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**Gruenthal GmbH
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(hereinafter ASSIGNEE) all right, title and interest for the United States, its territories and possessions in and to his invention relating to:

PROCESS FOR PRODUCING 6-DIMETHYLAMINOMETHYL-PHENYL-CYCLOHEXANE- 1,3-DIOLS

as set forth in his United States Patent Application (check one):

- executed concurrently herewith,
- executed on ____,
- Application No. 12/394,727, filed February 27, 2009,
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in and to said United States Patent Application including any and all divisions or continuations thereof and in and to any and all Letters Patent of the United States which may issue on any such application or for said invention, including any and all reissues or extensions thereof, to be held and enjoyed by said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns to the full end of the term or terms for which any and all such Letters Patent may be granted as fully and entirely as would have been held and enjoyed by the undersigned had this Assignment not been made;

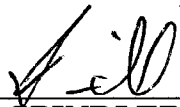

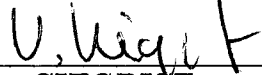


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