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This Patent Assignment is made this 1st day of January, 2009, between Ecolab Inc., a Delaware corporation (hereinafter the "Assignor") and Ecolab USA Inc., a Delaware corporation (hereinafter the "Assignee").

RECITALS

WHEREAS, the Assignor is the owner of the patents and patent applications identified in the attached Patent and Patent Application Schedule 1, attached hereto.

WHEREAS, the Assignor and Assignee have agreed on the transfer of the patents and patent applications, the inventions the subject matter thereof and the right to apply for or obtain corresponding patents for the inventions and the priority thereof in any country of the world to the Assignee.

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignor hereby assigns to Assignee all of the patents and patent applications, the right, title and interest in the same and all the rights, powers, liberties and immunities arising or to arise therefrom.

The Assignor hereby undertakes to do all acts and execute all documents necessary or desirable for further assuring the title of the Assignee to the patents and patent applications and the inventions the subject matter thereof to the intent that all the patents and patent applications shall be transferred into the name of the Assignee and in particular the Assignor will do all acts, execute all documents and procure the making of any declarations or oaths necessary or required by law and will comply with any other matter or thing for this purpose.

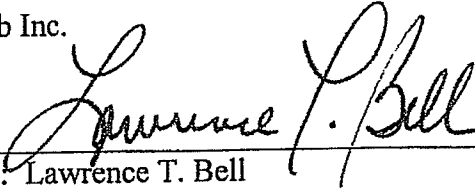
All fees, costs and expenses connected with the transfer of the patents and the patent applications shall be borne and paid by the Assignee.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Assignor and the Assignee have caused this Patent Assignment to be duly executed and delivered as of the date stated above.

Signed for on behalf of:

Ecolab Inc.

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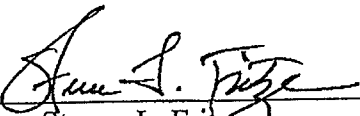

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