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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, NIPPON STEEL & SUMITOMO METAL CORPORATION

(formerly Nippon Steel Corporation), a corporation organized under the laws of Japan and having a place of business at 6-1, MARUNOUCHI 2-CHOME, CHIYODA-KU, TOKYO, JAPAN 100-8071, and MITSUI CHEMICALS, INC. (formerly Mitsui Takeda Chemicals, Inc., evidence of name change previously recorded or to be recorded concurrently herewith, is attached), a corporation organized under the laws of Japan and having a place of business at 5-2, HIGASHI-SHIMBASHI 1-CHOME, MINATO-KU, TOKYO 105-7117, JAPAN (hereinafter collectively ASSIGNORS), are joint assignees and owners of the entire right, title and interest in and to U.S. Patent No. 6,730,407 by virtue of assignments previously recorded in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; and

WHEREAS, NIPPON STEEL & SUMIKIN STAINLESS STEEL
CORPORATION, a corporation organized under the laws of Japan and having a place of business 6-1, OTEMACHI 2-CHOME, CHIYODA-KU, TOKYO 100-0004, JAPAN (hereinafter ASSIGNEE) is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to U.S. Patent No. 6,730,407;

NOW, THEREFORE, for valuable consideration furnished by ASSIGNEE to ASSIGNORS, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNORS hereby assign, sell and transfer unto said ASSIGNEE, its successors and assigns, ASSIGNORS' entire right, title and interest in and to U.S. Patent No. 6,730,407, including all rights to sue for any past infringement of said Patent, and to any and all other applications for Letters Patent based on said patent applications, including all divisional, renewal, substitute, and continuation applications based in-whole or in-part upon said patent applications, and any and all Letters Patent, reissues, and extensions of said Patent.

PATENT REEL: 035052 FRAME: 0987 The undersigned represents that he/she has authority to execute this Assignment on behalf of NIPPON STEEL & SUMITOMO METAL CORPORATION and MITSUI CHEMICALS, INC.

NIPPON STEEL & SUMITOMO METAL CORPORATION

MITSUI CHEMICALS, INC.

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