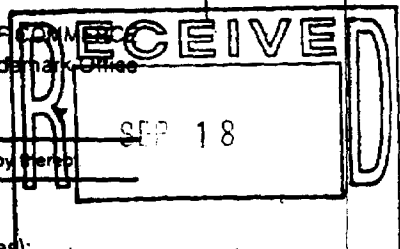


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 Yes No

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Name: AKZO Nobel Membrana GmbH
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AKZO NOBEL MEMBRANA, GMBH



Date: July 1st, 1998

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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Osmonics, Inc., a Minnesota corporation with offices at 5951 Clearwater Drive, Minnetonka, Minnesota 55343 ("Assignor") has adopted, used and is using the trademark MEMBRANA, United States Registration Number 2,072,230 registered June 17, 1997; and

WHEREAS, AKZO NOBEL MEMBRANA, GMBH, ("Assignee") is desirous of acquiring said registered trademark;

NOW THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, said Assignor does hereby assign to the said Assignee all right, title, and interest in the trademark together with the goodwill of the business symbolized thereby and the above identified Registration.

OSMONICS, INC.

By [Signature]

Its CEO

Dated 23 Mar 98

