

PATENT ASSIGNMENT

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CONVEYING PARTY DATA	
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Novelis, Inc.	05/10/2010
RECEIVING PARTY DATA	
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PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 1	
Property Type	Number
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PATENT ASSIGNMENT AND LICENSE AGREEMENT

WHEREAS Novellis, Inc., a Canadian corporation, having a principal place of business at 3399 Peachtree Road NE, Suite 1500, Atlanta, Georgia, ("Novellis") has developed a certain technology and improvements for linear drive die necking ("LDN Technology");

WHEREAS Crown Packaging Technology, Inc., a Delaware corporation, having a principal place of business at 11535 South Central Avenue, Alsip, Illinois, ("Crown") desires to acquire all right, title and interest to patents and patent applications relating to LDN Technology, and desires to acquire whole ownership of a certain, existing prototype machine for linear drive die necking; and

WHEREAS Novellis desires to assign all intellectual property rights in LDN Technology to Crown, and after assignment to obtain limited rights to continue to practice the technology and improvements by operating a certain, existing laboratory scale machine for linear drive die necking;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the parties' representations and promises herein the parties agree as follows:

1. The "Effective Date" is the date of execution of this Agreement by both Novellis and Crown.
2. "Necking Patent Applications" means (i) the patent applications identified in the attached Schedule 1; (ii) any existing or future patent applications claiming priority to any of the patents or patent applications identified in Schedule 1 in any country; and (iii) any present or future patent applications from which any of the patents or patent applications identified in Schedule 1 claim priority in any country.
3. "Necking Patents" means all granted patents, now or at any time in the future, listed on Schedule 1 or issued from or claiming priority to any Necking Patent Application in any country.
5. "Affiliate" means, as to any person, any company or entity that is directly or indirectly owned by or controlled by such person or under common ownership or control of such person.

7. Novelis hereby sells, assigns, transfers and sets over to Crowe the entire right, title and interest in and to the Necking Patents and Necking Patent Applications and all continuations, divisions, renewals, reissues or extensions of and substitutes for the Necking Patents and Necking Patent Applications, including the full right to sue for and collect damages for past violations of any of the Necking Patents and Necking Patent Applications. As the owner of the Necking Patents and Necking Patent Applications, Crown has the exclusive right to grant licenses thereunder to any party.

12. Crown will pay Novelis.

16. This Agreement shall be governed by, construed, and enforced in accordance with the substantive laws of the United States of America and the State of Delaware, as applicable, without giving effect to the conflict of law principles thereof.
17. This Agreement shall constitute the entire agreement between the parties hereto with respect to the Necking Patents and Necking Patent Applications and Prototype Linear Die Necker, and shall supersede all previous or contemporaneous negotiations, commitments, writings, promises and representations, written or oral, in regards thereto. This Agreement shall not be modified or altered in any manner except by an instrument in writing executed by the parties hereto.
18. All notices and communications, and all payments to Novelis, under this Agreement shall be mailed to:

As to Crown:

William T. Gallagher, Esquire
Vice President
Crown Packaging Technology, Inc.
One Crown Way
Philadelphia, PA 19134-4599
U.S.A.

As to Novelis:

Novelis Inc.

3399 Peachtree Road NE, Suite 1500
Atlanta, GA 30326
Attn: Secretary

19. The individuals signing below represent that they have the authority to execute this document on behalf of their respective parties.

Novellis, Inc.

By:

Michael P. Thomas

Name: Michael P. Thomas

Title: Deccora, LLC

Date: 10 May 2010

Crown Packaging Technology, Inc.

By:

David A. Thompson

Name: David A. Thompson

Title: President

Date: 7 May 2010

Schedule 1

LINEAR DRIVE METAL FORMING MACHINE

Country	Status	Application Number	Patent Number	Issue Date
Brazil	Pending	P10311543-7		
Canada	Granted	2486517	2486517	29-Jul-2008
China (People's Republic)	Granted	03812913.2	03812913.2	10-Jan-2007
European Patent Convention	National	03724748.3	1509346	20-Sep-2006
France	Granted	03724748.3	1509346	20-Sep-2006
Germany	Granted	03724748.3	1509346	20-Sep-2006
Italy	Granted	03724748.3	1509346	20-Sep-2006
Japan	Pending	2004-508962		
Korea, Republic of	Pending	7019588/2004		
Patent Cooperation Treaty	National	CA02/00807		
Russian Federation	Granted	2004/137790	2320444	27-Mar-2009
Spain	Granted	03724748.3	1509346	20-Sep-2006
United Kingdom	Granted	03724748.3	1509346	20-Sep-2006
United States of America	Granted	10/515552	7073365	11-Jul-2006

MULTI-STAGE FORMING APPARATUS

Country	Status	Application Number	Patent Number	Issue Date
United States of America	Pending	11/980283		

VACUUM SYSTEM FOR CONTAINER TRANSPORT

Country	Status	Application Number	Patent Number	Issue Date
United States of America	Pending	12/383662		