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**ASSIGNMENT**

WHEREAS, WE, **Robert Koelliker** and **Josef Zemp**, residing at:

**Unterhofstrasse 14, CH-6208 Oberkirch, Switzerland**

**Rüediswilerstrasse 81, CH-6017 Ruswil, Switzerland**

respectively, have invented certain novel and useful improvements in:

**HYDRAULIC FIXING AGENT AND METHOD FOR REDUCING THE COHESION OF  
A LAYER OF BONDED FIXING AGENT**

for which an application for Letters Patent of the United States was made on November 19, 2003 under Serial No. 10/716,648 and of which we are the true inventors; and

WHEREAS, Elotex AG, Industriestrasse 17A, CH-6203 Sempach-Station, Switzerland, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, application and Letters Patent to be obtained therefore in the United States, and in all foreign countries;

NOW, THEREFORE, WE, **Robert Koelliker** and **Josef Zemp**, 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, have sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over unto said Elotex AG, its successors and assigns, the entire and exclusive right, title and interest in and to said invention described in the specification executed by us on even date herewith, preparatory to obtaining Letters Patent of the



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United States therefore, and to said application, Letters Patent to be obtained for said invention, and any and all reissues, divisions, extensions or continuations thereof, and to any Letters Patent which may be applied for or granted for said invention in foreign countries, and the entire and exclusive right to have and claims the priority in all foreign countries pursuant to the provisions of the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, based on said application including all rights to any accrued damages arising out of infringement during the time preceding and following grant of the Letters Patent and execution or recording of this assignment; and

WE HEREBY REQUEST the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue said Letters Patent to said Elotex AG, as the assignee of our interest for the sole use of said assignee and its successors and assigns; and

WE HEREBY AGREE to execute any further papers necessary to secure said assignee in its full and complete enjoyment of its right to said invention, application, Letters Patent, reissues, divisions, extensions and continuations.

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Executed this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of March 2004.

Robert Koelliker  
Robert Koelliker

Executed this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of March 2004.

Josef Zemp  
Josef Zemp

## ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

County of Lucerne )  
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On this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of March, 2004 before me personally appeared **Robert Koelliker and Josef Zemp**, to me known and known to me to be the persons mentioned in and who executed the foregoing Assignment, and they duly acknowledged to me that they executed the same of their own free will and for the purposes therein set forth.

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