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### **ASSIGNMENT**

WHEREAS, the undersigned, whose full name and post office address is:

### DORIS ERICKA LOUGHEED

19000 River Road Richmond, British Columbia Canada V6V 1M3 (hereinafter "Assignor"),

has invented certain new and useful inventions (the "Inventions") relating to:

# A BLENDED MULCH PRODUCT AND METHOD OF MAKING SAME

set forth in a patent application serial number 11/352,384 filled on February 10, 2006 with the United States Patent and Trademark Office (the "Patent Application");

AND WHEREAS, Assignor has agreed to sell, assign and transfer all of Assignor's right, title and interest in and to the Inventions and all patent rights throughout the world in connection therewith, including any Letters Patent which may be granted in connection with the Inventions, to

## CANADIAN FOREST PRODUCTS LTD.

100 - 1700 West 75th Avenue Vancouver, British Columbia Canada V6P 6G2 (hereinafter "Assignee");

NOW THEREFORE, In consideration of the foregoing, One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignor does hereby sell, assign, transfer, and set over unto Assignee, and unto Assignee's successors and assigns, all of Assignor's right, title and interest, throughout the world, in and to:

- (a) the Inventions;
- (b) the Patent Application;
- (c) the right to file patent applications on the Inventions in any and/or all countries and/or regions around the world, including Canada, the United States, the countries of the European Union, and any other countries around the world,
- (d) all rights associated with the Inventions and all patent applications and patents relating thereto, including all rights under the Hague Conventions, the Paris Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, and under the Patent Cooperation Treaty:
- (e) all patent applications claiming any and/or all of the Inventions, including any patent application claiming priority to the Patent Application and/or to any patent application claiming any of the Inventions, including any divisional, continuation, continuation-inpart and/or national phase entry of any of same;

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- (f) all right to recover damages, including royalties, for prior and/or future infringements of any patent applications identified in the preceding paragraphs (b)-(e) and/or of any patents issuing in connection with any of same; and
- (g) all patents issuing on or from any patent application identified in the preceding paragraphs (b)-(e), including any reissue and/or extensions of any of said patents;

(collectively, the "Patent Rights").

The above-granted rights, titles, and interests are to be held and enjoyed by Assignee, for its own use and behalf and the use and behalf of its successors, legal representatives, and assigns, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by Assignor had this sale and assignment not been made.

## As part of the foregoing:

Assignor hereby represents to Assignee, its successors, legal representatives, and assigns, that at the time of execution and delivery of these presents, Assignor is the exclusive and lawful owner of the entire right, title, and interest in and to the Inventions, that the Inventions are unencumbered, except, if applicable, by obligation to assign in accordance with any prior agreement with Assignee, and that Assignor has good and full right and lawful authority to sell and convey the same in the manner set forth herein.

Assignor will, without charge to Assignee but at Assignee's (or its successor's or assign's, as the case may be) cost and expense, promptly (i) assist with, execute and deliver all applications, declarations, verifications, responses, submissions, assignments and further documents relating to any and/or all Inventions, (ii) take all lawful oaths and (iii) do all such things, as may be requested by Assignee (or Assignee's successor's or assign's, as the case may be) from time to time and at any time, to enable Assignee and/or Assignee's nominees and/or representatives to procure, perfect, enforce, defend and/or maintain any and/or all of the Patent Rights.

Assignor acknowledges that Assignee is hereby the exclusive owner of the Patent Rights throughout the world, including the Inventions and all patent rights therein.

In the event that Assignee, or any successor or assign of Assignee, is unable for any reason whatsoever to secure Assignor's signature to any lawful document required to procure, perfect, enforce, defend and/or maintain any and/or all of the Patent Rights, Assignor hereby irrevocably appoints Assignee, its successors and assigns, and their respective duly authorized officers and agents, as Assignor's agents and attorneys-in-fact to execute and file any such document and to do all other lawfully permitted acts to further the procurement, perfection, enforcement, defence and/or maintenance of any and all of the Patent Rights, with the same legal force and effect as if executed by Assignor.

Upon the request from time to time and any time from Assignee or any of its successors or assigns, Assignor will without charge to Assignee or any of its successors or assigns but at Assignee's (or its successor's or assign's, as the case may be) cost and expense, execute all such transfers, assignments, confirmations, notices and other documents as, in the opinion of Assignee or any of its successors or assigns, may be necessary to effectively vest title to the Patent Rights or otherwise to procure, perfect, enforce, defend and/or maintain any and/or all of the Patent Rights.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF ASSIGNOR has caused this assignment to be duly executed.

SIGNED AT NA	<u>w Wistminster</u> (City or Town	B.C.	Canada	
CIGITED KII	(City or Town	)	(Country)	
this <u>31</u> day of	<u>March</u> , 2006	3.		
DORIS ERICKA LOU	Lougheed JGHEED	_		
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