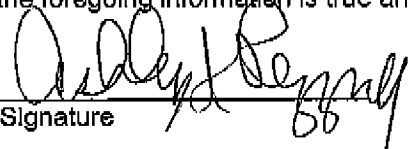


FORM PTO - 1595 1-31-92		RECORDATION FORM COVER SHEET Patent and Trademark Office PATENTS ONLY		U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE	
To the Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Please record the attached original documents or copy thereof					
1. Name of conveying party(ies): Shell Research Limited Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No			2. Names and addresses of receiving party (ies): BASF Agro B.V., Arnhem (NL), Wädenswil-Branch 8820 Wädenswil/Au, Switzerland Additional name(s) address(es) attached? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
3. Nature of conveyance: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Assignment <input type="checkbox"/> Merger <input type="checkbox"/> Security Agreement <input type="checkbox"/> Change of Name <input type="checkbox"/> Other Execution Date: June 8, 2005					
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: A. Patent Application No.(s) B. Patent No.(s) 4,753,934 Additional numbers attached? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No					
5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed: Name: Ashley I. Pezzner Internal Address: Connolly Bove Lodge & Hutz LLP Street Address: 1007 North Orange Street P.O. Box 2207 City: Wilmington State: DE Zip: 19899			6. Total Number of applications and patents involved: one 7. Total Fee (37 CFR 3.41) \$40.00 <input type="checkbox"/> Enclosed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Authorized to be charged to deposit account 8. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Deposit account number: 03-2775 The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required to the above-identified deposit account number.		
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.					
Ashley I. Pezzner Name of Person Signing		 Signature		6/29/05 Date	
Attorney Docket #: 12810*5		Total number of pages including cover sheet, attachments, and document: 2			
OMB No. 0651-0011 (exp. 4/94)					
Do not detach this portion Mail documents to be recorded with required cover sheet information to: Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Mail Stop Assignments Washington, D.C. 20231					
Public burden reporting for this sample cover sheet is estimated to average about 30 minutes per document to be recorded, including time for reviewing the document and gathering the data needed, and completing and reviewing the sample cover sheet. Send comments regarding this burden estimate to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, Office of Information Systems, PK2-1000C, Washington, D.C. 20231, and to the Office of Management and Budget, Paperwork Reduction Project (0651-0011), Washington, D.C. 20503.					

CH \$40.00 032776 4753934

ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Shell Research Limited, a company organized under the laws of U.K., whose principal offices are located at Shell Centre, 2 York Road, Waterloo, London SE1, England (hereinafter referred to as "Assignor") is the registered proprietor of the following United States Letters Patent:

No. 4,753,934 issued on June 28, 1988 on Application No. 6-913,136 filed on Sept 29, 1986

WHEREAS, BASF Agro B.V., Amhem (NL), Wädenswil-Branch, a company organized under the laws of Switzerland, whose principal offices are located at 8820 Wädenswil/Au, Switzerland (hereinafter referred to as "Assignee") is desirous of acquiring ownership of said patent and the inventions covered thereby:

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of one dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration paid by the Assignee to the Assignor, of which receipt is hereby acknowledged, the Assignor, by its undersigned duly-authorized representative(s), hereby does sell and assign its entire right, title and interest in said U.S. Letters Patent 4,753,934 to said BASF Agro B.V., Amhem (NL), Wädenswil-Branch, its successors and assigns.

Signed this 8th day of June 2005.



Katherine Rosemary PAGE

Authorized Signatory

Shell Research Limited