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THE NETHERLANDS

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

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2030 Dow Center
Midland, Michigan 48674
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

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5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:

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6. Total number of applications and patents involved: 1

7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41) \$80.00

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ASSIGNMENT

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INVENTORSHIP DECLARATION

We, ASSIGNOR, of: **DOW BENELUX N.V.**
Aert van Nesstraat 45
3012 CA Rotterdam
The Netherlands

a Corporation organized and existing under the laws of **The Netherlands** do hereby claim and declare that we hold the invention and all patent and other rights and powers obtainable or exercisable in respect thereof from the sole, true and first inventor(s):

Gerrit H. Verniers, Heirweg 88, 9180 Moerbeke-Waas, Belgium

by an Assignment dated: **July 2, 1998** of an invention relating to and entitled:

DISTRIBUTED COMPUTING ENVIRONMENT USING REAL-TIME SCHEDULING LOGIC AND TIME DETERMINISTIC ARCHITECTURE

We do hereby declare, for good and valuable consideration
 assign, and transfer unto:

received, sell,

WE, the ASSIGNEE: **THE DOW CHEMICAL COMPANY**
2030 Dow Center
Midland, Michigan 48674
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

a corporation organized and existing under the laws of **the State of Delaware, United States of America** our entire right, title and interest throughout the world, in and to the invention and all rights and powers to make application for Letters Patent in its own name, or in the name of its nominee; and all rights and powers to file any reissue, divisional, continuing or substitute application and any corresponding applications in any and all countries, including all rights to claim priority under all International Conventions and Treaties in the name of said Assignee, and do hereby authorize said Assignee to insert here the Priority Number 60/086,737 and Filing Date May 26, 1998 in United States of America


of the application on which the priority will be based; and in and to any Letters Patent that may be issued for said invention in any and all countries; and we do hereby agree to assist said Assignee in the prosecution of the said applications and in any interference, conflict, opposition or litigation which may arise involving said invention or the patent or patents thereon, and to execute any reissue, divisional, continuing or substitute application and assent to their making any applications in other countries corresponding to the above and below specifically identified application, as may be requested by said Assignee; and we do hereby authorize said Assignee to insert here the Corresponding Application No. 09/315,202 and Filing Date May 19, 1999 in the United States of America

of the corresponding application in any country where that patent property must be entered for recordal of this Assignment; and we do hereby authorize and request that any such Letters Patent be issued to said Assignee in accordance herewith, and consent to the recordal of this Assignment being under covenant, not only that we have full power to make the same, but also that such assigned rights are not encumbered by any grant, license, or other right heretofore given.

Subscribed and Sworn by us at Midland, Michigan 48674, U.S.A.

this 5 day of August 1998

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SIGNATURE
By: 

DOW BENELUX N.V.

STEPHEN S. GRACE

**General Patent Counsel, THE DOW CHEMICAL
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at Midland, Michigan 48674, USA

this 07th day of April 2004



Crystal S. Rohde
Office Professional
THE DOW CHEMICAL COMPANY

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STATE OF **MICHIGAN**) SS
County/Parish of **Midland**)

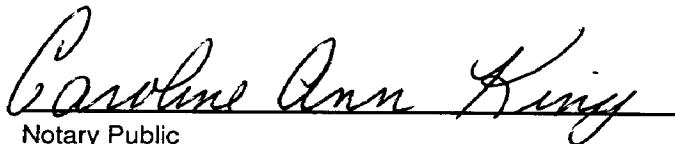
On this 07th day of April 2004, personally appeared before me,

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