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1. Name of conveying party(ies): SKW Trostberg AG **621-01**

Individual(s) Association
 General Partnership Limited Partnership
 Corporation-State
 Other German corporation

Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached Yes No

3. Nature of conveyance:
 Assignment Merger
 Security Agreement Change of Name
 Other

Merger by Assignment

Execution Date: February 9, 2001

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies):
Name: Degussa AG
Address: Bennigsenplatz 1,
D-40474 Düsseldorf, Germany

Individual(s) citizens 06-28-2001
 Association
 General Partnership
 Limited Partnership
 Corporation-State 101764093
 Other German corporation

If assignee is not domiciled in the United States, a domestic representative designation is attached:
 Yes No
(Designations must be a separate document from Assignment)
Additional name(s) & addresses attached?
 Yes No

A. Trademark Application No.(s)
75/464,866 75/827,705
75/740,623 75/888,942
75/760,880 75/914,335
75/794,514

B. Trademark Registration No.(s).
Additional Numbers attached? Yes No

5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:
Name: Leon Medzhibovsky
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6. Total number of applications and registration involved: 7

7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41) \$ 190.00
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Leon Medzhibovsky *Leon Medzhibovsky* June 21, 2001
Name of Person Signing Signature Date

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Attorney Docket No. SKW 802-810 (01002653)

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
TRADEMARK EXAMINING OPERATION**

In re Application of:

Degussa AG, by merger and assignment

Trademarks: See Schedule A

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office
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POWER OF ATTORNEY/DOMESTIC REPRESENTATIVE

Applicant hereby appoints Leon Medzhibovsky, Mark N. Mutterperl, Kenneth D. Suzan, and the other attorneys of FULBRIGHT & JAWORSKIL.L.P., 666 Fifth Avenue, New York, New York 10103, to prosecute the referenced applications, to transact all business in the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection therewith, to receive the Certificates of Registration, and to act as Applicant's domestic representative on whom may be served Notice or Process in proceedings effecting the marks. All telephone communication is to be directed to Leon Medzhibovsky at (212) 318-3182.

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Name: Dr. Schmid
Title: General Manager

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Notarielle Bescheinigung
gemäß § 21 Bundesnotarordnung

Aufgrund meiner heutigen Einsichtnahme in den beglaubigten Handelsregister-Auszug des Amtsgerichts Düsseldorf (HR B 39635) vom 26. Februar 2001, in den beglaubigten Handelsregister-Auszug des Amtsgerichts Frankfurt am Main (HR B 47234) vom 6. Februar 2001 sowie in den beglaubigten Handelsregister-Auszug des Amtsgerichts Traunstein (HR B 12079) vom 1. März 2001

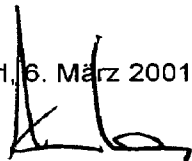
bescheinige ich,

der unterzeichnende Notar Klaus Ludes
im Bezirk des Oberlandesgerichts zu Hamm
mit dem Amtssitz in Marl,

hiermit, dass

- die *Degussa-Hüls Aktiengesellschaft* mit dem Sitz in Frankfurt am Main und die *SKW Trostberg AG* mit dem Sitz in Trostberg als übertragende Rechtsträger aufgrund des Verschmelzungsvertrags vom 17. Oktober 2000, des Beschlusses der Hauptversammlung der Degussa AG vom 19. Oktober 2000, des Beschlusses der Hauptversammlung der Degussa-Hüls Aktiengesellschaft vom 20. Oktober 2000 und des Beschlusses der Hauptversammlung der SKW Trostberg AG vom 24. Oktober 2000 durch Übertragung des Vermögens der Degussa-Hüls Aktiengesellschaft und der SKW Trostberg AG als Ganzes auf die *Degussa AG* mit dem Sitz in Düsseldorf als übernehmender Rechtsträger verschmolzen worden sind,
- die Verschmelzung der Degussa-Hüls Aktiengesellschaft und der SKW Trostberg AG auf die Degussa AG mit Eintragung in das Handelsregister des Amtsgerichts Düsseldorf am 9. Februar 2001 wirksam geworden ist,
- die Degussa AG ihren Sitz in *Düsseldorf* (Bennigsenplatz 1, 40474 Düsseldorf) hat.

Marl, 6. März 2001 / March 6, 2001



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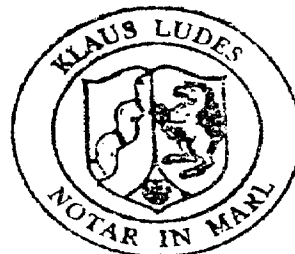
According to my today's date inspection of the attested abstract from commercial register of the municipal court at Düsseldorf, Federal Republic of Germany, (No. HR B 39635) dated February 26, 2001, the attested abstract from commercial register of the municipal court at Frankfurt am Main, Federal Republic of Germany, (No. HR B 47234) dated February 6, 2001 and the attested abstract from commercial register of the municipal court at Traunstein, Federal Republic of Germany, (No. HR B 12079) dated March 1, 2001,

I, the undersigning notary public Klaus Ludes
for the district of the regional appeal court at Hamm,
Federal Republic of Germany,
with official residence at Marl, Federal Republic of
Germany,

hereby certify

that

- *Degussa-Hüls Aktiengesellschaft* with registered seat at Frankfurt am Main, Federal Republic of Germany, and *SKW Trostberg AG* with registered seat at Trostberg, Federal Republic of Germany, as transferor entities, have been merged with *Degussa AG* with registered seat at Düsseldorf, Federal Republic of Germany, as acquiring entity, on the base of the merger agreement dated October 17, 2000, Degussa AG shareholders' resolution dated October 19, 2000, Degussa-Hüls Aktiengesellschaft shareholders' resolution dated October 20, 2000 and SKW Trostberg AG shareholders' resolution dated October 24, 2000, such merger implemented by assignment of the total assets of Degussa-Hüls Aktiengesellschaft and SKW Trostberg AG,
- the merger has become effective upon its registration in the commercial register of the municipal court at Düsseldorf, Federal Republic of Germany, on *February 9, 2001*,
- the registered seat of Degussa AG has been set up at *Düsseldorf* (Bennigsenplatz 1, D-40474 Düsseldorf), Federal Republic of Germany.



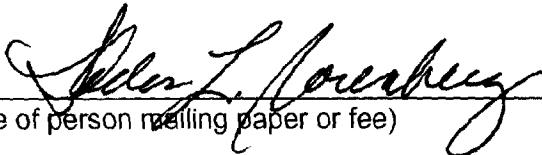
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