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**ASSIGNMENT OF INVENTION, PRIORITY RIGHTS
AND RIGHTS TO APPLY FOR PATENTS**

We, the undersigned,

<u>NAME</u>	<u>RESIDING AT</u>	<u>OCCUPATION</u>	<u>CITIZENSHIP</u>
RAVI PRASAD	12 Yardley Lane East Amherst, NY 14051	Engineer	US
CARL JOSEPH HEIM	3365 Tonawanda Creek Road Amherst, NY 14228	Engineer	US
JAMES JOSEPH MALONEY	275 Willowgreen Drive Amherst, NY 14228	Engineer	US

believing that we are the original, first and true inventors of an invention for:

HELIUM RECOVERY PROCESS

as described and/or claimed in our application for Letters Patent in the United States of America,
filed on **October 1, 2009** (Serial No. **12/571,934**, Attorney Docket No. **08-3023**).

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is acknowledged
and in fulfillment of our pre-existing obligations of assignment;

WE DO HEREBY ASSIGN AND TRANSFER our entire right, title, and interest in and to said
invention and application unto

PRAXAIR TECHNOLOGY, INC.

a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, United States of America,
its successors and nominees, having an office at 39 Old Ridgebury Road, Danbury, Connecticut 06810,
United States of America, as the Assignee, without any restrictions, reservations or limitations, the entire
right, title and interest in and to the aforesaid application for Letters Patent and all patents which may be
granted thereon, and all applications claiming priority thereof including all divisions, continuations,
continuations-in-part, reissues and extension thereof;

INCLUDING ALL RIGHTS in and to said invention in any country of the world, including, but
not limited to, all priority rights derived from the aforesaid application for Letters Patent by virtue of the
International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property and for any and all member countries
of the aforesaid International Convention;

AND FURTHER INCLUDING THE SOLE RIGHT to file such applications under the Patent
Laws of any country of the world in its name and/or ours, and the sole right to have patents granted on

said applications in its name and/or ours to the full end of the term for which said patents may be granted as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by us had this assignment not been made, and to enforce said patents with our right to sue in any court of competent jurisdiction and obtain all remedies available, including but not limited to injunctions and to recover lost profits or compensatory and enhanced damages and attorneys fee for any and all infringements thereof;

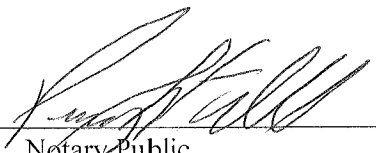
AND we authorize insertion of the appropriate identification information above and agree that we will communicate to said PRAXAIR TECHNOLOGY, INC. or its representatives any facts known to us respecting said invention and testify in legal proceedings, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuing, continuation-in-part, extensions and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths and generally do everything possible to aid said PRAXAIR TECHNOLOGY, INC. its successors, assigns, or nominees, to obtain and enforce proper protection for said invention in all countries.

SIGNED AND SEALED AT Tombauonola this 30th
day of October, 2009.


RAVI PRASAD

State of New York)
County of Erie) ss:

This 30th day of October, 2009, before me personally came the above-named **RAVI PRASAD** to me personally known as the individual who executed the foregoing assignment, who has acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same of his/her own free will for the purposes therein set forth.


Notary Public

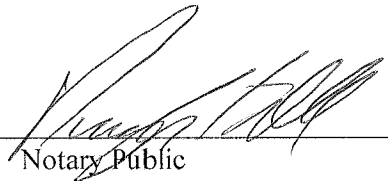
PENNY R. TURRELL
Notary Public, State of New York
Qualified in Niagara County, No. 4842627
My Commission Expires March 30, 2012

SIGNED AND SEALED AT Tonawanda this 16th
day of October, 2009.


CARL JOSEPH HEIM

State of New York)
County of Erie) ss:

This 16th day of October, 2009, before me personally came the above-named **CARL JOSEPH HEIM** to me personally known as the individual who executed the foregoing assignment, who has acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same of his/her own free will for the purposes therein set forth.


Notary Public

PENNY R. TURRELL
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My Commission Expires March 30, 2010

SIGNED AND SEALED AT Tonawanda this 30th
day of October, 2009.

James Joseph Maloney
JAMES JOSEPH MALONEY

State of New York)
County of Erie) ss:

This 30th day of October, 2009, before me personally came the above-named **JAMES JOSEPH MALONEY** to me personally known as the individual who executed the foregoing assignment, who has acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same of his/her own free will for the purposes therein set forth.

Penny R. Turrell
Notary Public

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