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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Ciba Specialty Chemicals Corporation, a Delaware corporation, of 540 White Plains Road, Tarrytown, NY 10591, U.S.A. (hereinafter "Assignor") is the owner of the right, title and interest in and to the United States Patent

No. 6,472,550, granted October 29, 2002

WHEREAS, Clariant Finance (BVI) Ltd, a corporation of the British Virgin Islands, of Citco Building, Wickhams Cay, P.O. Box 662, Road Town, Tortola, British Virgin Islands (hereinafter "Assignee") desires to acquire said interest of Assignor in said patent and the invention covered thereby;

NOW THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignor, acting through its legal representatives, does hereby assign, sell and transfer to Assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, all its right, title and interest in said patent, reissues and extensions thereof, for the United States and its territorial possessions, the same to be held and enjoyed by the Assignee for its use and enjoyment, and for the use and enjoyment of its successors, assigns or other legal representatives, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by the Assignor, if this assignment and sale had not been made.

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