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Fibervisions, L.L.C.

Fibervisions Incorporated

Fibervisions Products, Inc.

Hercules International Limited

BetzDearborn, Inc.

BetzDearborn Europe, Inc.

D R C Ltd.

BL Technologies, Inc.

BLI Holding Corporation

Hercules Shared Services Corporation

BetzDearborn International, Inc.

Athens Holdings, Inc.

BetzDearborn China, Ltd.

BL Chemicals Inc.

Chemical Technologies India, Ltd.

Covington Holdings, Inc.

East Bay Realty Services, Inc.

Fibervisions, L.P.

Hercules Chemical Corporation

Hercules Country Club, Inc.

Hercules Euro Holdings, LLC

Hercules International Limited, L.L.C.

Hercules Investments, LLC

Hispan Corporation

Beitz Laboratories, Inc.

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OWNER	PATENT NO.	ISSUED	DOCKET NO.	COUNTRY	TITLE
BETZDEARBORN	5,256,276	OCT 26 93	W-763	U.S.	METHOD FOR THE INHIBITION & REMOVAL OF AMMONIUM CHLORIDE DEPOSITION IN HYDROCARBON PROCESSING...
BETZDEARBORN	5,250,174	OCT 05 93	H-764	U.S.	METHOD OF BREAKING WATER-IN-OIL EMULSIONS BY USING QUATERNARY ALKYL AMINE ETHOXYLATES
BETZDEARBORN	5,256,302	OCT 26 93	P-765	U.S.	METHOD FOR CONTROLLING SILICA AND WATER SOLUBLE SILICATE DEPOSITION
BETZDEARBORN	5,264,155	NOV 23 93	Y-770	U.S.	METHODS FOR INHIBITING THE CORROSION AND DEPOSITION OF IRON & IRON-CONTAINING METALS IN ...
BETZDEARBORN	5,250,190	OCT 05 93	K-772	U.S.	ON-LINE BLENDING METHOD FOR ACTIVATOR CATALYZED PAINT DETACKIFICATION PROGRAM
BETZDEARBORN	5,271,862	DEC 21 93	F-700A	U.S.	INHIBITION OF SILICA AND SILICATE DEPOSITION IN COOLING WATER SYSTEMS
BETZDEARBORN	5,292,379	MAR 08 94	R-670A	U.S.	METHOD (& COMPOSITION) FOR TREATMENT OF ALUMINUM
BETZDEARBORN	5,282,905	FEB 01 94	R-670B	U.S.	METHOD & COMPOSITION FOR TREATMENT OF GALVANIZED STEEL
BETZDEARBORN	5,282,956	FEB 01 94	W-777	U.S.	METHOD FOR THE INHIBITION & REMOVAL OF AMMONIUM CHLORIDE DEP'N IN HYDROCARBON PROCESSING UNITS
BETZDEARBORN	5,283,322	FEB 01 94	M-778	U.S.	DEWATERING GLUTEN WITH NONIONIC SURFACTANTS
BETZDEARBORN	5,282,957	FEB 01 94	W-769	U.S.	METHODS FOR INHIBITING POLYMERIZATION OF HYDROCARBONS UTILIZING A HYDROXYALKYLHYDROXYLAMINE
BETZDEARBORN	5,256,308	OCT 26 93	D-780	U.S.	METHOD FOR THE CURE AND REMOVAL OF OVERSPRAY PAINT FROM THE WATER WASH SYSTEM OF PAINT ...
BETZDEARBORN	5,256,305	OCT 26 93	H-782	U.S.	METHOD FOR BREAKING EMULSIONS IN A CRUDE OIL DESALTING SYSTEM
BETZDEARBORN	5,302,308	APR 12 94	R-788	U.S.	METHODS FOR CONTROLLING DUST IN HIGH TEMPERATURE SYSTEMS
BETZDEARBORN	5,234,958	AUG 10 93	D-785	U.S.	METHOD & COMPOSITION FOR CONTROLLING THE GROWTH OF MICROORGANISMS
BETZDEARBORN	5,234,604	AUG 10 93	L-677A	U.S.	WATER SOLUBLE BLOCK COPOLYMERS & METHODS OF USE THEREOF
BETZDEARBORN	5,332,505	JUL 26 94	C-790	U.S.	METHOD FOR INHIBITING SILICA AND SILICATE DEPOSITION

