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ASSIGNMENT

I, one of the persons identified below as an "Inventor," have made solely or jointly with others a certain new and useful invention (the "Invention"), as set forth in an application for United States Letters Patent, bearing substantially the following title and bearing the following serial number. The application was executed by me, and it was filed on the indicated date:

Title: pH-SENSITIVE METHACRYLIC COPOLYMER
GELS AND THE PRODUCTION THEREOF

Serial Number: 10/366,864

Date Filed: 02/14/2003

For good and valuable consideration, I do hereby sell, assign, and transfer to the Iowa State University Research Foundation (hereinafter "ISURF") a non-stock, non-profit Iowa corporation, and to its legal representatives, successors, and assigns, my entire right, title, and interest in and to the Invention and to all United States and foreign patent applications, and under all international agreements in and to said Invention, any of whose claims cover all or part of the Invention, together with all patents resulting from such applications. I further grant to ISURF, its legal representatives, successors, and assigns, the right to claim for any of said applications the full benefits and priority rights of any international agreement between the United States and any foreign country or countries or between any other countries. ISURF shall hold such right, title, and interest as fully and completely as if they would have been held by me had this assignment and sale not been made.

I agree, upon ISURF's request, to execute or assent to such United States and foreign patent applications and to execute all separate assignments and other legal documents that ISURF may find necessary or desirable in its exercise of the right, title, and interest assigned above. I also agree to communicate to ISURF any facts relating to the Invention or to any of the patent applications or patents contemplated above that may be useful to ISURF and to testify as to such facts in any interferences or in litigation, if requested to do so. I shall do all these things without additional compensation but at no expense to me.

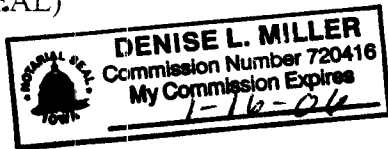
I hereby request the Commissioner of Patents to issue to ISURF, as the owner of my entire right, title, and interest therein, any Letters Patent of the United States that may be issued for the Invention.

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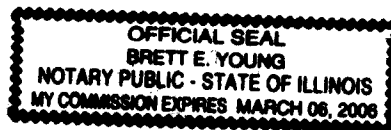
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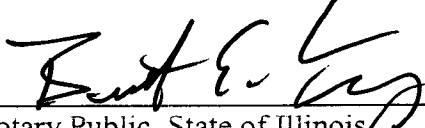
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