

## PATENT ASSIGNMENT

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**DECLARATION AND ASSIGNMENT**

Title of Invention: TREATED APPLICATOR TO INCREASE PERFORMANCE

I, Jason T. Woods of Olmsted Township, County of Cuyahoga, State of Ohio, declare that this declaration is directed to:

- The attached application, or
- United States application or PCT application number \_\_\_\_\_, filed on \_\_\_\_\_.

The above-identified application was made or authorized to be made by me. I believe that I am the original inventor or an original joint inventor of a claimed invention in the application.

I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified application, including the claims.

I hereby acknowledge that any willful false statement made in this declaration is punishable under 18 U.S.C. § 1001 by fine or imprisonment of not more than five (5) years, or both.

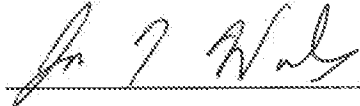
Whereas, having invented certain new and useful improvements in the above-identified application, and, in consideration of the sum of one Dollar(s) (\$ 1.00 ) and other good and valuable consideration to me paid by THE SHERWIN-WILLIAMS COMPANY, a corporation of Ohio, having its principal office and place of business at Cleveland, Ohio, I hereby assign to THE SHERWIN-WILLIAMS COMPANY, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to said improvements in the United States, its territories, and all foreign countries, and in, to and under the application for Letters Patent of the United States disclosing and claiming said improvements, bearing Sherwin-Williams Patent Case No(s). 17104, and in, to and under any Reissue, Divisional, Continuing, Substitute, or other application based in whole or in part thereon, and any corresponding application filed in any foreign country, and in, to and under any Letters Patent of the United States or any foreign country which may be issued on any of said applications.

Further, I do hereby covenant and agree for myself and my legal representatives to assist my aforesaid assignee, its successors and assigns in the prosecution of the said application or applications, and in any interference or litigation which may arise involving my said improvements, application or applications, or the said patent or patents, and to execute (1) any application for Reissue of the aforesaid patent or patents, and (2) any Divisional, Continuing, Substitute or foreign application based in whole or in part on the above specifically identified application or applications and (3) any assignment of said applications or patents granted thereon, all as may be requested by my said assignee.

And I further grant to THE SHERWIN-WILLIAMS COMPANY its successors and assigns, the right to claim for any of the aforesaid patent applications any privileges available under Conventions or other agreements relating to Industrial Property or under the municipal law in the countries in which said applications are filed.

And I hereby authorize and request the United States Commissioner of Patents, and appropriately empowered officials of foreign countries, to issue Letters Patent or Patents upon the aforesaid application or applications to THE SHERWIN-WILLIAMS COMPANY, aforesaid, its successors and assigns, as assignee of my entire right, title and interest in and to the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 15th day of March, 2013.

By:   
 Name: Jason T. Woods  
 Address: 26944 Southwood Lane  
 Olmsted Township, Ohio 44138

State of Ohio            )  
                                   )ss:  
 County of Cuyahoga    )

Before me, this 15th day of March, 2013, came Jason T. Woods to me known to be the person named aforesaid and acknowledged the execution thereof to be her own free act and deed.

(SEAL)  
  
 Notary Public -

VALERIA RATONI-NAGY  
 Notary Public, State of Ohio  
 My Commission Expires Oct. 1, 2017

DECLARATION AND ASSIGNMENT

Title of Invention: TREATED APPLICATOR TO INCREASE PERFORMANCE

I, Joseph N. Biber of Macedonia, County of Summit, State of Ohio, declare that this declaration is directed to:

- [X] The attached application, or
[ ] United States application or PCT application number, filed on

The above-identified application was made or authorized to be made by me. I believe that I am the original inventor or an original joint inventor of a claimed invention in the application.

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Further, I do hereby covenant and agree for myself and my legal representatives to assist my aforesaid assignee, its successors and assigns in the prosecution of the said application or applications, and in any interference or litigation which may arise involving my said improvements, application or applications, or the said patent or patents, and to execute (1) any application for Reissue of the aforesaid patent or patents, and (2) any Divisional, Continuing, Substitute or foreign application based in whole or in part on the above specifically identified application or applications and (3) any assignment of said applications or patents granted thereon, all as may be requested by my said assignee.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this day of March, 2013.

By: [Signature]
Name: Joseph N. Biber
Address: 8955 Crow Drive
Macedonia, Ohio 44056

State of Ohio )
)ss:
County of Cuyahoga )

Before me, this 15th day of March, 2013, came Joseph N. Biber to me known to be the person named aforesaid and acknowledged the execution thereof to be her own free act and deed.

(SEAL)

[Signature]
Notary Public -

VALERIA RATONI-NAGY
Notary Public, State of Ohio
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DECLARATION AND ASSIGNMENT

Title of Invention: TREATED APPLICATOR FOR IMPROVING PERFORMANCE

I, Charles T. Buckel, Jr. of Valley City, County of Medina, State of Ohio, declare that this declaration is directed to:

- X The attached application, or
United States application or PCT application number, filed on

The above-identified application was made or authorized to be made by me. I believe that I am the original inventor or an original joint inventor of a claimed invention in the application.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 15th day of March, 2013.

By: Charles T. Buckel, Jr.
Name: Charles T. Buckel, Jr.
Address: 1877 Abbeyville Road
Valley City, Ohio 44280

State of Ohio )
County of Medina ) ss:

Before me, this 15th day of March, 2013, came Charles T. Buckel, Jr. to me known to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing and acknowledged the execution thereof to be her own free act and deed.

(SEAL)

Notary Public -

