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ASSIGNMENT OF APPLICATION FOR PATENT

WHEREAS, we Thomas KRUMREY, Kurt SCHALAPSKI, Robert RAPIER, John STEINBACH, Bak SHAH and Mark HEWLETT, citizens of Germany, Germany, U.S.A., U.S.A., U.S.A., and U.S.A., respectively and residents of Germany, Germany, U.S.A., U.S.A., U.S.A., and U.S.A., respectively for which Application PCT/EP02/13340 has been filed on November 27, 2002 in which the United States has been named as Designated State, and an application for Letters Patent of the United States thus entitled has been made, said application having been executed on even date herewith and the priority date of December 8, 2001 is hereby claimed.

WHEREAS, Celanese Chemicals Europe GmbH, a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of Germany and having a place of business at Lurgialle 14, D-60439 Frankfurt am Main, Germany is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, application and any Letters Patent which may issue thereon;

NOW THEREFORE, to all whom it may concern, be it known that we, the said Thomas KRUMREY, Kurt SCHALAPSKI, Robert RAPIER, John STEINBACH, Bak SHAH and Mark HEWLETT for and in consideration of the sum of ONE DOLLAR (\$1.00) to us in hand paid by the said Celanese Chemicals Europe GmbH and for other good and valuable considerations, the receipt of all of which is hereby acknowledged, do

hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over onto the said Celanese Chemicals Europe GmbH its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, said application and any Letters Patent that may issue thereon in the United States together with any division or divisions, extension or extensions, reissue or reissues thereof;

AND, we hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any and all Letters Patent which may issue upon said invention to said Celanese Chemicals Europe GmbH as the assignee of the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, application and any Letters Patent that may issue thereupon.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand as of the following date:

Thomas KRUMREY Date: _____

Kurt SCHALAPSKI Date: _____

Robert RAPIER Date: _____

John STEINBACH Date: _____

Bak Shah :
Bak SHAH Date: April 20, 2004

Mark HEWLETT Date: _____

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On this 20th day of April 2004 before me
personally came Bak Shah to
me know and known to me to be the individuals described in and who executed the
foregoing instrument and fully acknowledged that they executed the same.

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(Pete Nichols)