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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Registrant: RWE-DEA AKTIENGESELLSCHAFT)
 FÜR MINERALOEL UND CHEMIE)
)
 Registration No.: 1,580,926)
)
 Mark: LIPOXOL)
)
 Registered: February 6, 1990)
)
 International Class 1)

DESIGNATION OF DOMESTIC REPRESENTATIVE

Millen, White, Zelano & Branigan, P.C. whose postal address is Arlington Courthouse Plaza I, 2200 Clarendon Boulevard, Suite 1400, Arlington, Virginia 22201 is hereby designated registrant's representative upon whom notice or process in proceedings affecting the mark may be served.

RWE-DEA AKTIENGESELLSCHAFT
 FÜR MINERALOEL UND CHEMIE

By: ppa. Hein
 (Signature)

By: ppa. Mitas
 (Signature)

Name: Dr. Günter Hein

Name: Christian Mitas

Title: Legal Officer

Title: Legal Officer

Date: 16. 5. 00, 1999

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Attorney Docket No. MULLER 1X

Notarial Certificate
according to § 21 of the Federal German Code of Notaries
(Bundesnotarordnung)

After having inspected the certified register of commerce (Handelsregister) no. HR B 2050 of the Municipal Court (Amtsgericht) at Marl dated July 30, 1999 and the certified register of commerce no. HR B 47234 of the Municipal Court in Frankfurt am Main dated September 28, 1999,

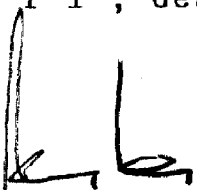
I, the undersigned notary public Klaus Ludes
for the district of the Regional Court of appeal (Oberlandesgericht) at Hamm
with residence at Marl,

hereby certify

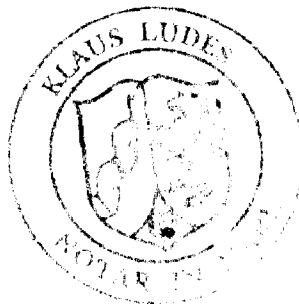
that the stock corporation Hüls Aktiengesellschaft, formerly having its registered office at Marl, Federal Republic of Germany, has been merged with Degussa Aktiengesellschaft, domiciled in Frankfurt am Main, Federal Republic of Germany, by merger contract dated November 9, 1998, such merger implemented by acquisition of the total assets of Degussa Aktiengesellschaft by Hüls Aktiengesellschaft. The name of Hüls Aktiengesellschaft has been amended to *Degussa-Hüls Aktiengesellschaft*. The merger and the change of name have been entered in the register of commerce at the Municipal Court at Marl on February 1, 1999.

Further, I hereby certify that Degussa-Hüls Aktiengesellschaft has moved its registered seat from Marl to *Frankfurt am Main* (Weißfrauenstraße 9, D-60287 Frankfurt am Main), such removal has been entered in the register of commerce at the Municipal Court in Frankfurt am Main on June 8, 1999.

M a r l , den 15. Mai 2000



Notary Public





Die vorstehenden, vor mir gefertigten Unterschriften der Herren Prokuristen

Dr. Gerhard Olbricht,
Ulrich Ebmeier,
beide dienstansässig Paul-Baumann-Straße 1
in 45772 Marl

- von Person bekannt -

beglaubige ich hiermit.

Die Frage nach einer Vorbefassung im Sinne des § 3 Abs. 1 Nr. 7
Beurkundungsgesetz wurde von den Erschienenen verneint.

Ich bescheinige als Notar, daß die Herren Dr. Olbricht und Ebmeier als
Prokuristen berechtigt sind, gemeinsam die Degussa-Hüls Aktiengesellschaft
mit dem Sitz in Frankfurt zu vertreten, wovon ich mich heute durch Einsicht
in die Eintragungsnachricht des Amtsgerichts Frankfurt vom 23.02.2000 - HRB 47234 -
und in einen beglaubigten Handelsregisterauszug des Amtsgerichts Frankfurt vom
17.12.1999 - HRB 47234 - überzeugt habe.

Nummer 107 der Urkundenrolle für 2000

Marl, den 15. Mai 2000

Klaus Ludes
Notar



05-24-2000

ASSIGNMENT

U.S. Patent & TMO/c/TM Mail Rept Dt. #57

WHEREAS: Degussa-Hüls Aktiengesellschaft, a corporation of the Federal Republic of Germany, with an address of Weißfrauenstr. 9, Frankfurt, Germany is the owner of record of the following United States federal trademark registrations (hereinafter "registrations") as shown in the records of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office:

- Registration No. 1,580,926 "LIPOXOL"
- Registration No. 1,638,038 "MARLINAT"
- Registration No. 1,598,020 "MARLOTHERM"
- Registration No. 1,647,135 "MARLOWET"

WHEREAS: RWE-DEA AKTIENGESELLSCHAFT FÜR MINERALOEL UND CHEMIE, a corporation of the Federal Republic of Germany, with an address of Überseering 40, D-22297 Hamburg, Germany is desirous of acquiring all rights in the registrations and the underlying trademarks thereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Degussa-Hüls Aktiengesellschaft assigns to RWE-DEA AKTIENGESELLSCHAFT FÜR MINERALOEL UND CHEMIE all right, title and interest in and to the above-listed registrations and underlying trademarks, together with the good will of the business symbolized by said trademarks.

Degussa-Hüls Aktiengesellschaft

Dr. G. Olbricht pro U. Ebmeier

By: _____
(Signature)

By: _____
(Signature)

Name: _____

Name: Dr. G. Olbricht U. Ebmeier

Title: _____

Title: _____

Date: _____, 1999

Date: _____, 1999

City/Country: Marl, Germany

On this 15 day of May 2000, 1999 personally appeared

_____ and _____ who acknowledged that they executed the foregoing Assignment on behalf of said assignor pursuant to authority duly received.

Notary Public

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**TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR DESIGNATION OF
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Assistant Commissioner for Trademarks
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Sir:

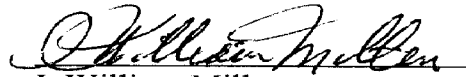
Enclosed for filing in the above-captioned case is the following:

Designation of Domestic Representative

Also attached is a copy of an Assignment filed concurrently and showing the change of ownership from Degussa-Hüls Aktienges to RWE-DEA AKTIENGESELLSCHAFT FÜR MINERALOEL UND CHEMIE.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge our deposit account (13-3402) for any additional fees deemed necessary to file the Designation of Domestic Representative. A duplicate of this letter is attached for that purpose.

Respectfully submitted,



I. William Millen
Attorney for Applicant

Filed: May 24, 2000

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