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Name: The Sherwin-Williams CompanyInternal Address: 11 Midland Bldg. - Legal Dept.Street Address: 101 Prospect Avenue, N.W.City: Cleveland State: OH ZIP: 44115Additional name(s) & address(es) attached? ☐ Yes ☒ No

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### ASSIGNMENT

We, John J. Patka, Sr. of Seven Hills, County of Cuyahoga, State of Ohio, and Sharon L. Judge of Dallas, County of Dallas, State of Texas, having invented certain new and useful improvements in: SYSTEM AND METHOD TO CONTROL ENERGY INPUT TO A MATERIAL and, in consideration of the sum of one Dollar(s) (\$ 1.00 ) and other good and valuable consideration to each of us paid by THE SHERWIN-WILLIAMS COMPANY, a corporation of Ohio, having its principal office and place of business at Cleveland, Ohio, hereby assign to THE SHERWIN-WILLIAMS COMPANY, a corporation of Ohio, having its principal office and place of business at Cleveland, Ohio, hereby assign to THE SHERWIN-WILLIAMS COMPANY, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to said improvements in the United States, its territories, and all foreign countries, and in, to and under the application for Letters Patent of the United States disclosing and claiming said improvements, bearing Sherwin-Williams Patent Case No(s). 7615 , and claiming priority from Provisional Patent Application No. 60/739,693, filed on November 23, 2005 and in, to and under any Reissue, Divisional, Continuing, Substitute, or other application based in whole or in part thereon, and any corresponding application filed in any foreign country, and in, to and under any Letters Patent of the United States or any foreign country which may be issued on any of said applications.

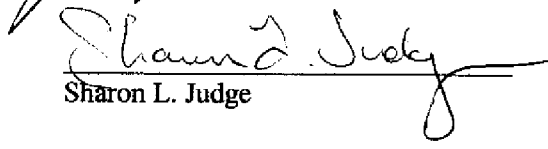
Further, we do hereby covenant and agree for ourselves and our legal representatives to assist our aforesaid assignee, its successors and assigns in the prosecution of the said application or applications, and in any interference or litigation which may arise involving our said improvements, application or applications, or the said patent or patents, and to execute (1) any application for Reissue of the aforesaid patent or patents, and (2) any Divisional, Continuing, Substitute or foreign application based in whole or in part on the above specifically identified application or applications and (3) any assignment of said applications or patents granted thereon, all as may be requested by our said assignee.

And we further grant to THE SHERWIN-WILLIAMS COMPANY its successors and assigns, the right to claim for any of the aforesaid patent applications any privileges available under Conventions or other agreements relating to Industrial Property or under the municipal law in the countries in which said applications are filed.

And we hereby authorize and request the United States Commissioner of Patents, and appropriately empowered officials of foreign countries, to issue Letters Patent or Patents upon the aforesaid application or applications to THE SHERWIN-WILLIAMS COMPANY, aforesaid, its successors and assigns, as assignee of our entire right, title and interest in and to the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and seals this 5<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2007, and this 12<sup>th</sup> day of MARCH, 2007, respectively.

  
John J. Patka, Sr.

  
Sharon L. Judge

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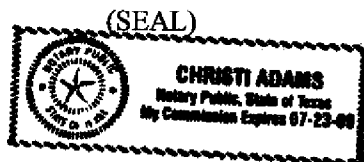
Before me, this 5<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2007, came John J. Patka, Sr. to me known to be the first person named aforesaid and acknowledged the execution thereof to be his own free act and deed.

(SEAL)

Laurie M. Feltes  
Notary Public - Laurie M. Feltes  
My commission expires May 23, 2011.

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Before me, this 12<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2007, came Sharon L. Judge to me known to be the second person named aforesaid and acknowledged the execution thereof to be her own free act and deed.



Christi Adams  
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The application(s) for Letters Patent identified in the foregoing assignment bearing Sherwin-Williams Patent Case No(s). 7615, has, by the United States Patent Office been given the Serial No(s). 11/562,593 and filing date(s) November 22, 2006, respectively.

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Sharon L. Judge	)
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and	)
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Enclosed please find a Recordation Form Cover Sheet, in duplicate, and a document entitled "ASSIGNMENT", execution dated March 5, and March 12, 2007. The document assigns U.S. Serial No. 11/562,593 from John J. Patka, Sr. and Sharon L. Judge to The Sherwin-Williams Company. The Assignee, The Sherwin-Williams Company, respectfully requests recordation of this Assignment. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the amount of Forty Dollars (\$40.00) to Deposit Account No. 19-2025. A duplicate copy of the attached Recordation Form Cover Sheet is enclosed. If there are any other fees due for this submission, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge such fees to Deposit Account No. 19-2025.

Respectfully submitted,

THE SHERWIN-WILLIAMS COMPANY

Vivien Y. Tsang  
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