TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT

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SUBMISSION TYPE:	NEW ASSIGNMENT
NATURE OF CONVEYANCE:	SECURITY INTEREST

CONVEYING PARTY DATA

Name	Formerly	Execution Date	Entity Type
GEO Specialty Chemicals, Inc.		11/02/2005	CORPORATION:

RECEIVING PARTY DATA

Name:	The CIT Group/Business Credit, Inc.
Street Address:	900 Ashwood Parkway
Internal Address:	Suite 610
City:	Atlanta
State/Country:	GEORGIA
Postal Code:	30338
Entity Type:	CORPORATION:

PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 1

Property Type	Number	Word Mark
Registration Number:	338977	DAXAD

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NAME OF SUBMITTER:	Harrison J. Roberts
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Date:	01/18/2006

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NOTICE OF
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IN
TRADEMARKS

United States Patent and Trademark Office
Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Box Assignments
Washington, D.C. 20231

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Please be advised that pursuant to a certain Trademark Security Agreement dated March 31, 2005 between GEO Specialty Chemicals, Inc., an Ohio corporation ("Borrower"), and The CIT Group/Business Credit, Inc., a New York corporation ("Lender"), Borrower granted to Lender a continuing security interest in and lien upon the trademarks, trademark registrations, tradenames and trademark applications listed on Exhibit A attached hereto.

Borrower and Lender hereby acknowledge and agree that the security interest in the foregoing trademarks, trademark registrations, tradenames and trademark applications may only be terminated in accordance with the terms of such trademark security agreement.

Very truly yours,

GEO SPECIALTY CHEMICALS, INC.

By: _____
Name: William P Eckman
Title: Exec. VP / CFO

Acknowledged and Accepted:

THE CIT GROUP/BUSINESS CREDIT, INC.

By: _____
Name: Arthur R. Cordwell, Jr.
Title: Vice President

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STATE OF Indiana §
§
COUNTY OF Tippecanoe §

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared William P Eckman, the CEO of **GEO Specialty Chemicals, Inc.**, to me known to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the purposes therein expressed, in the capacity therein stated, and as the act and deed of said corporation.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL OF OFFICE on this 2nd day of November, 2005.

Shelly R McConnaughey
Notary Public 440596
My Commission Expires: 9/27/06

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STATE OF Georgia §
§
COUNTY OF Cobb §

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Arthur R. Cordwell Jr. the VP of **The CIT Group/Business Credit, Inc.**, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the purposes therein expressed, in the capacity therein stated, and as the act and deed of said corporation.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL OF OFFICE on this 18th day of ~~November~~ Jan., 2006.

Carol R. Martin
Notary Public
My Commission Expires: 3-26-06

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CAROL R. MARTIN
NOTARY PUBLIC
COBB COUNTY, GA
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES MARCH 26, 2006

EXHIBIT A

Trademarks, Trademark Registrations, Tradenames and Trademark Applications

Country	First Registration No.	Latest Renewal No.
United States	338977	338977
Canada	126153	126153
China	1214039	
France	1321227	
Italy	401684	401684
Switzerland	234260	366089
United Kingdom	570505	570505