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BETZDEARBORN	5,271,847 POLYMERS FOR THE TREATMENT OF BOILER WATER	DEC 21 93	C-738B	US.
BETZDEARBORN	5,256,332 METHOD OF INHIBITING CORROSION IN AQUEOUS SYS- TEMS	OCT 26 93	K-797	US.
BETZDEARBORN	5,283,264 CHEMICALLY STABLE ANTIMICROBIAL FORMULATIONS OF DIMPS	FEB 01 94	D-795	US.
BETZDEARBORN	5,283,006 NEUTRALIZING AMINES WITH LOW SALT PRECIPITATION POTENTIAL	FEB 01 94	L-798	US.
BETZDEARBORN	5,314,546 PROCESS FOR ENHANCED DRAINAGE OF RESIDUAL AQUE- OUS RINSE ON THE EXTERNAL SURFACE OF PLASTIC...	MAY 24 94	M-802	US.
BETZDEARBORN	5,298,566 WATER SOLUBLE GRAFT COPOLYMERS & METHODS OF USE THEREOF	MAR 29 94	L-692A	US.
BETZDEARBORN	5,328,525 METHOD AND COMPOSITION FOR TREATMENT OF METALS	JUL 12 94	M-801	US.
BETZDEARBORN	5,292,441 QUATERNIZED POLYVINYLAMINE WATER CLARIFICATION AGENTS	MAR 08 94	C-799	US.
BETZDEARBORN	5,238,572 ENZYME TREATMENT FOR INDUSTRIAL SLIME CONTROL	AUG 24 93	H-810	US.
BETZDEARBORN	5,256,419 BIOLOGICAL AND DUST CONTROL METHODS FOR BULK/ GRANULAR SOLIDS	OCT 26 93	R-604A-2	US.
BETZDEARBORN	5,342,505 USE OF POLYALKENYL SUCCINIMIDES-GLYCIDOL RE- ACTION PRODUCTS AS ANTIFOULANTS IN HYDROCARBON..	AUG 30 94	F-813	US.
BETZDEARBORN	5,292,455 CORROSION INHIBITION OF CALCIUM CHLORIDE BRINE	MAR 08 94	Z-816	US.
BETZDEARBORN	5,336,414 METHODS FOR INHIBITING THE DEPOSITION OF PRO- TEINACEOUS MATERIALS ON HEAT TRANSFER SURFACES	AUG 09 94	D-820	US.
BETZDEARBORN	5,292,378 VISIBLE DRIED-IN-PLACE NON-CHROME TREATMENT FOR ALUMINUM	MAR 08 94	O-826	US.
BETZDEARBORN	5,909,742 METAL CLEANING METHOD	JUN 08 99	O-827	US.
BETZDEARBORN	5,314,643 HIGH TEMPERATURE CORROSION INHIBITOR	MAY 24 94	E-823	US.
BETZDEARBORN	5,266,218 GELLED BIOCIDAL TREATMENTS	NOV 30 93	R-830	US.

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BETZDEARBORN	5,266,217	NOV 30 93	R-831	U.S.	GELLED BIOCIDAL TREATMENTS
BETZDEARBORN	5,350,536	SEP 27 94	C-739A	U.S.	COPOLYMERS OF ETHYLENICALLY UNSATURATED & POLY- ETHYLENEGLYCOL MONOMETHACRYLATE MONOMERIC ...
BETZDEARBORN	5,282,974	FEB 01 94	H-840	U.S.	METHOD FOR REMOVING SOLUBLE BENZENE FROM EFFLU- ENT WATER
BETZDEARBORN	5,366,637	NOV 22 94	T-841	U.S.	METHOD FOR DEWATERING MUNICIPAL SOLID WASTE RE- FUSE
BETZDEARBORN	5,368,775	NOV 29 94	R-540A-1	U.S.	CORROSION CONTROL COMPOSITION AND METHOD FOR BOILER/CONDENSATE STEAM SYSTEM
BETZDEARBORN	5,378,372	JAN 03 95	C-842	U.S.	CONTROL OF SCALE FORMATION IN AQUEOUS SYSTEMS
BETZDEARBORN	5,387,733	FEB 07 95	W-843	U.S.	METHOD FOR THE INHIBITION & REMOVAL OF AMMONIUM CHLORIDE DEP'N IN HYDROCARBON PROCESSING UNITS
BETZDEARBORN	5,393,456	FEB 28 95	P-765A	U.S.	COMPOSITION FOR CONTROLLING SILICA AND WATER SOLUBLE SILICATE DEPOSITION
BETZDEARBORN	5,344,504	SEP 06 94	D-851	U.S.	TREATMENT FOR GALVANIZED METAL
BETZDEARBORN	5,352,706	OCT 04 94	D-854	U.S.	METHOD & COMPOSITION FOR CONTROLLING THE GROWTH OF MICROORGANISMS
BETZDEARBORN	5,310,761	MAY 10 94	W-855	U.S.	BIOCIDAL COMPOSITIONS & USE THEREOF
BETZDEARBORN	5,326,478	JUL 05 94	P-857	U.S.	METHODS FOR CONTROLLING SCALE FORMATION IN AQUEOUS SYSTEMS
BETZDEARBORN	5,385,676	JAN 31 95	L-692A-1	U.S.	WATER SOLUBLE GRAFT COPOLYMERS FOR PAINT SPRAY BOOTH SLUDGE DEWATERING
BETZDEARBORN	5,374,336	DEC 20 94	L-692B	U.S.	WATER SOLUBLE GRAFT COPOLYMERS & METHODS OF USE THEREOF
BETZDEARBORN	5,368,744	NOV 29 94	W-859	U.S.	METHODS FOR TREATING WASTEWATER
BETZDEARBORN	5,391,370	FEB 21 95	R-830A	U.S.	GELLED PEG BIOCIDAL TREATMENTS
BETZDEARBORN	5,391,369	FEB 21 95	R-831A	U.S.	GELLED POLYVINYL ALCOHOL BIOCIDAL TREATMENT

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As of the date hereof, the undersigned Bank of America, N.A., as Collateral Agent (the "**Secured Party**") has not assigned or otherwise disposed of its security interest in the issued patents and pending patent applications identified on the attached Schedule A (the "**Patents**") owned by Hercules Incorporated or any other Obligor listed on the attached Schedule B (the "**Debtors**"), which security interest was recorded with the United States Patent & Trademark Office on January 4, 2001 at Reel 011410 Frame 0301 (the "**Agreement**").

The Secured Party hereby releases for the benefit of the Debtor its security interest in the Patents.

Dated as of the 14th day of December, 2002.

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BANK OF AMERICA, N.A., AS COLLATERAL AGENT

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