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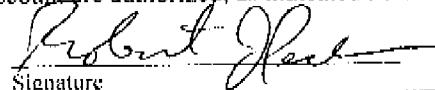
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ASSIGNOR: 3M COMPANY (formerly MINNESOTA MINING AND MANUFACTURING COMPANY)
of: PO Box 33427
St. Paul, Minnesota 55133-3427
United States of America

a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, United States of America does hereby claim and declare that it is the owner of all right, title and interest in and to the following Patent Application(s) or Letters Patents(s) and other rights and powers obtainable or exercisable in respect thereof as numbered in United States Patent(s) and /or Patent Application(s):

Patent Application No. Patent Number Filing Date Issue Date
09/890772 August 6, 2001

3M Company (formerly Minnesota Mining and Manufacturing Company) does hereby, for good and valuable consideration, effective as of April 1, 1999, received, sell, assign and transfer unto:

ASSIGNEE: 3M INNOVATIVE PROPERTIES COMPANY
of: PO Box 33427
St. Paul, Minnesota 55133-3427
United States of America

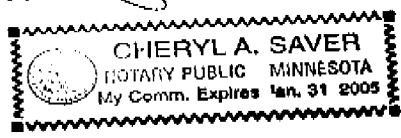
a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, United States of America, its entire right, title and interest in and to the said Patent Application(s) or Letters Patent(s) including any division, continuation (in whole or in part) reissue or reexamination thereof, and in and to any countries foreign thereto, and consent to the recordal of this Assignment.

ASSIGNOR
Subscribed and Sworn:
At St. Paul, Minnesota 55133-3427
this 8th day of November, 2002
3M COMPANY (formerly MINNESOTA MINING AND MANUFACTURING COMPANY)

By: Carolyn A. Bates
Name: Carolyn A. Bates
Its: Assistant Chief Intellectual Property Counsel

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of November, 2002

Cheryl A. Saver
Notary Public



ASSIGNEE
Accepted:
At St. Paul, Minnesota 55133-3427
this 11th day of November, 2002
3M INNOVATIVE PROPERTIES COMPANY

By: Gary L. Griswold
Name: Gary L. Griswold
Its: President and Chief Intellectual Property Counsel

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of November, 2002

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