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## ASSIGNMENT AGREEMENT

WHEREAS, James S. Hyde of Dousman, Wisconsin, has made certain inventions which are described in an application for Letters Patent of the United States entitled **AQUEOUS SAMPLE HOLDER FOR EPR AND MR SPECTROSCOPY** for application Serial No. 10/898,120 filed July 23, 2004, and

WHEREAS, Molecular Specialties, Inc. (hereafter referred to as said Company), a Wisconsin corporation, having a place of business at Milwaukee, Wisconsin, USA is desirous of acquiring the entire interest in said inventions throughout the United States of America and the territories thereof, for all other countries and under all international agreements,

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of Ten Dollars (\$10.00) to Inventor in hand paid, and other good and valuable considerations, receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, the Inventor hereby assigns and transfers unto said Company, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest throughout the United States of America and the territories thereof, for all foreign countries and under all international agreements in and to said inventions, the aforesaid application, and all other applications hereafter filed in the United States, in any other country, or under any international agreement based in whole or in part on said inventions, and all Letters Patents granted upon said applications by the United States, by any other country or under any international agreement, and the Inventor does hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue said Letter Patent to said Company. The Inventor further grants to said Company, its successors and assigns, the right to claim for any said applications the full benefit and priority rights of any international agreement between the United States and any foreign country or countries or between any other countries.

The Inventor hereby warrants that he has the full right to make the conveyance herein, and the Inventor hereby covenants that he, his heirs, legal representatives and assigns, will when requested, communicate to said Company, its representatives, successors and assigns, all facts known respecting said inventions, execute all divisional, continuing, reissue, reexamination and foreign or international applications, together with individual assignments therefore, make all rightful oaths, sign all lawful papers, testify in any legal proceeding and generally do everything possible to aid said Company, its successors and assigns, in the obtaining of Letter Patent, commercialization of the claims of the Patent and / or licensing the claims and applications of the Patent to a third party.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand at the location and on the date indicated with my signature.

Date: 6/2/06

James S. Hyde  
James S. Hyde

STATE OF Wisconsin

COUNTY OF Milwaukee

Before me on this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of June, 2006, came James S. Hyde to me known to be the person named in the forgoing assignment and witnessed by me, and he acknowledges his execution thereof to be his free act and deed.

Date: 6/2/06

Kate Perry  
(Witness Name)