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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS we, **Duen-Wu Hua of Edgewood, Maryland; Michael C. Withiam of Landenberg, Pennsylvania; Fitzgerald A. Sinclair of Smyrna, Delaware; and Francis R. W. Godwin of Bel Air, Maryland**, hereinafter referred to as "applicants", have made a certain new and useful invention as set forth in an application for United States Letters Patent entitled: **Silica Gel Manufacturing Method And Gels Made Thereby**.

- for which an application for a United States Patent was filed on **June 27, 2007** as application number **11/ 823, 436**.
- for which an application for a United States Patent was executed on _____, _____, and _____; and _____

WHEREAS, J. M. Huber Corporation, a corporation of the State of New Jersey, hereinafter referred to as "assignee", whose post office address is 333 Thornall Street, Edison, New Jersey 08837-2220, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in said inventions and in any patent which may be granted therefor.

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we, the applicants, do hereby sell, assign and transfer unto said assignee, its successors and assigns, our entire right, title and interest for all countries in and to said inventions, and all the rights and privileges under any and all application and Letters Patent which may be granted therefor, and any divisions, continuations, reissues and extensions thereof.

We agree that, when requested, we will, without charge to said assignee but at its expense, sign all papers, take all rightful oaths, make all rightful declarations, and do all acts which may be necessary, desirable or convenient for securing and maintaining patents or other forms of protection for said inventions in any and all countries, and for vesting title thereto in said assignee, its successors, assigns or nominees.

We agree that we will communicate to said assignee, or its representatives, any facts known to us respecting said inventions and, when requested by said assignee, and at its expense, will testify in any legal proceedings, and generally do everything possible to aid said assignee, its successors, assigns, and legal representatives or nominees, to obtain or enforce proper protection for said inventions in any and all countries.

We authorize and empower said assignee, its successors, assigns or nominees, to make application for patent or other form of protection for said inventions in its or their own name, or in our names, in any and all countries, and to invoke and claim for any application for patent or other form of protection for said inventions filed by it or them, the benefit of the right or priority provided by the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, as amended, or by any convention which may henceforth be substituted for it, and to invoke and claim such right of priority without further written or oral authorization from us.

We hereby consent that a copy of this Assignment shall be deemed a full, legal and formal equivalent of any Assignment, consent to file or like document, which may be required in any country for any purpose, and more particularly, in proof of the right of said assignee or its successors, assigns or nominees to apply for patent or other proper protection for said inventions, and to claim the aforesaid benefits of the right of priority provided by the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, as amended, or by any convention which may henceforth be substituted for it.

We covenant with assignee, its successors, assigns, legal representatives and nominees that to the best of our knowledge, the right, title and interest herein conveyed by us is free and clear of any encumbrance, and that we have full right to convey the same as herein expressed.

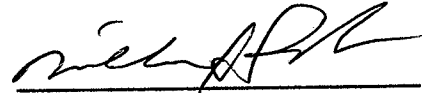
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Duen-Wu Hua

STATE OF Maryland)
COUNTY OF Harford) SS:

On this 28th day of June, 2007, before me personally appeared Duen-Wu Hua, to me known to be the person named in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

WILLIAM S. PARKS
NOTARY PUBLIC
STATE OF MARYLAND


Notary Public

SEAL MY COMMISSION EXPIRES 11/04/2009


Executed this 6 day of July, 2007


Michael C. Withiam

STATE OF Maryland)
COUNTY OF Harford) SS:

On this 6th day of July, 2007, before me personally appeared Michael C. Withiam, to me known to be the person named in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

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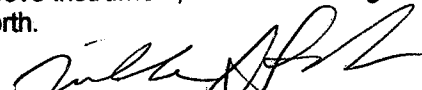
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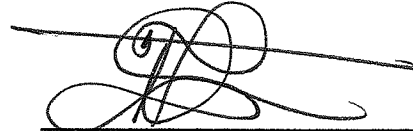
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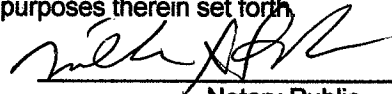
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Fitzgerald A. Sinclair

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On this 29th day of June, 2007, before me personally appeared Fitzgerald A. Sinclair, to me known to be the person named in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.



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