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PATENT ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, **Merck Performance Materials Limited**, a limited liability company of the United Kingdom, having a place of business at 5 New Square, Bedford Lakes, Business Park, TW14 8HA Feltham, United Kingdom, (hereinafter "ASSIGNOR"), is the owner by a lawfully executed Assignment of all rights, title and interest in an invention(s), which invention(s) is described in an application(s) for Letters Patent, which application(s) are listed in the attached Schedule as may be amended from time-to-time; and

Merck Performance Materials Germany GmbH, a limited liability company of Germany, having a place of business at Frankfurter Strasse 250, 64293 Darmstadt, Germany, (hereinafter "ASSIGNEE"), have entered into an agreement ("Agreement") wherein all intellectual property developed under such Agreement shall be held in the name of ASSIGNEE.

Now, THEREFORE, pursuant to the above Agreement, the undersigned on behalf of ASSIGNOR has sold, assigned and transferred, and do hereby sell, assign and transfer unto ASSIGNEE, its lawful successors and assigns, the full, exclusive and worldwide right to the invention, and the entire right, title and interest in, to and under the application(s) and any and all Letters Patent(s) that may be granted on the application(s), any and all priority applications and Letters Patent thereof, any and all applications and Letters Patent claiming priority to the application(s), including any and all divisions or continuations thereof, any and all renewals, substitutes, reissues, reexaminations and extensions thereof, in the United States of America, in the territorial possessions of the United States of America, and equivalents thereto in any country foreign to the United States of America, including full right to claim for any such applications all benefits and priority rights under any applicable convention, the same to be held and enjoyed by ASSIGNEE, its lawful successors and assigns as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by ASSIGNOR had this assignment not been made.

ASSIGNOR hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patent and Trademarks of the United States of America and respective Patent Office officials in any country foreign to the United States of America to issue said Letters Patent to ASSIGNEE, and ASSIGNOR hereby further authorizes ASSIGNEE to apply for Letters Patent in ASSIGNOR name or in ASSIGNEE own name, as ASSIGNEE sees fit in its sole discretion, utilizing any benefits which may exist under any International Agreement, in any country.


ASSIGNOR hereby agrees for itself, its lawful successors, assigns and legal representatives to execute any lawful document and to testify as to any material fact or thing which ASSIGNEE, its lawful successors, assigns and legal representatives may deem necessary in order to secure unto ASSIGNEE, its successors and assigns the full right, title and interest in and to, and the full enjoyment of, the invention or any part thereof, the applications and any and all Letters Patent, the same to be done without any further consideration.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereby set my hand on behalf of **Merck Performance Materials Limited**, this __
24 day of March, 2021.

Signature: 

Name and Title: **Peter Biro - Director**

Witnesses: I attest that on this day, the above person on behalf of **Merck Performance Materials Limited** did sign above in my presence of his/her own free will.

Witness Signature: 

Witness Name: **Loretta Primonato**

Date: **24 Mar 21**

Witness Signature: 

Witness Name: Amerdeep Barnish


Date: **24 Mar 21**

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereby set my hand on behalf of **Merck Performance Materials Germany GmbH**,
this 13th day of April, 2021.

Signature: ppa.  ppa. 

Name and Title: Dr. Wolfgang Losert Dr. Stefan Horstmann

Witnesses: I attest that on this day, the above person on behalf of **Merck Performance Materials Germany GmbH** did sign above in my presence of his/her own free will.

Witness Signature: 

Witness Name: Heike Blimler

Date: April 13, 2021

Witness Signature: 

Witness Name: Martina Bopp

Date: 13 April 2021

SCHEDULE P19-071

Application No.:	Country	Title	Filing Date	Inventor(s)
PCT/EP2020/061577	EP	Reactive Mesogens	April 27, 2020	Jack Bradford Kevin Adlem Naomi Weare Vicki Poole Iain Gardiner

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