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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, I (WE) Karl-Heinz Grosse-Brinkhaus residing at Hagenstr. 90, 48301 Nottuln, GERMANY; Margret Neumann residing at Niesingstr. 39A, 48151 Münster, GERMANY; Oliver Johannpoetter residing at Elbestr. 10, 48268 Greven, GERMANY; Peter Lux residing at Rotherbachstr. 21, 59192 Bergkamen, GERMANY (declarant(s)) declare that I (WE) have invented certain improvements in: USE OF BISMUTH SUBNITRATE IN ELECTROCOAT MATERIALS hereinafter the invention or inventions, described in U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 12/732,027, filed on February 12, 2010 and being owner(s) of all right, title and interest in and to said invention or inventions and to said application, free from all prior assignments, agreements, licenses, mortgages, or other encumbrances whatsoever, and having full right to convey the entire interest both legal and equitable herein assigned; and

WHEREAS, BASF Coatings AG, a corporation of the Federal Republic of Germany having a place of business at, Glasuritstrasse 1, 48165 Münster, Federal Republic of Germany (assignee), is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention or inventions, and to said application and to any and all patents to be obtained therefor;

NOW THEREFORE, in accordance with the terms of declarant(s) employment agreement, the declarant(s) does (do) hereby assign, transfer and set over unto said assignee, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention or inventions, as described in the aforesaid application, in any form or embodiment thereof, and in and to the aforesaid application; and in and to any application filed in any foreign country based thereon, including the right to file said foreign applications under the provisions of the International Convention; also the entire right, title and interest in and to any and all patents or reissues or extensions thereof to be obtained in this or any foreign country upon said invention or inventions and any divisional, continuation, continuation-in-part or substitute applications which may be filed upon said invention or inventions in this or any foreign country; and the declarant(s) hereby
authorize(s) and request(s) the issuing authority to issue any and all patents on said application or applications to said assignee or its successors and assigns.

The declarant(s) further agrees(s), in accordance with the terms of declarant(s) employment agreement, without any payment or compensation by said assignee or its successors and assigns, to communicate to said assignee, its representatives or agents or its successors and assigns, any facts relating to said invention or inventions including evidence for interference purposes or for other legal proceedings, whenever requested; to testify in any interference or other legal proceedings, whenever requested; to execute and deliver, on request, all lawful papers required to make any of the foregoing provisions effective; and to do everything possible to aid said assignee, its successors, or assigns and nominees to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for said invention or inventions in this or any foreign country.
The undersigned declarant(s) further agree(s) that all statements made herein of his/her/their own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information or belief are believed to be true. The undersigned understand(s) that willful false statements and the like are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both (18 U.S.C. 1001) and may jeopardize, the validity of the assignment, or the application or any patent issuing thereon as evidenced by his/her signature below.

Dated: January 21, 2010

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