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the ASSIGNOR(S), have invented certain new and useful improvements in

PROCESS FOR THE PREPARATION OF α-TOCOPHERYL-ACETATE

which are described and claimed in European Application No. 03000493.1 filed January 13, 2003 in Europe, European Patent Application No. 03024288.7 filed October 23, 2003 and PCT/EP2003/014723 filed December 22, 2003 also in Europe.

NOW, THEREFOR, for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable considerations to me (us) in hand paid, the receipt and sufficiency whereof are hereby acknowledged, I/we have sold, assigned and set over, and by these presents do hereby sell, assign and set over unto

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