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10/897,769

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## ASSIGNMENT

U.C.B. Case No. B03-090-1

For good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNOR(S),

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**2. Sudip MUKHOPADHYAY**

### 3. Mark ZERELLA

hereby sells, assigns and transfers to ASSIGNEE, The Regents of the University of California, a California Corporation, having its statewide administrative offices located 1111 Franklin St., 12<sup>th</sup> Floor, Oakland, CA 94607-5200, and the successors, assigns and legal representatives of the ASSIGNEE all of its right, title and interest for the United States and its territorial possessions and in all foreign countries in and to, any and all improvements which are disclosed in the UCB Case No. B03-090-1 entitled:

### Process For Production Of Acetyl Anhydrides And Optionally Acetic Acid From Methane And Carbon Dioxide

or which is found in

(a) \_\_\_\_\_ U.S. provisional application filed herewith and listing the above-named persons as inventors

(b) \_\_\_\_\_ U.S. patent application filed herewith and listing the above-named persons as inventors

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and any legal equivalent thereof in a foreign country, including the right to claim priority and, in and to, all Letters Patent to be obtained for said invention by the above application or any continuation, division, continuation-in-part, extension, conversion to 35 USC 111(a) or substitute thereof, and any reissue, reexamination or extension of said Letters Patent and all rights under all International Conventions for the Protection of Industrial Property;

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AND the ASSIGNOR(S) requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue said Letters Patent of the United States and any reissue or extension thereof to the ASSIGNEE, The Regents of the University of California.

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