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**MULTIPLY STRUCTURED PARTICLE AND METHOD FOR PRODUCING THE SAME**

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for which application in the United States Letters Patent has been executed by us on this  
15 day of November, 2005; and,

WHEREAS, (1) **Yoshiyuki KAWAZOE**, 19-24, Minamiyoshinari 2-chome, Aoba-ku, Sendai-shi, Miyagi-ken, JAPAN; (2) **Atsuo KASUYA**, 13-5, Kamo 1-chome, Izumi-ku, Sendai-shi, Miyagi-ken, JAPAN; (3) **Masanobu SATAKE**, 9-15, Minamiyoshinari 5-chome, Aoba-ku, Sendai-shi, Miyagi-ken, JAPAN; (4) **Noriaki OHUCHI**, 3-17-302, Kashiwagi 2-chome, Aoba-ku, Sendai-shi, Miyagi-ken, JAPAN; (5) **Motohiro TAKEDA**, 15-2, Katsura 3-chome, Izumi-ku, Sendai-shi, Miyagi-ken, JAPAN; and (6) **DOW CORNING TORAY CO., LTD.**, 1-3, Marunouchi 1-chome, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo, JAPAN, are desirous of acquiring said invention and said patent application and any and all Letters Patent that may be obtained therefore or thereupon, and all reissues and extensions thereof;

NOW, THEREFORE, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN, be it known that for and in consideration of the sum of 100 Yen, and other good and valuable considerations, to us in hand paid by the said (1) Yoshiyuki KAWAZOE; (2) Atsuo KASUYA; (3) Masanobu SATAKE; (4) Noriaki OHUCHI; (5) Motohiro TAKEDA; and (6) DOW CORNING TORAY CO., LTD., the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we have sold, assigned, transferred and set over and by these presents do sell, assign, transfer and set over unto the said (1) Yoshiyuki KAWAZOE; (2) Atsuo KASUYA; (3) Masanobu SATAKE; (4) Noriaki OHUCHI; (5) Motohiro TAKEDA; and (6) DOW CORNING TORAY CO., LTD., its successors, and assigns, the full and exclusive right, title and interest in and to said invention and said application for Letters Patent of the United States therefore, and in and to any Divisions and Continuations thereof and in and to any and all United States Letters Patent and reissues and extensions thereof that may be issued for said invention, to have and to hold for its own use and behoof and the use and behoof of its successors and assigns as fully and entirely as the same might be enjoyed by us if this sale and assignment had not been made; and

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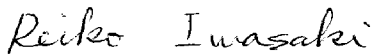


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