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<p>1. Name of conveying party(ies): Timothy C. Lindsey, Joseph Pickowitz, Stephen Rundell</p>	<p>2. Name and address of receiving party(ies): Name: Chemical Management Systems, LLC Address: 70 King Street Elk Grove Village, IL 60007 Additional name(s) &amp; address(es) attached? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</p>
<p>3. Nature of Conveyance: Assignment  Execution Date: July 30, 2004</p>	

4. This document is being filed together with a new application. The execution date of the application is: July 30, 2004

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<p>5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:  Barry W. Sufrin Michael Best &amp; Friedrich LLP 401 North Michigan Avenue Suite 1900 Chicago, Illinois 60611  Phone: (312) 222-0800</p>	<p>6. Total number of applications and patents involved: <u>1</u>  7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41):.....\$ 40.00 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enclosed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Deficiencies in fee charged to Deposit Account  8. Deposit account number: <u>50-1965</u></p>
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9. Statement and signature.

*To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document.*

Barry W. Sufrin (Reg. No. 27,398) July 30, 2004  
 Name of Person Signing Signature Date

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A S S I G N M E N T

Pursuant to our obligation to Chemical Management Systems, LLC (hereinafter referred to as "Assignee"), a Illinois Limited Liability Company having its principal place of business at:

70 King Street  
Elk Grove Village, IL 60007

and for other valuable and sufficient consideration, receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, we:

Timothy C. Lindsey  
507 Northshore  
Mahomet, IL 61853

Joseph Pickowitz  
107 N. Elm  
Pesotum, IL 61863

Stephen Rundell  
2536 Royal Troon Court  
Riverwoods, IL 60015

confirm our obligation to and hereby sell, assign and convey, unto Assignee, its successors and assigns, our entire right, title and interest -

(1) in and to an invention entitled "Method and Process for Purifying Mixtures of Oil and Water" for which we have executed a United States Patent Application on even date herewith (Atty. File No. 205543-9004);

(2) in and to said United States patent application, in and to all other patent applications (including divisional, continuation, continuation-in-part, §111(b) provisional, §111(a), and reissue applications) based upon said invention, and in and to the patent or patents to be granted thereon, including reissues thereof, if any, to the full end of the term or terms for which said patent or patents may be granted;

(3) in and to all patent applications on said invention now or hereafter filed in countries foreign to the United States of America, and in and to any and all patents granted on said applications to the full end of the terms for which said patents may be granted; and

(4) under the International Convention in respect to the United States patent application and agree that any patent applications of any foreign countries which may be filed shall be filed in the name of our Assignee with a claim to priority based on said United States application.

And we hereby agree that we will, upon demand of Assignee, its successors or assigns, and without further consideration to us, execute any and all papers that may be necessary, or deemed by Assignee, its successors or assigns, to be necessary, to a complete fulfillment of the intent and purposes of this Assignment, it being understood that any expense incident to the execution of such papers shall be paid by Assignee, its successors and assigns, and not by us.

And the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States is hereby authorized and requested to issue said United States patent or patents to Assignee.

7/30/04  
Date

Timothy C. Lindsey  
Timothy C. Lindsey

State of Illinois )  
County of Cook )

I do hereby certify that Timothy C. Lindsey, personally known to me to be the same person or persons who signed the foregoing instrument, appeared before me this day and acknowledged that said instrument was signed and delivered as the free and voluntary act of Timothy C. Lindsey, for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

Given under my hand and seal, this 30th day of July 2004.



[Signature]  
Notary Public

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7/30/2004

Date

*Joseph M. Pickowitz*  
Joseph Pickowitz

State of Illinois )

County of Cook )

I do hereby certify that Joseph Pickowitz, personally known to me to be the same person or persons who signed the foregoing instrument, appeared before me this day and acknowledged that said instrument was signed and delivered as the free and voluntary act of Joseph Pickowitz, for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

Given under my hand and seal, this 30th day of July 2004.



*[Signature]*  
Notary Public

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7/30/2004

Date

*Stephen Rundell*  
Stephen Rundell

State of Illinois )

County of Cook )

I do hereby certify that Stephen Rundell, personally known to me to be the same person or persons who signed the foregoing instrument, appeared before me this day and acknowledged that said instrument was signed and delivered as the free and voluntary act of Stephen Rundell, for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

Given under my hand and seal, this 30th day of July 2004.



*[Signature]*  
Notary Public

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