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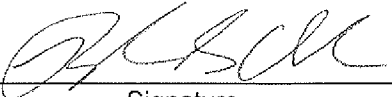
1. Name of conveying party(ies): Scott Specialty Gases, Inc. Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		2. Name and address of receiving party(ies): Name: Air Liquide America Specialty Gases LLC, Inc. Internal Address: 2700 Post Oak Blvd., Suite 1800 Street Address: 2700 Post Oak Blvd., Suite 1800 City: Houston State: TX Zip: 77056 Additional name(s) & address(es) attached? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
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4. Application number(s) or patent number(s): If this document is being filed together with a new application, the execution date of the application is: _____ A. Patent Application No.(s): Application No: Filed: B. Patent No.(s): Patent No: 5,495,875 Issued: March 5, 1996 Additional numbers attached? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No			
5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed: Name: Air Liquide IP Department Internal Address: 2700 Post Oak Blvd., Ste. 1800 Street Address: 2700 Post Oak Blvd., Ste. 1800 City: Houston State: TX Zip: 77056		Total number of applications and patents involved: 1	
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**PATENT
ASSIGNMENT**

(Scott Specialty Gases, Inc. to Air Liquide America Specialty Gases LLC)

WHEREAS, Scott Specialty Gases, Inc., a Pennsylvania corporation having offices at 6141 Easton Road, Plumsteadville, PA ("Assignor"), owns all right, title and interest in and to the patent(s) and patent application(s) set forth on the attached Schedule A (hereinafter "Patents"); and

WHEREAS, Air Liquide America Specialty Gases LLC, Inc., a Delaware limited liability company having offices at 2700 Post Oak Blvd., Suite 1800, Houston, TX 77056 ("Assignee"), is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to the Patents:

For good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged by Assignor, Assignor has assigned, and by these presents does assign to Assignee all of Assignor's right, title and interest in and to the Patents and in and to all foreign counterparts (including patent, utility model and industrial designs), and all future improvements thereon, and in and to any letters patent and registrations which may hereafter be granted on the same in the United States and in all countries throughout the world; and further including: (i) all income, royalties, and damages now and hereafter due and/or payable to Assignor, including without limitation, damages and payments for past or future infringements and misappropriations thereof; (ii) all rights to sue for past, present and future infringements or misappropriations thereof; and (iii) all rights corresponding to any of the above throughout the world. The rights, title and interest are to be held and enjoyed by Assignee and Assignee's successors and assigns as fully and exclusively as they would have been held and enjoyed by Assignor had this Assignment not been made, for the full term of any letters patent and registrations which may be granted thereon, or of any division, renewal, continuation in whole or in part, substitution, conversion, reissue, prolongation or extension thereof.

Assignor further agrees that Assignor will, upon Assignee's reasonable request without charge to Assignee (a) cooperate with Assignee in the prosecution of the foreign counterparts of the technology, (b) execute, verify, acknowledge and deliver all further papers, including instruments of transfer, and (c) perform other acts as Assignee lawfully may request to obtain or maintain letters patent and registrations for the technology in any and all countries, and to vest title thereto in Assignee, or Assignee's successors and assigns.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, Assignor has caused this Assignment to be duly executed by its duly authorized officer on the date set forth below.

SCOTT SPECIALTY GASES INC.

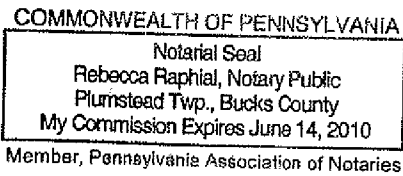
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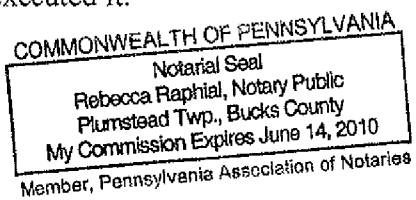
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Attest:

By: Rebecca RaphialDated: 10-31-07

On October 31, 2007 before me, Rebecca Raphial Notary Public,
personally appeared J. Frederick Merz, Jr. known to me to be the person who executed the within
instrument as secretary or on behalf of the corporation therein named and acknowledged to me that the
corporation executed it.



Rebecca Raphial
Notary Public

SCHEDULE A

Patents / Active

System for Continuous Blending of a Liquid 5,495,875
into a Gas

Patent Granted

Patents / Pending

E-Beam Welded Seal

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Application

Pulse Welded Seal

Application in Draft

NO Purification / FeSO4 Solution

Application in Draft



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Re: **Assignment to Air Liquide America Specialty Gases LLC, Inc.**
Our Ref: Serie 7678

Dear Sir or Madam:

Attached for recording is an Assignment document. Thank you for your assistance.

Best regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Randy Bettilyon'.

Randy Bettilyon

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