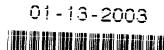
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WHEREAS, I (WE), Walter H. OHRBOM, Patricia A. HERREL both residing at 13938 Plover, Hartland Township, Michigan 48353 United States of America, (Citizenship both American) (declarant(s)) declare that I (WE) have invented certain improvements in: METHOD FOR DETERMINING THE WATER SOLUBILITY OR WATER DISPERSIBILITY OF WATERBORNE BETA-HYDROXY PRIMARY CARBAMATE FUNCTIONAL GRAFT MATERIALS hereinafter the invention or inventions, described in U.S. Patent Application Serial No.\_\_\_\_\_\_filed on December 20, 2002 and being owner(s) of all right, title and interest in and to said invention or inventions and to said application, free from all prior assignments, agreements, licenses, mortgages, or other encumbrances whatsoever, and having full right to convey the entire interest both legal and equitable herein assigned; and

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NOW THEREFORE, in accordance with the terms of declarant(s) employment agreement, the declarant(s) does (do) hereby assign, transfer and set over unto said assignee, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention or inventions, as described in the

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Dated: 12-19-02	Signed: Typed Name: Walter H. OHRBOM
Dated:	Signed: Patricia A. HERREL
State of MICHIGAN ) ss.	
County of OAKLAND )	

On this 19<sup>th</sup> day of <u>December</u> 2002 before me personally appeared the foregoing individuals, who executed the foregoing instrument and who acknowledged to me that they executed the same of their own free will for the purpose therein set forth.

Mayori 2. Zerr Notary Public,

Wayne County, Michigan Acting in Oakland

County, State of Michigan

My Commission Expires: April 8, 2006

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