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In consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00), and other good and valuable considerations, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, I (we), the undersigned, Marco Lopez, residing at Lupinenweg 18, D-60433 Frankfurt, Germany; Michael Lennartz, residing at Hedderichstraβe 38, D-60594 Frankfurt, Germany; Dan V. Goia, residing at 16 Drumlin Dr., Potsdam, NY, 13676, United States; Carsten Becker, residing at Hauptstraβe 9, Niedernberg, D-63843, Germany; and Stephanie Chevalliot, residing at 5 Grande Rue, F-55320 Ancemont, France

Hereby sell, assign and transfer to Umicore AG & Co. KG, having a place of business at Rodenbacher Chaussee 4, D-63403 Hanau-Wolfgang, Germany, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, the entire right, title and interest for all countries, in and to any and all inventions that are disclosed and claimed, and any and all inventions that are disclosed but not claimed, in the application for United States Patent that is entitled:

Core/Shell – Type Catalyst Particles Comprising Metal or Ceramic Core Materials and Methods For Their Preparation

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and in and to said application and all divisional, continuing, substitute, renewal, reissue and all other applications for U.S. Letters Patent or other related property rights in any and all foreign countries that have been or shall be filed on any of said inventions disclosed in said application; and in and to all original and reissued patents or related foreign documents that have been or shall be issued on said inventions;

Authorize and request the Director of Patents of the United States to issue to said Assignee, the corporation above named, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, in accordance with this assignment, any and all United States Letters Patent on said inventions disclosed in said application;

Agree that said Assignee may apply for and receive foreign Letters Patents or rights of any other kind for said inventions, or any of them; and may claim, in applications for said foreign Letters Patent or other rights, the priority of the aforesaid United States patent

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Covenant with said Assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives that no assignment, grant, mortgage, license or other agreement affecting the rights and property herein conveyed has been made to others by the undersigned, and that full right to convey the same as herein expressed is possessed by the undersigned.

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