

**PATENT ASSIGNMENT**

Electronic Version v1.1  
 Stylesheet Version v1.1

<b>SUBMISSION TYPE:</b>		NEW ASSIGNMENT
<b>NATURE OF CONVEYANCE:</b>		ASSIGNMENT
<b>CONVEYING PARTY DATA</b>		
<b>Name</b>		<b>Execution Date</b>
Evonik Stockhausen, Inc.		08/29/2008
<b>RECEIVING PARTY DATA</b>		
<b>Name:</b>	Kimberly-Clark Worldwide, Inc.	
<b>Street Address:</b>	401 N. Lake Street	
<b>City:</b>	Neenah	
<b>State/Country:</b>	WISCONSIN	
<b>Postal Code:</b>	54956	
<b>PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 1</b>		
<b>Property Type</b>	<b>Number</b>	
Application Number:	12217020	
<b>CORRESPONDENCE DATA</b>		
<b>Fax Number:</b>	(920)721-7339	
<i>Correspondence will be sent via US Mail when the fax attempt is unsuccessful.</i>		
<b>Phone:</b>	(920) 721-7575	
<b>Email:</b>	mary.l.marchant@kcc.com	
<b>Correspondent Name:</b>	Mary L. Marchant	
<b>Address Line 1:</b>	401 N. Lake Street	
<b>Address Line 4:</b>	Neenah, WISCONSIN 54956	
<b>ATTORNEY DOCKET NUMBER:</b>	64407466US02	
<b>NAME OF SUBMITTER:</b>	Bryan R. Rosiejka	
<b>Total Attachments: 1</b> source=7466Ass3#page1.tif		

**CH \$40.00 12217020**

**In the United States Patent and Trademark Office**

Applicants: Richard N. Dodge II et al. Docket No.: 64407466US02  
Serial No.: 12/217,020 Group: Unknown  
Confirmation No: 7526 Examiner: Unknown  
Filed: June 30, 2008  
For: Absorbent Articles Comprising Absorbent Materials Exhibiting Deswell/Reswell

**Assignment – Joint Inventors**

Mail Stop Assignment Recordation Services  
Director of the US Patent and Trademark Office  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

WHEREAS Evonik Stockhausen, Inc., of 2401 Doyle Street, Greensboro, North Carolina 27406, a corporation duly organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of North Carolina, United States of America (hereinafter referred to as Assignor), have made an invention and have each either (1) previously executed an application for Letters Patent of the United States of America therefor or (2) are contemporaneously executing an application for Letters Patent of the United States of America for the invention which is entitled:

**ABSORBENT ARTICLES COMPRISING ABSORBENT MATERIALS EXHIBITING DESWELL/RESWELL**

AND WHEREAS Kimberly-Clark Worldwide, Inc., a corporation of the State of Delaware, having offices at 401 North Lake Street, Neenah, Wisconsin 54956, United States of America, (hereinafter referred to as Assignee), is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and under said Letters Patent or similar legal protection to be obtained therefor in the United States and in any and all foreign countries.

NOW, THEREFORE, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Be it known that in consideration of the payment by the Assignee to the Assignor of the sum of One U.S. Dollar (\$1.00 U.S.) and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, the Assignor hereby sell, assign and transfer to the Assignee the full and exclusive right, title and interest to said invention and in and to any and all Letters Patent or similar legal protection in the United States and its territorial possessions and in any and all foreign countries to be obtained for said invention by said application or any continuation, continuation-in-part, divisional, renewal, substitute, re-examination, conversion or reissue thereof, including all extensions thereof, or any legal equivalent thereof in any foreign country for the full term or terms for which the same may be granted, including any and all convention rights.

The Assignor hereby covenants that no assignment, sale, agreement or encumbrance has been or will be made or entered into which would conflict with this assignment and sale.

The Assignor further covenants that the Assignor will promptly provide, upon written request, Assignee with all pertinent facts and documents relating to said application, said invention and said Letters Patent and legal equivalents in foreign countries as may be known and accessible to the Assignor and that they will promptly execute and deliver to Assignee or its legal representatives any and all papers, instruments or affidavits required to apply for, obtain, maintain, issue, extend and enforce said application, said invention and said Letters Patent and said equivalents thereof in any foreign country which may be necessary or desirable to carry out the purposes thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Assignor has executed this document on the date indicated below:

EVONIK STOCKHAUSEN, INC.

By: 

Dr. Reinhold Brand  
President

Date: 08/29/08