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WHEREAS we, 1) George L. Dimotsis; 2) Wolfgang Podszun; 3) Reinhold Klipper

of 1) 802 Monticello Place, Lansdale, PA 19446; 2) Roggendorfstrasse 55, 51061 Koeln, Germany;
3) Geilenkircherstr. 29, 50933 Koeln, Germany

have invented certain improvements in PROCESS FOR PREPARING GEL-TYPE CATION
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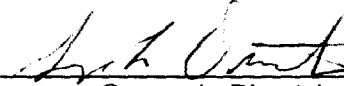
WHEREAS, BAYER AKTIENGESELLSCHAFT of Leverkusen, Germany, a corporation of Germany and SYBRON CHEMICALS INC., of Birmingham, New Jersey, a corporation of the State of New Jersey, are desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention or inventions and any and all patents to be obtained therefore;

NOW, THEREFORE, for valuable consideration and in accordance with the obligations in our employment contracts with BAYER AKTIENGESELLSCHAFT and SYBRON CHEMICALS INC., we do hereby sell, assign and transfer unto said BAYER AKTIENGESELLSCHAFT and SYBRON CHEMICALS INC., their successors and assigns, the entire right, title, and interest in and to said invention or inventions, as described in the aforesaid application, in any form or embodiment thereof, and in and to the aforesaid application; and in and to any applications filed in any foreign country based thereon, including the right to file said foreign applications under the provisions of the International Convention; also any improvements on said invention or inventions now or hereafter made by us during the period of our employment; also the entire right, title and interest in and to any and all patents or reissues or extensions thereof to be obtained in this or any foreign country upon said invention, inventions or improvements and any divisional, continuation, continuation-in-part or substitute applications which may be filed upon said invention, inventions or improvements in this or any foreign country; and we hereby authorize and request the issuing authority to issue any and all patents on said application or applications to said BAYER AKTIENGESELLSCHAFT and SYBRON CHEMICALS INC., as assignees of the entire interest.

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SIGNED AT Birmingham AL 35202 Springfield, NJ, U.S.A., this

15th day of November, 2002.

(L.S.) 1) 
George L. Dimotsis

SIGNED AT Lewkensen, Germany, this
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