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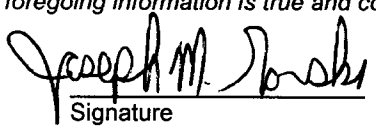
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WHEREAS, by virtue of Assignment recorded on May 9, 2001 in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on Reel 011907 - Frame 0212, UNI-SUNSTAR B.V., of Strawinskylaan 3019, Atrium 1HG, NL-1077 ZX Amsterdam, Netherlands (hereinafter referred to as "Assignor") is one of the owners of United States Patent Application No. 10/819,178 for an invention entitled:

METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR MOLDING BEAD


FILED on April 7, 2004.

WHEREAS, Sunstar Suisse SA, a Swiss body corporate of Victoria House, Route de la Pierre, 22, 1024 Ecublens, Switzerland (hereinafter referred to as "Assignee"), is desirous of acquiring from the said Assignor his right, title and interest in, and to the said United States patent application.

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of ten dollars (US\$10.00) paid by the Assignee to the Assignor, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, the Assignor hereby sells, transfers and conveys to the Assignee of all his right, title and interest in, to and under the said patent application to the Assignee.

Dated this 11th day of August , 2004.

UNI-SUNSTAR B.V.


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