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CONTINUOUS PROCESS FOR THE INCORPORATION OF A FLAVOR OR FRAGRANCE INGREDIENT OR COMPOSITION INTO A CARBOHYDRATE MATRIX

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is desirous of obtaining the entire right, title and interest in, to and under the said invention and the said application ;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of One dollar (\$ 1.00) to us in hand paid, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we, the said **ASSIGNORS**, have sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over, unto the said **ASSIGNEE**, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in, to and under the said invention, and the said United States application and all divisions, renewals and continuations thereof, and all Patents of the United States which may be granted thereon and all reissues and extensions thereof ; and all applications for industrial property protection, including, without limitation, all applications for patents, utility models, and designs which may hereafter be filed for said invention in any country or countries foreign to the United States, together with the right to file such applications and the right to claim for the same the priority rights derived from said United States application under the Patent Laws of the United States, the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, or any other international agreement or the domestic laws of the country in which any such application is filed, as may be applicable ; and all forms of industrial property protection, including, without limitation, patents, utility models, inventors' certificates and designs which may be granted for said invention in any country or countries foreign to the United States and all extensions, renewals and reissues thereof ;

AND WE HEREBY authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States, and any Official of any country or countries foreign to the United States, whose duty it is to issue patents or other evidence or forms of industrial property protection on applications as aforesaid, to issue the same to the said **ASSIGNEE**, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this instrument.

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, we hereunto set our hands and seal the day and year set opposite our respective signatures.

Date : April 1, 2003

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