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WHEREAS, we, Lars Zander, Albert Strube, Andreas Heidbreder, Alfred Westfechtel and Wolfgang Giede citizens of Germany and residents of Caecilienstrasse 12, 40597 Duesseldorf, Germany; Max-Ernst-Strasse 107, 41470 Neuss, Germany; Alzenauer Weg 12, 42699 Solingen, Germany; Menzelweg 74, 40724 Hilden, Germany; and Gravenberger Weg 7, 40764 Langenfeld, Germany; respectively, have invented certain new and useful improvement in METHOD FOR PRODUCING CONJUGATED FATTY ACID ESTERS for which we have made application for United States Letters Patent, said application having been filed as PCT international application number PCT/EP02/09584 on August 28, 2002 designating the United States of America and various other countries; and

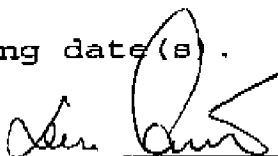
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NOW, THEREFORE, to all whom it may concern, be it known that we, the said Lars Zander, Albert Strube, Andreas Heidbreder, Alfred Westfechtel and Wolfgang Giede for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over unto the said Cognis


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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hand as of the following date(s).


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