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2. Name and address of receiving party(ies)

Name: Elementis Specialties, Inc.

Internal Address:

Street Address: Wyckoffs Mill Road

City: Hightstown State: NJ 08520

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

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1,231,549

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To the Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks: Please review original documents or copy thereof.

1. Name of conveying party(ies): NL Chemicals, Inc. 08/07/01
Individual(s) Association
General Partnership Limited Partnership
Corporation-State Delaware
Other
Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? Yes No

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies): Name: Elementis Specialties, Inc. Internal Address: Legal Department
Street Address: Wyckoffs Mill Road
City: Hightstown State: NJ Zip: 08520
Individual(s) citizenship
Association
General Partnership
Limited Partnership
Corporation-State Delaware
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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, NL Chemicals, Inc. (NL), a corporation organized and existing under the laws of Delaware, has record ownership of the following trademarks registered in the United States Patent and Trademark Office, rights to which were previously transferred by contract to assignee:

<u>U.S. Reg. No.</u>	<u>Mark</u>
1,231,549	BARAGEL
1,262,082	BENTONE GEL
1,246,727	NALZIN
1,210,152	THIXSEAL

(jointly the Marks);

WHEREAS, Elementis Specialties, Inc. (Elementis), a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, with offices at Wyckoffs Mill Road, Hightstown, New Jersey 08520 is desirous of obtaining record ownership of the registrations thereof, as well as all NL's right, title and interest in and to the Marks;

NOW THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, NL (Assignor) does hereby assign unto Elementis (Assignee) all right, title and interest in and to the Marks and the above-identified registrations thereof together with the goodwill of the business symbolized by the Marks.

Dated: July 23, 2001

NL CHEMICALS, INC.

By: 
William Bronner
General Counsel