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Name: PRAXAIR TECHNOLOGY, INC.

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JOINT

**ASSIGNMENT OF INVENTION, PRIORITY RIGHTS
AND RIGHTS TO APPLY FOR PATENTS**

We, the undersigned, Jeffert John Nowobilski, Engineer and Citizen of the United States of
America, residing at 48 Faahs Drive, Orchard Park, New York 14127 and Cem Celik, Engineer
and Citizen of Turkey, residing at 5 Holly Lane #5, Tonawanda, New York 14150.

HEREBY STATE UNDER OATH that we are the original, first and true inventors of an
invention for ADSORBENT VESSEL WITH IMPROVED FLOW DISTRIBUTION
as described and/or claimed in our application for Letters Patent in the United States of America,
executed on the 21st day of October, 2005, (Docket No. D-21540).

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of our employment by Praxair, Inc. manufacturers, a
corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, United States of America,
having an office at 39 Old Ridgebury Road, Danbury, Connecticut 06810-5113, United States of
America, and in fulfillment of our pre-existing obligation of assignment to our employer;

WE DO HEREBY ASSIGN, TRANSFER AND SELL our entire right, title, and interest in and
to said invention and application unto

PRAXAIR TECHNOLOGY, INC.

technology licensors, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware,
United States of America, its successors and nominees, having an office at 39 Old Ridgebury Road,
Danbury, Connecticut 06810, United States of America and being a wholly owned subsidiary of the said
Praxair, Inc., as the Assignee, without any restrictions, reservations or limitations, the entire right, title
and interest in and to the aforesaid application for Letters Patent and all patents which may be granted
thereon, and all divisions, continuations, continuations-in-part, reissues and extension thereof;

INCLUDING ALL RIGHTS in and to said invention in any country of the world, including, but
not limited to, all priority rights derived from the aforesaid application for Letters Patent by virtue of the
International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property and for any and all member countries
of the aforesaid International Convention;


AND FURTHER INCLUDING THE SOLE RIGHT to file such applications under the Patent
Laws of any country of the world in its name and/or ours, and the sole right to have patents granted on
said applications in its name and/or ours to the full end of the term for which said patents may be granted
as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by us had this assignment not been made, and to
enforce said patents with our right to sue in any court of competent jurisdiction and obtain all remedies
available, including but not limited to injunctions and to recover lost profits or compensatory and
enhanced damages and attorneys fee for any and all infringements thereof;

AND AUTHORIZE our attorney of record to insert below in this instrument the serial number and filing date of said application;

AND AUTHORIZE AND REQUEST the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue all patents on said invention resulting therefrom to said PRAXAIR TECHNOLOGY, INC. as Assignee of the entire right, title and interest, and covenant that we have the full right to do so, and agree that we will communicate to said PRAXAIR TECHNOLOGY, INC. or its representatives any facts known to us respecting said invention and testify in legal proceedings, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuing, continuation-in-part, extensions and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths and generally do everything possible to aid said PRAXAIR TECHNOLOGY, INC. its successors, assigns, or nominees, to obtain and enforce proper protection for said invention in all countries.

SIGNED AND SEALED AT Tonawanda this 25th day of October, 2005.

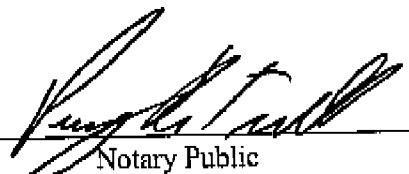
WITNESSES:

- 1. 
- 2. Ravi Kumar


JEFFERT JOHN NOWOBILSKI

State New York)
County of Erie) ss:

This 25th day of October 2005, before me personally came the above-named **Jeffert John Nowobilski** to me personally known as the individual who executed the foregoing assignment, who has acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same of his/her own free will for the purposes therein set forth.


Notary Public

PENNY R. TURRELL
Notary Public, State of New York
Qualified in Niagara County, No. 4842627
My Commission Expires March 30, ~~2006~~

SIGNED AND SEALED AT Tonawanda this 21st

day of October, 2005.

WITNESSES:

1. [Signature]

[Signature]
CEM CELIK

2. Ravi Kumar

State of New York)

County of Erie) ss:

This 21st day of October, 2005, before me personally came the above-named **Cem Celik** to me personally known as the individual who executed the foregoing assignment, who has acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same of his/her own free will for the purposes therein set forth.

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ACCEPTANCE

WE, the undersigned, PRAXAIR TECHNOLOGY, INC. of 39 Old Ridgebury Road, Danbury, Connecticut 06810, United States of America, do hereby declare that we have accepted the foregoing assignment.

Danbury, Connecticut, U.S.A. November 9, 2005

PRAXAIR TECHNOLOGY, INC.

Christina M. Momeno
Witness:

By: Joann M. Jelsa
Joann M. Jelsa
Authorized Agent

Samuel K. Gendron
Witness:

The application identified above as Docket No. 21540 was filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on October 31, 2005 and was given Serial Number 11/261,667.
This insertion was made by me this 9th day of November, 2005.

Stanley Ktorides
Stanley Ktorides
Reg. No. 29,399
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