

AIXSI-40

Form PTO-1595 (Rev. 03/01) OMB No. 0651-0027 (exp. 5/31/2002)

12-01-2004



102892281

COVER SHEET

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE U.S. Patent and Trademark Office

107498259

Attorney's Docket No. 025219-455

DT08 Rec'd PCT/PTO 09 JUN 2004

To the Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office

1. Name of conveying party(ies):

6-9-04

Jacques PARIS and Jean-Raymond COSTES

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies):

Name: Commissariat a L'Energie Atomique

Internal Address:

Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? Yes No

3. Nature of conveyance:

- Assignment, Merger, Security Agreement, Change of Name, Other

Street Address:

31-33 rue de la Fédération 75752 Paris 15ème

Execution Date: May 17, 2004

City: State: Zip:

Additional name(s) & addresses attached? Yes No

4. Application number(s) or patent number(s):

If this document is being filed together with a new application, the execution date of the application is: May 17, 2004

A. Patent Application No.(s)

10/498259

B. Patent No.(s)

Additional numbers attached? Yes No

5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:

Name: Allen R. Baum

Address:

Burns, Doane, Swecker & Mathis, L.L.P. Customer Number 21839 P.O. Box 1404 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1404

6. Total number of applications and patents involved: 1

7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41).....\$ 40.00

- Enclosed, Authorized to be charged to deposit account, Credit card

8. Deposit account number:

02-4800

(Attach duplicate copy of this page if paying by deposit account.)

06/10/2004 GFREY1 00000066 024800 10498259 02 Fee:8021 40.00 DA

DO NOT USE THIS SPACE

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.

Stephen J. Tytran, Reg. No. 45,846

Name of Person Signing

Signature

6/9/2004 Date

Total number of pages including cover sheet, attachments, and documents: 3

Mail documents to be recorded with required cover sheet information to: Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office / Mail Stop Assignment Recordation Services P.O. Box 1450 / Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

EXPRESS MAIL LABEL NUMBER: EV171049512 US I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS PAPER OR FEE IS BEING DEPOSITED WITH THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE "EXPRESS MAIL POST OFFICE TO ADDRESSEE" SERVICE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1. ON JUNE 9, 2004 AND IS ADDRESS TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS P.O. BOX 1450 ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450. KATHRYN L. BOYD DATE June 9, 2004

Assignment Of Application

WHEREAS, I (WE)

PARIS Jacques – 7 allée du Romarin – 30200 BAGNOLS S/CEZE - FRANCE

COSTES Jean-Raymond – Les Majuranes – 84100 UCHAUX - FRANCE

respectively, have invented certain new and useful improvements in :

PROCESS FOR THE TREATMENT OF A NUCLEAR GRAPHITE CONTAMINATED WITH RADIOELEMENTS BY MILLING THE SAID GRAPHITE IN A LIQUID MEDIUM

for which an application for Letters Patent was executed on May 17, 2004
(Application No. _____, filed _____), and

WHEREAS, COMMISSARIAT A L'ENERGIE ATOMIQUE

(hereinafter referred to as "assignee") having a place of business at :

31-33 rue de la Fédération
75752 PARIS 15ème

is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and in and to any Letters patent that may be granted therefore in the United States and its territorial possessions and in any and all foreign countries ;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of FIVE DOLLARS (\$5.00), the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledge, and for other good and valuable consideration, I (WE), by these presents do sell, assign and transfer unto said ASSIGNEE, the full and exclusive right to the said invention in the United States and its territorial possessions and in all foreign countries and the entire right, title and interest in and to any and all Letters patent which may be granted thereof in the United States and its territorial possessions and in any and all foreign countries and in and to any and all divisions, reissues, continuations, substitutions and renewals thereof.

I (WE) hereby authorise and request the Patent Office Officials in the United States and its territorial possessions and any all foreign countries to issue any and all of said Letters Patent, when granted, to said ASSIGNEE as the assignee of my (our) entire right , title and interest in and to the same, for the sole use and behoof of said ASSIGNEE, its (his) successors and assigns, to the full end of the term for which said Letters Patent may be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by me (us) had this Assignment and sale not been made.

FD 340

Further, I (WE) agree that I (WE) will communicate to said ASSIGNEE or its (his) representatives any facts known to me (us) respecting said invention, and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuation, substitute, renewal and reissue applications, execute all necessary assignment papers to cause any and all of said Letter Patent to be issue to said ASSIGNEE, make all rightful oaths, and, generally do everything possible to aid said ASSIGNEE, its (his) successors and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper protection for said invention in the United States and its territorial possessions and in any and all foreign countries.

The undersigned hereby grant(s) the firm of Burns, Doane, Swecker & Mathis LLP of 1737 King Street #400, Alexandria, Virginia 22314-2727 the power to insert on this assignment any further identification, including the application number and filing date, which may be necessary or desirable in order to comply with the rules of the United States patent and trademark office for recordation of this document.

Date : May 17, 2004

PARIS Jacques



(Signature of Inventor)

Date : May 17, 2004

COSTES Jean-Raymond



(Signature of Inventor)

Date : _____

(Signature of Inventor)

Date : _____

(Signature of Inventor)

Date : _____

(Signature of Inventor)

Date : _____

(Signature of Inventor)

Date : _____

(Signature of Inventor)

Date : _____

(Signature of Inventor)

BURNS, DOANE, SWECKER & MATHIS LLP
1737 King Street #400,
Alexandria, Virginia 22314-2727