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WHEREAS, I, Alasdair Iain THOMSON of British nationality residing at 11 St Mary's Close, Elloughton, Hull, East Yorkshire, HU15 1JF, United Kingdom, have invented certain new and useful improvements relating to 'Optical Cell' which is the subject of BP Patent Case No. 10386 filed in Europe on 6 July 2007 under Application No. 07252720.3 (hereinafter the "Invention");

WHEREAS I, Alasdair Iain THOMSON am employed by BP Chemicals Limited having a registered office at Chertsey Road, Sunbury on Thames, Middlesex, TW16 7BP, United Kingdom am the sole inventor of said Invention;

WHEREAS I, Alasdair Iain THOMSON acknowledges that all rights in said Invention and improvements thereto and the right to file patent applications therefor in any and all countries of the world and to any and all patent applications therefor and any Letters Patent which may be issued thereupon in any and all countries of the world have vested in BP OIL INTERNATIONAL LIMITED by contract of employment or through application of law; and


WHEREAS by an assignment dated 10 July 2007 BP Chemicals Limited has assigned any and all rights, title and interest of BP Chemicals Limited in said Invention to BP Oil International Limited and BP Oil International Limited has accepted the assignment; and


WHEREAS it is the wish of all the parties that the entire right, title and interest in, to and under the said Invention and any improvements thereon and the right to file patent applications therefor in any and all countries of the world any, and all patent applications therefor in the USA and all other countries of the world, and any and all Letters Patent which may be issued thereupon in the USA and all other countries of the world, shall vest solely in said BP OIL INTERNATIONAL LIMITED having a registered office at Chertsey Road, Sunbury-on-Thames, Middlesex, TW16 7BP United Kingdom;

NOW THEREFORE, to the extent that specific assignment of the Invention or improvements thereon and the right to file patent applications therefor in any country of the world is needed for the purpose of recording or registration in any patent office, industrial property office or like governmental authority, I, the said Alasdair Iain THOMSON, for valuable consideration, the receipt and adequacy of which we hereby acknowledge, agree to sell, assign, transfer and set over, and by these presents do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over, unto BP OIL INTERNATIONAL LIMITED, its successors and assigns, and BP OIL INTERNATIONAL LIMITED agrees to accept and hereby does accept, the entire right, title and interest in, to and under the said Invention and any improvements thereon including priority rights and the right to file patent applications therefor in any and all countries of the world, and any and all patent applications and Letters Patent for said Invention and improvements in the USA and all other countries of the world, and all divisions, renewals and continuations thereof, and all reissues and extensions thereof, with effect from 6 July 2007.

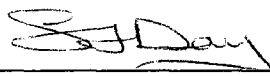
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And I hereby further covenant and agree that I will communicate to the assignee herein, its successors, legal representatives and assigns any facts known to me respecting said Invention, and testify in any legal proceedings, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuing, renewal, reissue and extension applications, make all rightful declarations, and generally do everything possible to aid the assignee herein, its successors, legal representatives and assigns in obtaining and enforcing proper patent protection for said Invention in the USA and all other countries of the world.


Dated: 25/6/08 
Alasdair Iain THOMSON


Witnessed

Agreed for BP CHEMICALS LIMITED:

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