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1. Name of conveying party(ies):

Bayer Corporation

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2. Name and address of receiving party(ies):

Bayer Aktiengesellschaft
D-51368
Leverkusen-Bayerwerk, Germany

3. Nature of conveyance:

- Assignment
- Security Agreement
- Other:
- Merger
- Change of Name

Execution Date: January 26, 2000

- Individual(s) citizenship:
- Association:
- General Partnership:
- Limited Partnership:
- Corporation-State:
- Other: German joint stock company

If Assignee is not domiciled in the U.S.A., a domestic representative designation is attached: Yes No

(Designations must be a separate document from Assignment.)

4. Application number(s) or registration number(s):

A. Trademark Application No.(s):

B. Trademark Registration No.(s):

2,307,944

5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence document should be mailed:

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6. Total number of applications and registrations involved: [1]

7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41) Cal. 1 x \$40.00 = \$ **40.00**
0 x \$25.00 = \$ **00.00**

- Fee enclosed.
- Authorized to be charged to Deposit Account.

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9. Statement and signature

To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document.

Stanley C. Macel, III
Name of Person Signing

Stanley C. Macel, III
Signature

June 18, 2001
Date

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: . Trademark Registration of :
: Bayer Aktiengesellschaft, by :
: assignment from Bayer Corporation :
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Reg. No.: : 2,307,944 :
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Issued: : January 11, 2000 :
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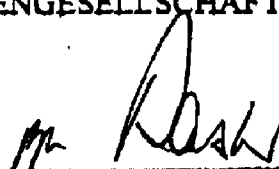
APPOINTMENT OF DOMESTIC REPRESENTATIVE

The Registrant, Bayer Aktiengesellschaft, appoints the firm of Connolly Bove Lodge & Hutz LLP, 1220 Market Street, P. O. Box 2207, Wilmington, Delaware 19899 as its domestic representative, upon whom notices or process in proceedings affecting the mark may be served.

Respectfully submitted,

BAYER AKTIENGESELLSCHAFT

Date: June 18, 2001

By: 
Name: Pastor
Title: Secretary

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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Bayer Corporation, an Indiana corporation, of 1884 Miles Avenue, Elkhart, Indiana 46514, U.S.A., has adopted the trademark AXIOM (Mark), and is the owner of U.S. Trademark Registration No. 2,307,944 for the mark; and

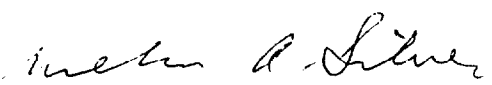
WHEREAS, Bayer Aktiengesellschaft, a corporation of the Federal Republic of Germany, of 51368 Leverkusen, Federal Republic of Germany desires to acquire said Mark and the registration thereof;

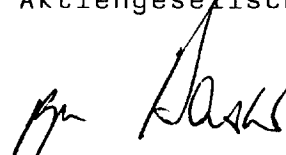
NOW THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Bayer Corporation hereby assigns unto Bayer Aktiengesellschaft all rights, title and interest in and to the said Mark, together with the goodwill of the business symbolized by the Mark, and the registration thereof.

Dated this 26th day of January, 2000.

BAYER CORPORATION

Bayer Aktiengesellschaft


By: Melvyn A. Silver
Assistant Secretary

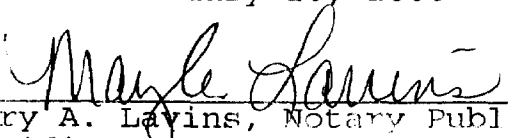


NOTARIAL CERTIFICATE

I Mary A.--Lavins, a Notary Public in Elkhart County, State of Indiana, do certify that Melvyn A. Silver, who appeared before me and who executed the foregoing document in my presence, is the Assistant Secretary of Bayer Corporation and has authority, under the articles of incorporation and by-laws of the said corporation, to represent the said corporation, and that any instrument signed solely by him in his capacity as such officer is binding on the said corporation.

Place: Elkhart, Indiana

Date: January 26, 2000



Mary A. Lavins, Notary Public
Residing in Elkhart County,
State of Indiana

My Commission Expires: March 24, 2001

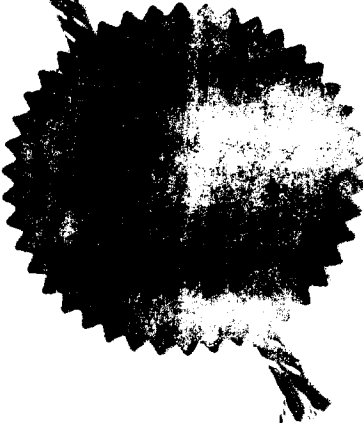



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I hereby certify that the foregoing document was signed in my presence by Mr. Helmut Pastor, counsel, 51368 Leverkusen, Bayer AG, personally known to me. --

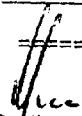
Upon my inspection of the Commercial Register -Amtsgericht Leverkusen HR B 1122- on May 22, 2001 I further attest that Mr. Pastor in his capacity as "Prokurist" is authorized to represent Bayer Aktiengesellschaft which has its registered place of business in Leverkusen.

Leverkusen, this May 22, 2001




(Dr. Janke)
Notary

Kostenberechnung		
Geschäftswert:	DM	5.000,00
Gebühr für Beglaubigung		
§§ 141, 32, 45 I	DM	20,00
Auswärtsgebühr		
§ 58 I	DM	20,00
Vertretungsbescheinigung		
§ 150 I	DM	25,00
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§ 152 II	DM	1,10
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Mehrwertsteuer 16%	DM	10,58
		76,68


(Dr. Janke)
Notar