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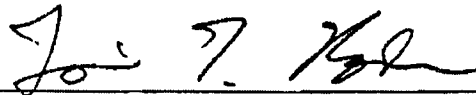
WHEREAS, we, Toivo T. Kodas of 11102 San Rafael Dr. NE, Albuquerque, NM 87122, Mark J. Hampden-Smith of 2901 Maximillian NW, Albuquerque, NM 87121, James Caruso of 7721 Cedar Canyon Ct. NE, Albuquerque, NM 87122, Daniel J. Skamser of 10327 Hackamore Place SW, Albuquerque, NM 87121 and Quint H. Powell of 14336 Grand Avenue NE, Albuquerque, NM 87123 have invented a certain new and useful invention entitled "METAL-CARBON COMPOSITE POWDERS, METHODS FOR PRODUCING POWDERS AND DEVICES FABRICATED FROM SAME" for which an application for Letters Patent of the United States has been prepared and filed on August 27, 1998, receiving Serial No. 09/141,397, and further identified as Attorney File No. NAN-021-1.

NOW THEREFORE, be it known that we, the said inventors, for and in consideration of certain good and valuable consideration, the sufficiency and receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, at the request of the assignee do sell, assign and transfer unto said assignee, Nanochem Research LLC, a New Mexico limited liability company having a place of business at 3740 Hawkins NE, Albuquerque, NM 87109, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, the aforesaid application for the territory of the United States of America and all continuation, divisional, continuation-in-part and reissue applications, all patent applications in foreign countries, all applications pursuant to the Patent Cooperation Treaty and all applications for extension filed or to be filed for the invention, and all Letters Patent, Invention Registrations, Utility Models, Extensions or Reissues and other patent rights, obtained for the invention in the United States or any other country; we also assign any right, title or interest in and to the invention which has not already been transferred to the assignee: we warrant that we have made no assignment of the invention, application or patent therefor to a party other than Nanochem Research LLC, and we are under no obligation to make any assignment of the invention, application, or patent therefor to any other party; and we further agree to cooperate with the assignee hereunder in the obtaining and sustaining of any and all such Letters Patent and in confirming assignee's exclusive ownership of the invention, but at the expense of said assignee.

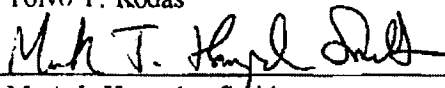
The Commissioner of Patents is hereby authorized and requested to issue the Letters Patent solely in accordance with the terms of this Assignment, to Nanochem Research LLC, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, as the assignee of the entire right, title and interest therein.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, each party hereto has executed this Assignment as of the date indicated hereunder.

Date: 12/21/98

By: 
Toivo T. Kodas

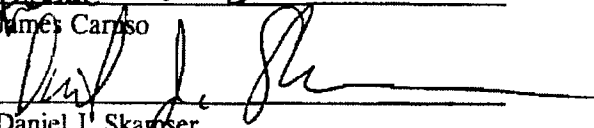
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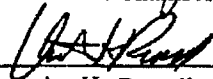
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Daniel J. Skamser

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By: 
Quint H. Powell

STATE OF NM)
COUNTY OF Bernalillo) ss.

Before me, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, personally appeared Toivo T. Kodas, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the purposes and considerations therein expressed.

Given under my hand and seal of office this 20 day of December 19 98.

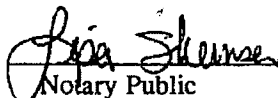

Notary Public

My Commission Expires: 9/11/2001

STATE OF New Mexico)
COUNTY OF Bernalillo) ss.

Before me, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, personally appeared Mark J. Hampden-Smith, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the purposes and considerations therein expressed.

Given under my hand and seal of office this 21 day of December 19 98.

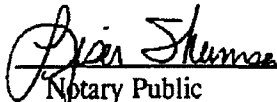

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COUNTY OF Bernalillo) ss.

Before me, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, personally appeared James Caruso, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the purposes and considerations therein expressed.

Given under my hand and seal of office this 21 day of Dec., 19 98.


Notary Public

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) ss.
COUNTY OF Bernalillo)

Before me, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, personally appeared Daniel J. Skamser, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the purposes and considerations therein expressed.

Given under my hand and seal of office this 21 day of Dec, 19 98.



Notary Public

My Commission Expires: 9/11/2001

STATE OF NM)
) ss.
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Before me, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, personally appeared Quint H. Powell, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the purposes and considerations therein expressed.

Given under my hand and seal of office this 21 day of Dec, 19 98.


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