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PATENT ASSIGNMENT

ASSIGNMENT made by NewPage Wisconsin System Inc., a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Wisconsin, United States of America, and located and doing business at 6775 Lenox Center Court, Suite 400, Memphis, TN 38115-4436 (hereinafter the ASSIGNOR) to Verso Minnesota Wisconsin LLC, a limited liability company organized under the laws of the State of Delaware, United States of America, and located and doing business at 6775 Lenox Center Court, Suite 400, Memphis, TN 38115-4436 (hereinafter the ASSIGNEE).

For \$1 and other good and valuable consideration provided by ASSIGNEE to ASSIGNOR, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged by ASSIGNOR:

The ASSIGNOR sells, assigns and transfers to the ASSIGNEE and its successors and assigns the entire right, title and interest in the inventions and patents therefor listed in Exhibit A, which is attached hereto and incorporated herein, including, without limitation, the right to bring legal action to enforce said patents and retain any benefit resulting from such enforcement for infringements occurring prior to the date of this assignment.

This sale and assignment extends to the patents listed in Exhibit A and any related substitute, refile, divisional, or continuation applications filed in the United States and elsewhere; any subsequent patent applications filed in the United States or elsewhere claiming the benefit of priority to these or any of the applications for patents or patents in Exhibit A; any patents issuing out of any of the aforementioned applications, and any reissues or extensions of such patents; and any other patent applications or patents relating to the inventions set forth in the applications and patents identified in Exhibit A.

The ASSIGNOR covenants that it has the full right to convey the entire right, title and interest in the inventions to the ASSIGNEE, and that it has not executed and will not execute any agreement in conflict with this ASSIGNMENT.

The ASSIGNOR covenants that it will at any time and upon request execute and deliver any and all papers that may be necessary or desirable to perfect the title in the inventions, or the title in any patent applications regarding the inventions or in Letters Patent that may be granted for the inventions. If the ASSIGNEE or its successors or assigns

desire to make substitute, refile, divisional, re-examination, or continuation applications for the inventions, or to secure a reissue or extension of a Letters Patent for the inventions, or to file a disclaimer relating to the inventions, or to make applications for corresponding patents in any foreign country, the ASSIGNOR covenants that it will at any time and upon request sign all papers, make all rightful oaths, and do all lawful acts necessary for these purposes, but at the expense of the ASSIGNEE.

The ASSIGNOR acknowledges that its entire beneficial interest in the inventions to which the above applications and patents relate is irrevocably vested in the ASSIGNEE, including the right to apply for protection in all countries abroad and the right to claim priority under any International Conventions for such applications, and assents to the making of any such applications and any substitutes, refiles, divisionals, or continuations resulting from any such applications, with or without priority claims.

The ASSIGNOR covenants that it will at all times communicate to the ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns, and legal representatives, all facts relating to the inventions and any applications or Letters Patent relating to the inventions known to it, and testify as to these facts in interferences or other litigation when requested to do so, but at the expense of the ASSIGNEE.

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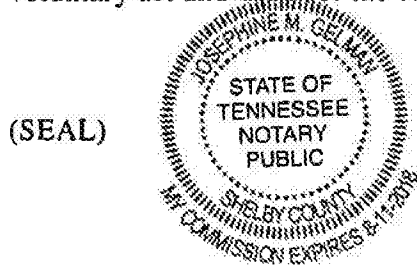
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ASSIGNOR: NewPage Wisconsin System Inc.

Peter H. Kesser
Peter H. Kesser, President

State of TENNESSEE)
County of SHELBY) ss.

Personally appeared before me this 20th day of December, 2016, Peter H. Kesser, to me known to be the person whose name is subscribed to in the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he signed, sealed and delivered the said instrument as his free and voluntary act and deed for the uses and purposes therein set forth.



Josephine M. Gelman
Notary Public
My Commission expires 8-11-2018

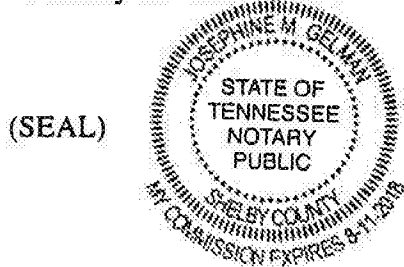
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EXHIBIT A

**PATENTS ASSIGNED FROM NEWPAGE WISCONSIN SYSTEM INC. TO
VERSO MINNESOTA WISCONSIN LLC**

| Country | Patent Number | Application Number | Title | Issue Date |
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| CA | 2678556 | 2678556 | Multifunctional Paper Identification Label | 01/31/2012 |
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| US | 6,808,767 | 09/838,480 | High Gloss Ink Jet Recording Media | 10/26/2004 |
| US | 6,140,406 | 09/097,016 | High Solids Interactive Coating Composition, Ink Jet Recording Medium, and Method | 10/31/2000 |
| US | 6,713,550 | 09/941,279 | Method for Making a High Solids Interactive Coating Composition and Ink Jet Recording Medium | 03/30/2004 |
| CA | 2308685 | 2308685 | High Solids Interactive Coating Composition, Ink Jet Recording Medium and Method | 07/20/2004 |
| EP | 1153757 | 00110333.2 | High Solids Interactive Coating Composition and Ink Jet Recording Medium | 11/14/2001 |
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