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PATENT APPLICATION



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In re application of

Richard W. Pekala

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Filed:

For: **BATTERY SEPARATORS CONTAINING
REACTIVE FUNCTIONAL GROUPS**

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May 21, 2004

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Respectfully submitted,

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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, I, Richard W. Pekala, of Corvallis, County of Benton, State of Oregon, have made inventions described in a United States patent application entitled BATTERY SEPARATORS CONTAINING REACTIVE FUNCTIONAL GROUPS, said application having been executed by me on the 21ST day of May, 2004, and assigned 27598/21:2; and

WHEREAS, Amtek Research International LLC, a Delaware Limited Liability Company, having a place of business at 250 North Hansard Avenue, Lebanon, Oregon 97355, is desirous of acquiring an interest therein:

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I, Richard W. Pekala, hereby sell, assign, and transfer to Amtek Research International LLC the full and exclusive right, title, and interest in and to said inventions, said patent application, and any and all patent rights and letters patent for said inventions in the United States and elsewhere throughout the world, including provisional rights, foreign patent priority rights, and the right to apply for patents in foreign countries in my name or in the name of Amtek Research International LLC, and further including all divisions and continuations of said application and of any foreign patent applications, and all reissues and extensions of patent rights and letters patent for said inventions, all to be held and enjoyed by Amtek Research International LLC, for its own use and benefit, and by its successors and assigns for their own use and benefit, for the full duration of the terms for which patent rights and letters patent may be granted in this or any foreign country, and covenant that I have full right so to do, and agree that I will communicate to Amtek Research International LLC, and its successors and assigns, any facts known to me respecting said inventions, and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all lawful divisional, continuation, and reissue applications, make all rightful declarations or oaths, and do everything lawfully possible to aid Amtek Research International LLC, and its successors and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for said inventions in this or any foreign country.

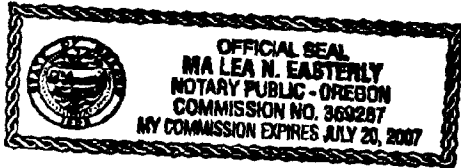
Executed at Lebanon, State of Oregon, this 21st day of May, 2004.

Richard W. Pekala
Richard W. Pekala

STATE OF OREGON)

County of Lincoln) ss.

This 21st day of May, 2004, before me personally came the above-named Richard W. Pekala, who executed the foregoing instrument in my presence, and who acknowledged to me that he or she executed the same of his or her own free will for the purposes set forth herein.



Ma Lea N. Easterly
Notary Public for Oregon
My commission expires: July 20, 2007

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