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NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, SONY INTERNATIONAL (Europe) GmbH (herein known as the "Assignor") hereby assigns and transfers to SONY DEUTSCHLAND GmbH, a German corporation, having offices at Hugo-Eckener-Str. 20, 50829 Köln, Germany, (hereinafter referred to as "Assignee"), its successors and assigns, its entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, and to any and all patents, reexaminations, reissues, continuations, continuation-in-parts, divisionals or extensions thereof, in the United States of America, to be held and enjoyed as fully as they would have been by Assignor, had this assignment and transfer not been made, including the right to seek and obtain for Assignee's own benefit, injunctive relief and recovery of damages for any past and/or future infringements, including enhanced damages and/or attorneys' fees;

By virtue of this Assignment, Assignor SONY INTERNATIONAL (Europe) GmbH authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and

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In witness whereof, Assignor SONY INTERNATIONAL (Europe) GmbH has caused this assignment to be executed on the day and year set forth below.



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SCHEDULE A

Patent No.	Issue Date	Title
6,777,531	Aug. 17, 2004	End-Capped Polyfluorenes, Films And Devices Based Thereon
6,787,358	Sep. 7, 2004	A Method of Forming A Cell Pattern On A Surface