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WHEREAS, we, the undersigned, residing at the addresses given below, have invented certain new and useful improvements in **INERT WEAR RESISTANT PTFE-BASED SOLID LUBRICANT NANOCOMPOSITE**, for which an application for United States Letters Patent was

☒ signed by me as dated below.

☐ filed \_\_\_\_\_, Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_

WHEREAS, by virtue of our employment/appointment with the UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA, we are obligated to assign any rights in the said invention to the UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA or its designee;

WHEREAS, the UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA has designated the UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA RESEARCH FOUNDATION, INC., existing by virtue of the laws of the State of Florida, and having an office at 223 Grinter Hall, Gainesville, Florida 32611, to be the assignee of the entire right, title and interest in and to the said invention;

WHEREAS, the UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA RESEARCH FOUNDATION, INC. is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and in and to any Letters Patent which may be granted therefor in the United States and in any and all foreign countries;

NOW, THEREFORE, in view of good and valuable consideration, the sufficiency and receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we, the undersigned, have sold, assigned, and transferred, and by these presents do sell, assign, and transfer, unto said UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA RESEARCH FOUNDATION, INC., its successors and assigns, the full and exclusive right to the said invention in the United States and its territorial possessions and in all foreign countries and the entire right, title, and interest in and to any and all Letters Patent which may be granted therefor in the United States and its territorial possessions and in any and all foreign countries and in and to any and all divisions, reissues, continuations, and extensions thereof.

We hereby authorize and request the Patent Office Officials in the United States and in any and all foreign countries to issue any and all of said Letters Patent, when granted, to said UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA RESEARCH FOUNDATION, INC., as the assignee of the entire right, title and interest in and to the same, for the sole use and behalf of said UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA RESEARCH FOUNDATION, INC., its successors and assigns.

FURTHER, we agree that we will communicate to said UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA RESEARCH FOUNDATION, INC., or its representatives, any facts known to us respecting said invention; testify in any legal proceedings; sign all lawful papers; execute all divisional, continuation, substitution, renewal, and reissue applications; execute all necessary assignment

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 30<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2006.

Signed W G Sawyer  
WALLACE GREGORY SAWYER

Address: 610 NW 89<sup>TH</sup> St., Gainesville, FL 32607-1453

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On this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2006, personally appeared before me the above-named \_\_\_\_\_, to me known to be the person described in the foregoing instrument, who executed the foregoing instrument, and who acknowledged the same to be his/her free act and deed in and for the purposes set forth in said instrument.

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Notary Public

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 30<sup>th</sup> day of MAY, 2006.

Signed DLB  
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