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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, NanoScale Materials, Inc. of 1310 Research Park Drive, Manhattan, Kansas 66502, is the owner of new and useful improvements in

METAL OXIDE NANOPARTICLES FOR SMOKE CLEARING AND FIRE  
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which is the subject of U.S. Patent Application No. 11/252,943, filed October 18, 2005, evidenced by an assignment from the inventors recorded at reel 017028, frame 0108; and

WHEREAS, NanoScale Materials, Inc., a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Kansas, and having its principal place of business at 1310 Research Park Drive, Manhattan, Kansas 66502, and Kansas State University Research Foundation, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Kansas, and having its principal place of business at 1500 Hayes Drive, Manhattan, Kansas 66502, are desirous of acquiring an interest in, to, and under said invention, said Application and any and all Letters Patent which may be granted for or upon said invention in the United States of America and all countries foreign thereto.

NOW, THEREFORE, to all whom it may concern, be it known that for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledge, WE, NanoScale Materials, Inc., have sold, assigned, and transferred, and by these presents do sell, assign, and transfer unto said NanoScale Materials, Inc. and Kansas State University Research Foundation, the full and exclusive right, title, and interest, throughout the world, in, to, and under the following:

- (a) said invention as fully set forth and described in said Application;
- (b) said Application Serial No. 11/252,943, filed October 18, 2005;
- (c) any and all refilings, divisions, and continuations of said Application;
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