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WHEREAS, Zhirong ZHU; Dejin KONG; Weimin YANG; Qingling CHEN; Wei ZOU; Wei LI; Min HOU; and Deqin YANG (hereinafter designated as the undersigned) has (have) invented certain new and useful improvements in:

Insert Title of Invention **PROCESS FOR THE MANUFACTURE OF CATALYSTS USED FOR PRODUCING PARA-XYLENE BY TOLUENE SHAPE SELECTIVE ALKYLATION**

for which an application for Letters Patent of the United States of America has been executed by the undersigned (except in the case of a provisional application)

Insert Date of Signing of Application on September 19, 2006; and

Insert Name of Assignee **WHEREAS, China Petroleum & Chemical Corporation and SHANGHAI RESEARCH INSTITUTE OF PETROCHEMICAL TECHNOLOGY SINOPEC**

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NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of Ten Dollars (\$10.00) to the undersigned in hand paid, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, and other good and valuable consideration, the undersigned has (have) sold, assigned and transferred, and by these presents does sell, assign and transfer unto said Assignees the full and exclusive right to the said invention in the United States of America, its territories, dependencies and possessions and the entire right, title and interest in and to any and all Letters Patent(s) which may be granted therefor in the United States of America, its territories, dependencies and possessions, and if the box above is designated, in any and all foreign countries;

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In witness whereof, executed by the undersigned on the date(s) opposite the undersigned name(s).

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