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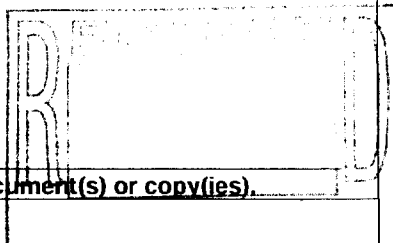
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TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT

THIS ASSIGNMENT is made between BASF Corporation, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Delaware, having a principal place of business at 3000 Continental Drive North, Mount Olive, New Jersey 07828-1234 (the "Assignor") and Monsanto Company, a corporation organized under the laws of the state of Delaware, having a principal place of business at 800 North Lindbergh Boulevard, St. Louis, Missouri 63167 (the "Assignee").

WHEREAS, the Assignor is the owner in the United States of the trademarks FALLOWMASTER, Registration No. 1,430,845 which became registered on March 3, 1987, and FALLOWMASTER and Design, Registration No. 1,608,780 which became registered on August 7, 1990 (the "Trademarks"); and

WHEREAS, the Assignee wishes to acquire all of Assignor's rights in and to the Trademarks and the good will associated therewith.

NOW THEREFORE, for good and valid consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, the Assignor hereby assigns, transfers and conveys to the Assignee all right, title and interest in and to the Trademarks and the registrations thereof together with the good will of the business which is symbolized by the Trademarks and with the right to recover for damages and profits and all other remedies for past infringements thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the Assignor has hereunto affixed its corporate seal under the hands of its proper officer duly authorized in that behalf this 30th day of July, 1999.

Corporate Seal

BASF Corporation

By: Erin W. Algran

Title: Assistant Secretary