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#### ASSIGNMENT

In consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) or equivalent and other good and valuable consideration paid to each of the undersigned, Kiyohiko NISHI, Hiroshi KANEKO, Hirofumi TASAKI, Masaki KOGA, Tetsuo TANEGAWA, Seisaku FURUYA, Kenji FUJIWARA, and Takeru SATO, the undersigned, hereby sell(s) and assign(s) to AJINOMOTO CO., INC. (the Assignee) his/her entire right, title and interest

check applicable box(es) if for the United States of America (as defined in 35 U.S.C. § 100), and throughout the world

in the invention(s) known as METHOD OF MANUFACTURING SUCCINIC ACID AND AMMONIUM SUCCINATE SOLUTIONS for which application(s) for patent in the United States of America has (have) been executed by the undersigned on (also known as United States Application No. 12/620,747, filed November 18, 2009), in any and all applications thereon in any and all Letters Patent(s) therefor, and in any and all non-provisional applications, reissues, extensions, renewals, reexaminations, divisions, and continuations of such applications or Letters Patent(s) to the full end of the term or terms for which such Letters patent(s) issue, such entire right, title, and interest to be held and enjoyed by the above-named Assignce the same as they would have been held and enjoyed by the undersigned had this assignment and sale not been made.

The undersigned agree(s) to execute all papers necessary in connection with the application(s) and any continuing, divisional, reissue, reexamination or corresponding application(s) thereof and also to execute separate assignments in connection with such applications as the Assignce may deem necessary or expedient.

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The undersigned hereby covenant(s) that he has (they have) full right to convey the entire interest herein assigned, and that he has (they have) not executed, and will not execute, any agreement in conflict therewith.

The undersigned hereby grant(s) Shelly Guest Cermak, Registration No. 39,571 of Cermak Kenealy Valdya & Nakajima LLP, 515 East Braddock Road, Suite B. Alexandria, VA 22314, PTO Customer Number 000038108, power to insert on this assignment any further identification which may be necessary or desirable in order to comply with the rules of the United States Patent and Trademark Office for recordation of this document.

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