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## ASSIGNMENT

Whereas we, Benoit Prouvost and Paul Stenson, with residences and citizenships as indicated below; have made an invention described in

### **POLYESTER-BASED COATING COMPOSITION FOR METAL SUBSTRATES**

U.S. Provisional Application Serial No.: 61/393,584

Filed: October 15, 2010

PCT International Application Serial No.: PCT/US2011/056376

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U.S. Non-Provisional Application Serial No.: 13/856,159

Filed: April 3, 2013

Now, therefore, for good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is acknowledged, we have individually and jointly agreed to assign and transfer and do hereby assign and transfer unto Valspar Sourcing, Inc. ("Company"), a corporation of Minnesota, having its principal office at 901-3<sup>rd</sup> Avenue South, PO Box 1461, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55440-1461, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title, and interest in and to said invention and application, and in and to any division or continuation (in whole or in part) of said application, and in and to any and all improvements in said invention made by us or any of us or made jointly with others (provided any such improvement is made during, or within one year after the termination of, the employment by the Company of whichever of us, solely or jointly with one or more others, has made the any such improvement), and in and to any and all Patents, reexaminations, reissues, or extensions thereof, of the United States of America and countries foreign thereto (including the right to apply for Patents, Utility Models, or Inventors' Certificates in foreign countries in its own name and to claim any priority rights for such foreign applications to which such applications are entitled under international conventions, treaties, or otherwise), which have been or may be granted thereon or on any continued prosecution application, divisional, continuation (in whole or in part), renewal, reexamination, reissue, or other or further application based in whole or in part upon said invention or improvements thereon, to be held and enjoyed as fully and exclusively as they would have been by us or any of us had this assignment and transfer not been made;

We do further agree for ourselves and for our heirs, executors, and administrators, to execute and deliver without further consideration any further applications, assignments, and documents, and to perform such other acts as we lawfully may, that may be deemed necessary by the Company, its successors, assigns, and nominees, fully to secure its right, title, and interest as aforesaid and to obtain or maintain Patents, Utility Models, or Inventors' Certificates in any and all countries;

We authorize the Company, its successors and assigns, to insert in this instrument the filing date and application number of any of the above Applications when ascertained;

And we do hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents to issue any and all Letters Patent which may be granted upon any of said applications, to Company as the assignee of the entire right, title, and interest therein.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto signed our names on the days and years set forth below.

For: Polyester-Based Coating Composition for Metal Substrates

Signature: 

Name: Benoit Prouvost

Date

Address: En Breuille, L'Abergement de Cuisery, 71290, France

Citizenship: France

April 26, 2011

I, the undersigned witness, acknowledge that I witnessed Benoit Prouvost sign this  
Assignment on the date indicated below:

Witness: 

Printed Name: GIGNEL SEBASTIEN

Date: April 26, 2011

Signature: 

Name: Paul Stenson

Date

Address: Buchenweg 1, Gattikon, CH 8136, Switzerland

Citizenship: United States

April 14, 2011

I, the undersigned witness, acknowledge that I witnessed Paul Stenson sign this  
Assignment on the date indicated below:

Witness: 

Printed Name: THOMAS R. MALLEN

Date: April 14, 2011