### PATENT ASSIGNMENT

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### ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, FMC BIOPOLYMER AS, a Norwegian corporation, having a place of business at Industriveien 33, 1337 Sandvika, Norway (FMCB), possesses ownership rights in and to U.S. Patent Application No. 11/713,176, filed March 2, 2007, and any invention claimed therein; and

FMC CORPORATION, a Delaware corporation, having a place of business at 1735 Market Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania (FMC), desires to own FMCB's entire right, title, and interest in and to the invention, in all countries throughout the world, and in and to U.S. Patent Application No. 11/713,176.

NOW THEREFORE, be it known that, for good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, FMCB hereby sells, assigns, transfers, and sets over to FMC, its lawful successors and assigns, FMCB's entire right, title, and interest in and to U.S. Patent Application No. 11/713,176, the invention claimed therein, any other patent application directed to the invention, and all Letters Patent of the United States that may be granted thereon, and all resissues, reexaminations, and extensions thereof; and all rights to claim priority on the basis of such application, and all applications for Letters Patent that may be filed for the invention in any foreign country and all Letters Patent that may be granted on the invention in any foreign country, and all extensions, renewals, and reissues thereof; and FMCB hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States and any official of any foreign country whose duty it is to issue patents on applications as described above, to issue all Letters Patent for this invention to FMC, its successors and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this Assignment;

AND, FMCB HEREBY further covenants that FMCB has the full right to convey the interest assigned by this Assignment, FMCB will take all action and execute all documents necessary to perfect the interest assigned hereby, and FMCB has not executed and will not execute any agreement in conflict with this Assignment;

AND, FMCB HEREBY further covenants and agrees that FMCB, through its officers and employees, will, without further consideration, communicate with FMC, its successors and assigns, any facts known to FMCB and its officers and employees respecting the invention and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers when called upon to do so, execute and deliver all papers that may be necessary or desirable to perfect the title to the invention in said FMC, its successors and assigns, execute all divisional, continuation, and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths, and generally do everything possible to aid FMC, its successors and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for the invention in the United States and any foreign country, it being understood that any expense incident to the execution of such papers shall be borne by FMC, its successors and assigns.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, each party has caused its authorized representative to execute this Assignment.

FMC BIOPOLYMER AS	FMC CORPORATION
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