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WHEREAS, I (WE), Egon WEGNER and Stephan SCHWARTE residing at Spulerstr. 4b, 48268 Greven, Federal Republic of Germany; Kupfergraben 13, 48282 Emsdetten, Federal Republic of Germany (declarant(s)) declare that I (WE) have invented certain improvements in: METHOD FOR IMPROVING THE ADHSEION OF THE INTERMEDIATE LAYER IN A MULTI-LAYER PAINT FINISH hereinafter the invention or inventions, described in U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/549,055, filed on September 13, 2005 and being owner(s) of all right, title and interest in and to said invention or inventions and to said application, free from all prior assignments, agreements, licenses, mortgages, or other encumbrances whatsoever, and having full right to convey the entire interest both legal and equitable herein assigned; and

WHEREAS, BASF Coatings Aktiengesellschaft, a corporation of the Federal Republic of Germany having a place of business at, Glasuritstr. 1, 48165 Münster, Federal Republic of Germany (assignee), is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention or inventions, and to said application and to any and all patents to be obtained therefor;

NOW THEREFORE, in accordance with the terms of declarant(s) employment agreement, the declarant(s) does (do) hereby assign, transfer and set over unto said assignee, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention or inventions, as described in the

aforesaid application, in any form or embodiment thereof, and in and to the aforesaid application; and in and to any application filed in any foreign country based thereon, including the right to file said foreign applications under the provisions of the International Convention; also the entire right, title and interest in and to any and all patents or reissues or extensions thereof to be obtained in this or any foreign country upon said invention or inventions and any divisional, continuation, continuation-in-part or substitute applications which may be filed upon said invention or inventions in this or any foreign country; and the declarant(s) hereby authorize(s) and request(s) the issuing authority to issue any and all patents on said application or applications to said assignee or its successors and assigns.

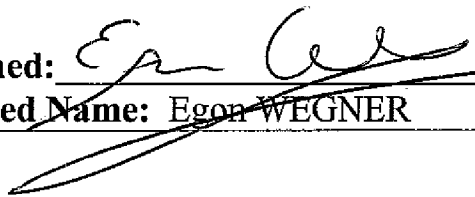
The declarant(s) further agrees(s), in accordance with the terms of declarant(s) employment agreement, without any payment or compensation by said assignee or its successors and assigns, to communicate to said assignee, its representatives or agents or its successors and assigns, any facts relating to said invention or inventions including evidence for interference purposes or for other legal proceedings, whenever requested; to testify in any interference or other legal proceedings, whenever requested; to execute and deliver, on request, all lawful papers required to make any of the foregoing provisions effective; and to do everything possible to aid said assignee, its successors, or assigns and nominees to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for said invention or inventions in this or any foreign country.


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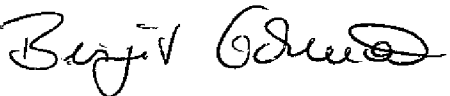
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