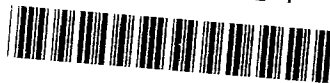




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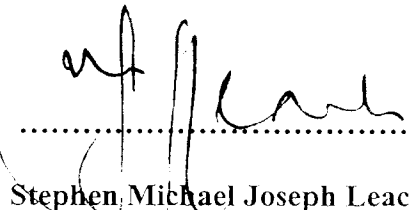
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***NOTARIAL CERTIFICATION***

**TO ALL** to whom these presents shall come I **STEPHEN MICHAEL JOSEPH LEACH** of Woodbridge in the County of Suffolk England Notary Public duly authorised admitted and sworn and practising within the united Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland do hereby certify that the printed and written or photostat matter hereto annexed is a true and correct copy with which it has been examined and compared.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my seal of office this 15<sup>th</sup> day of June 2004 at Woodbridge in the County of Suffolk England

Signed by

  
.....  
Stephen Michael Joseph Leach

Notary Public of 19 Church Street, Woodbridge, Suffolk, IP12 1DS  
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## ASSIGNMENT

THIS ASSIGNMENT is made as of the day and date of the signature last affixed below,  
by and between

THE VICTORIA UNIVERSITY OF MANCHESTER, a Company Incorporated by Royal  
Charter (Reg. No. RC000685), of Oxford Road, Manchester M30 9PL, United Kingdom  
("the University")

and

HYPOGUARD LIMITED, an English company (Reg. No. 01912532) whose registered  
office is at Dock Lane, Melton, Woodbridge, Suffolk IP12 1PE, United Kingdom  
("Hypoguard")

WHEREAS the Assignor is the Registered Proprietor of the patents and patent  
applications (collectively "the Patent Rights") referred to in Schedule I to this Agreement

AND WHEREAS by virtue of an agreement dated 11 November 1998 between the  
University and Sensalyse Holdings Limited ("Sensalyse") (among others) the University  
agreed to assign the Patent Rights to Sensalyse in consideration of the issue of shares  
by Sensalyse to the University

AND WHEREAS Sensalyse issued the shares to the University but the University did  
not assign the Patent Rights to Sensalyse

AND WHEREAS Sensalyse and its liquidators purported to assign the Patent Rights to  
Hypoguard by an Assignment dated 30 October 2002

AND WHEREAS the University has agreed to assign the Patent Rights to Hypoguard

IT IS NOW AGREED AS FOLLOWS:

1. In consideration of the sum of £1 (one pound sterling) the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged by the University, the University hereby assigns to Hypoguard all the beneficial and legal right, title, and interest which it has in and to:

1.1 The Patent Rights, including any divisional, continuation, utility model or other application for protection based thereon and any Patents granted thereon; and

1.2 All causes of action which may have accrued to the University anywhere in the world in relation to any infringement of any of the rights assigned.

2. The University hereby undertakes that it shall at the cost of Hypoguard execute all such documents, deeds or other things as may reasonably be required to vest the rights assigned hereunder in the sole name of Hypoguard, to record this assignment before the relevant authorities.

3. This assignment shall be construed in accordance with and governed by English law and the English Courts shall have jurisdiction over any disputes thereunder.

SCHEDULE I

Country	Description	Application No.	Grant No.
Australia	Surfactant Membrane P87624	75774/96	
Canada	Surfactant Membrane 87624	2236980	
Japan	Surfactant Membrane 87624	09-516890	
US	Surfactant Membrane 87624	09/068333	
Austria	SPEES/PES Membrane - P395	86308918.1	0225094/68824
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Canada	SPEES/PES Membrane - P395	524145	1291956
Switzerland	SPEES/PES Membrane P395	86308918.1	0225094
Germany	SPEES/PES Membrane - P395	86308918.1	0225094
Denmark	SPEES/PES Membrane - P395	5745/86	172854
Spain	SPEES/PES Membrane - P395	86308918.1	0225094
Finland	SPEES/PES Membrane - P395	864865	87932
France	SPEES/PES Membrane - P395	86308918.1	0225094
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Ireland	SPEES/PES Membrane - P395	3047/86	59740
Israel	SPEES/PES Membrane - P395	80753	
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Japan	SPEES/PES Membrane - P395	284073/1986	2008630
Luxembourg	SPEES/PES Membrane - P395	86308918.1	0225094
Netherlands	SPEES/PES Membrane - P395	86308918.1	0225094
Portugal	SPEES/PES	83823	

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	Membrane – P395		
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US	SPEES/PES Membrane – P395	06/936720	4832797
South Africa	SPEES/PES Membrane – P395	86/8715	

SIGNED AS A DEED UNDER ENGLISH LAW by:

[signature].....

[print name]..... PROFESSOR M B HARRIS

[position]..... Vice-Chancellor

16/4/04  
Date

FOR AND ON BEHALF OF THE VICTORIA UNIVERSITY OF MANCHESTER

In the presence of:

[witness signature].....

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UNIVERSITY OF MANCHESTER

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We accept this assignment

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[print name]..... M. A. LUKER

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Date 22.4.04

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