continuations-in-part, renewals, extensions, and reissues thereof in the United States and in all countries foreign thereto (hereinafter collectively referred to as the "Patent"); and

WHEREAS, **OCI CHEMICAL CORPORATION**, having a place of business at La Barge Road, P.O. Box 513, Green River, Wyoming 82935, (hereinafter referred to as "Assignee"), is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest of Assignor in, to and under the Patent;

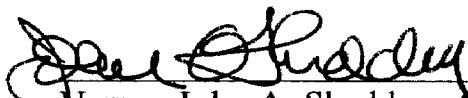
NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignor does hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over unto Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, its entire right, title and interest in, to and under the Patent; and

Assignor hereby affirms that the title in and to the invention hereby conveyed is free from any and all outstanding licenses or adverse rights and Assignor hereby covenants that it will, for the consideration aforesaid, hereafter execute any and all lawful documents and papers which may be necessary to completely vest the title to the Patent in the Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Assignor has caused this assignment to be executed by their duly authorized officer this 2 day of 27, 1999.

RHODIA INC.

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Name: John A. Shedden, Assistant Secretary

State of New Jersey)
 : SS:
County of Middlesex)

On this 24th day of February, 1999, personally appeared before me, John A. Shedden, personally known, who being by me duly sworn, deposes and said that he is Assistant Secretary of Rhodia Inc., the corporation described; that he executed the above instrument; that he knows the seal of said corporation; that the seal affixed to said instrument is the corporate seal; and that the execution and delivery of this assignment was authorized by such corporation.

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Notary Public

PRISCILLA C. LOMBARDO
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