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ASSIGNMENT BEFORE PATENT (herein "Assignment")

SECTION 1 Background

We, Susan P. James and Min Zhang of Colorado and Guy Beauregard of Iowa (herein "Inventors"), have invented or discovered a new and useful process, machine, manufacture, or composition of matter, or an improvement thereof, for which a provisional patent application (60/340,777) was filed on 29 October 2001 and for which we are concurrently filing a nonprovisional/utility patent application with the U.S. Patent Office entitled: ***Outer Layer having Entanglement of Hydrophobic Polymer Host and Hydrophilic Polymer Guest***. Colorado State University Research Foundation, a Colorado non-profit organization with a principal place of business at Colorado State University, P.O. Box 483, Fort Collins, Colorado 80522 (herein "CSURF") desires to acquire the Inventor's entire right, title, and interest in the invention/discovery, the Inventor is willing and able to sell, all of which is consistent with Foundation and University policies and agreements.

SECTION 2 Assignment of all interest to CSURF

In consideration of *one dollar* and other good and valuable consideration, of which receipt is acknowledged by each, the Inventors hereby sell and assign to CSURF their entire right, title, and interest:

(1) in said invention or discovery, and

(2) in all United States and foreign applications filed therefor including but not limited to provisional, divisional, continuation, continuation-in-part, reissue, or reexamination applications, and

(3) in any Letters Patent which issue in the United States or elsewhere including but not limited to: utility, utility model, or design patents; patents of implementation, improvement, or addition; inventor's certificates; and extensions of any of these, so that said right, title, and interest is held and enjoyed by CSURF, its successors and assigns, as fully and entirely as it would have been held and enjoyed by Inventors had this Assignment and sale not been made.

The Inventors hereby agree to fully execute all documents or papers necessary for obtaining Letters Patent in the United States and elsewhere, and to furnish all data, information, and documentation which may be required for the preparation, filing, and prosecution of applications for said Letters Patent.

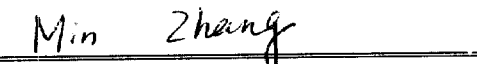
Since this Assignment is intended for recording with the Patent Office, the Assistant Commissioner for Patents is hereby directed to issue any patent which may hereafter be granted, to Colorado State University Research Foundation in accordance with this duly executed Assignment.

We sign below to fully EXECUTE this Assignment Before Patent and make it effective as of **01 July 2000**.

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(Susan P. James, Ph.D., Inventor
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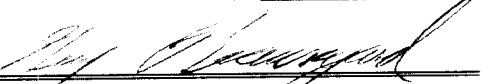
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