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1. Name of conveying party(ies) 4.5.02
Engineered Carbons, Inc.

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

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

3. Nature of conveyance:

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

Execution Date: April 4, 2002

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies)
Name: Degussa Engineered Carbons, L.P.

Internal Address: Attn: Jack L. Clem

Street Address: 379 Interpace Parkway

City: Parsippany State: NJ Zip: 07054

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

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) & address(es) attached? Yes No

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

A. Trademark Application No.(s)

B. Trademark Registration No.(s)

75,867,949

Additional number(s) attached Yes No

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

Name: Huber Lawrence & Abell

Internal Address: Attn: Gregory J. Blasi,
Esq.

Street Address: 605 Third Avenue

City: New York State: NY Zip: 10158

6. Total number of applications and registrations involved: 2

7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41).....\$80

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ASSIGNMENT OF A MARK

WHEREAS, ENGINEERED CARBONS, INC., a Delaware corporation, of 1215 Main Street, P.O. Box 667, Port Neches, Texas 77651, has adopted, used and is using a mark ("ECI") which application is in the United States Patent and Trademark Office, Serial No. 75,867,949, filed on December 8, 1999; and

WHEREAS, DEGUSSA ENGINEERED CARBONS, L.P., a Delaware limited partnership, located at 379 Interpace Parkway, Parsippany, New Jersey 07054, is desirous of acquiring said mark;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, ENGINEERED CARBONS, INC. does hereby assign unto the said DEGUSSA ENGINEERED CARBONS, L.P. all right, title and interest in and to the said mark, together with the good will of the business symbolized by the mark.

ENGINEERED CARBONS, INC.

By: Glenda Barnwell
Name: Glenda Barnwell
Title: Treasurer

Dated: April 4, 2002