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Hugh West, Colin Elston, and David DeJong

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Execution Date: July 10, 2003

## 2. Name and address of receiving party(ies)

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Internal Address: PATENT DEPT., CH 1J27

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WEYERHAEUSER COMPANY

City: Federal Way State: WA ZIP: 98003

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## 4. Application number(s) or patent number(s): 10/621,779

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Internal Address: PATENT DEPT., CH 1J27

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WEYERHAEUSER COMPANY

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## 6. Total number of applications and patents involved: 1

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A S S I G N M E N T

WHEREAS, we, Hugh West and Colin Elston, both citizens of Great Britain, and David DeJong, a citizen of the United States, have invented certain new and useful improvements entitled "REDUCING ODOR IN ABSORBENT PRODUCTS" for which we have executed an application for Letters Patent of the United States of America, the specification of which was filed on July 16, 2003, and issued patent application number 10/621,779 and

WHEREAS, WEYERHAEUSER COMPANY, a Washington corporation, having its principal place of business at Federal Way, King County, Washington (hereinafter referred to as the ASSIGNEE), is desirous of obtaining the entire right and interest in, to and under the said improvements and the said application;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we, the said inventors 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 improvements, and the said application and all divisions and continuations thereof, and all Letters Patent of the United States of America which may be granted thereon and all reissues and extensions thereof, and all applications for Letters Patent which may hereafter be filed for said improvements in any country or countries foreign to the United States of America, and all Letters Patent which may be granted for said improvements in any country or countries foreign to the United States of America and all extensions and reissues thereof; and we hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States of America and any Official of any country or countries foreign to the United States of America, whose duty it is to issue patents on applications as aforesaid, to issue all Letters Patent for said improvements to the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this instrument.

AND WE HEREBY covenant that we have full right to convey the entire interest herein assigned and that we have not executed, and will not execute, any agreement in conflict herewith.

AND WE HEREBY further covenant and agree that we will communicate to the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, any facts known to us respecting said improvements, and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuing and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths and generally do everything possible to aid the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for said improvements in all countries.

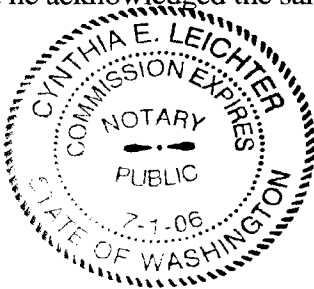
IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, we hereunto set our hands and seals this

- (1) <sup>10<sup>th</sup></sup> ~~7<sup>th</sup>~~ day of JULY, 2003.  
 (2) <sup>10<sup>th</sup></sup> ~~10<sup>th</sup>~~ day of July, 2003.  
 (3) <sup>10<sup>th</sup></sup> ~~10<sup>th</sup>~~ day of July, 2003.

(1) Hugh West  
 Hugh West

STATE OF Washington )  
 )  
 COUNTY OF King )

On this 10<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2003, before me, a Notary Public in and for the State and County aforesaid, personally appeared Hugh West, to me known and known to me to be the person of that name, who signed and sealed the foregoing instrument, and he acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed.

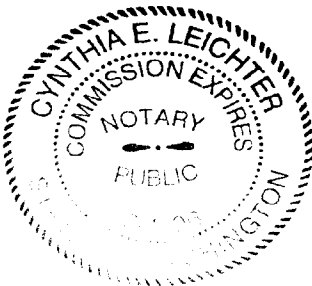


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Washington, residing at 10735 Burke Ave N  
Seattle 98133

STATE OF Washington )  
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 COUNTY OF King )

(2) Colin Elston  
 Colin Elston

On this 10<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2003, before me, a Notary Public in and for the State and County aforesaid, personally appeared Colin Elston, to me known and known to me to be the person of that name, who signed and sealed the foregoing instrument, and he acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed.

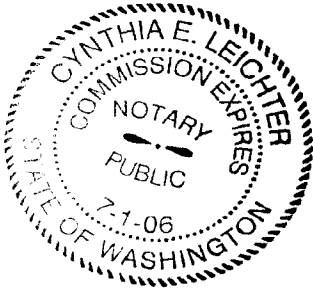


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(3) David D. DeJong  
David DeJong

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COUNTY OF King )

On this 10<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2003, before me, a Notary Public in and for the State and County aforesaid, personally appeared David DeJong, to me known and known to me to be the person of that name, who signed and sealed the foregoing instrument, and he acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed.



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