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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, **Mahendra Thunga, Keke Chen and Michael Richard Kessler** (hereinafter the "Undersigned") have made one or more inventions and other subject matter (hereinafter collectively referred to as the "Invention") which are described in a patent application filed on October 8, 2013, which application was assigned US patent application serial number 14/048,532, and which is titled COMPOSITIONS INCLUDING ESTERIFIED LIGNIN AND POLY(LACTIC ACID) AND CARBON FIBERS PRODUCED THEREFROM; which are described in a patent application filed on October 9, 2012, which application was assigned US application serial number 61/711,584, and which is titled COMPOSITIONS INCLUDING ESTERIFIED LIGNIN AND POLY(LACTIC ACID) AND CARBON FIBERS PRODUCED THEREFROM.

FOR GOOD AND VALUABLE CONSIDERATION, the receipt, sufficiency, and adequacy of which are hereby acknowledged by the Undersigned, the Undersigned do hereby irrevocably and unconditionally:

CONVEY, ASSIGN, AND TRANSFER to Iowa State University Research Foundation, Inc. (the "Assignee"), a corporation of the State of Iowa, having a place of business at 310 Lab of Mechanics, Ames, IA 50011-2131, the Undersigned's entire right, title, and interest for the United States and all foreign countries and jurisdictions in and to:

the Invention which is disclosed in the above-identified application or applications;

such application or applications, and all divisional, continuing (including continuation-in-part), substitute, renewal, reissue, and all other applications for a patent or patents which have been or shall be filed in the United States (including all provisional and non-provisional applications), and in all foreign countries and jurisdictions based in whole or in part on any of such Invention (including any application for a utility model or an innovation patent application);

all original and reissued patents which have been or shall be issued in the United States and all foreign countries and jurisdictions based in whole or in part on any of such Invention;

including the right to claim priority to the above-identified patent application or applications in relation to subject matter based in whole or in part on the above-identified patent application or applications and any of the foregoing including the right to file foreign applications under the provisions of any convention or treaty;

and including the right to all causes of action, remedies, and other enforcement rights related to the above-identified application or applications, including without limitation the right to sue for past, present, or future infringement, misappropriation, or violation of any and all rights related to the above-identified patent application or applications and any of the foregoing, including the right to obtain and collect damages for past, present, or future infringement;

AUTHORIZE AND REQUEST the issuing authority to issue any and all United States and foreign patents granted on such Invention to the Assignee;

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AUTHORIZE AND REQUEST that any attorney associated with U.S. Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO) Customer No. 21186 may (directly or through his/her designee) delete, insert, or alter any information related to the above-identified patent application or applications or any of the foregoing, after execution of this Assignment;

WARRANT AND COVENANT that no assignment, grant, mortgage, license or other agreement affecting the rights and property herein conveyed has been or shall be made to others by the Undersigned, and that the full right to convey the same as herein expressed is possessed by the Undersigned;

COVENANT, that when requested and without compensation, but at the expense of the Assignee, in order to carry out in good faith the intent and purpose of this Assignment, the Undersigned shall (1) execute all provisional, non-provisional, divisional, continuing (including continuation-in-part), substitute, renewal, reissue, and all other patent applications for the Invention; (2) execute all rightful oaths, declarations, assignments, powers of attorney and other papers for the Invention; (3) communicate to the Assignee all facts known to the Undersigned relating to the Invention and the history thereof; (4) cooperate with the Assignee in any interference, reexamination, reissue, opposition, dispute, or litigation involving any of the applications or patents for the Invention; and (5) take such further actions as the Assignee shall reasonably consider necessary or desirable for vesting title to such Invention in the Assignee, or for securing, maintaining and enforcing proper patent protection for the Invention;

COVENANT, that should any provision of this agreement be held unenforceable by an authority of competent jurisdiction, such a ruling shall not affect the validity and enforceability of the remaining provisions. To the extent that any such provision is found to be unenforceable, the Undersigned, when requested and without compensation shall act in good faith to substitute for such provision a new provision with content and purpose as close as possible to the provision deemed unenforceable.

THIS AGREEMENT IS TO BE BINDING on the heirs, assigns, representatives, and successors of the Undersigned, and is to extend to the benefit of the successors, assigns, and nominees of the Assignee.

AGREED as of the date of my signature below:

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Assignor:

(Signature):

M. Mahendra

Name: Mahendra Thunga

City/State: Des Moines, IA

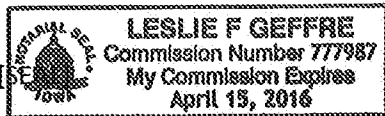
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STATE OF Iowa

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COUNTY OF Story

On this 30th day of October, 2013 before me personally appeared Mahendra Thunga, to me known and known to me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and he/she duly acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.



Leslie F. Geffre

Notary Public

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Assignor:

(Signature):

Chen Keke 陈可可

Name: Keke Chen

City/State: Shanghai, China

Date:

11/26/2013

ATTESTATION OF SIGNATURE PURSUANT TO 28 U.S.C. § 1746

The undersigned witnessed the signature of Keke Chen to execute the above Assignment and makes the following statements:

1. I am over the age of 18 and competent to testify as to the facts in this Attestation block if called upon to do so.
2. Keke Chen is personally known to me (or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence) and appeared before me on February 18 2013 to execute the above Assignment.
3. Keke Chen subscribed to the above Assignment.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of America that the statements made in the three (3) numbered paragraphs immediately above are true and correct.

EXECUTED on 11/26/2013 (date)

(Signature):

Chen Huz Su

Print Name:

CHEN-HUZ SU

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Assignor:

(Signature):

Mich Kessler

Name: Michael Richard Kessler

City/State: Pullman, WA

Date:

10/29/13

STATE OF Washington)

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COUNTY OF Whitman)

On this 29 day of October, 2013 before me personally appeared Michael Richard Kessler, to me known and known to me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and he/she duly acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

[SEAL]

Lori Palmer

Notary Public

