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its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest, so far as concerns the United States and the Territories and Possessions thereof and all foreign countries in and to the invention in **"APPARATUS AND PROCESS FOR FORMING THREE-DIMENSIONAL FIBROUS PANELS"**

as set forth in this United States Patent Application

- ☒ executed concurrently herewith
- ☐ executed on
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- ☐ Application claims priority from Application No. ____, filed ____, all applications listed above being hereinafter referred to as the "application(s)";

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19 November 2003
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Lawrence E. Renck
Lawrence E. Renck

State of South Carolina)
County of Darlington)

I, Suzanne R. Rogers, a Notary Public for said County and State, do hereby certify that Lawrence E. Renck personally appeared before me this day and acknowledged the due execution of the foregoing instrument.

Witness my hand and official seal, this the 19th day of November, 2003.

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Suzanne Rogers
Notary Public

My commission expires 12/20/12

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Date

Jimmy W. Cassidy
Jimmy W. Cassidy

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County of Darlington)

I, Suzanne R. Rogers, a Notary Public for said County and State, do hereby certify that Jimmy W. Cassidy personally appeared before me this day and acknowledged the due execution of the foregoing instrument.

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Suzanne R. Rogers
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