

TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT

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NATURE OF CONVEYANCE:	RELEASE BY SECURED PARTY		
CONVEYING PARTY DATA			
Name	Formerly	Execution Date	Entity Type
HSBC BANK USA, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION		11/05/2007	National Association: UNITED STATES
RECEIVING PARTY DATA			
Name:	General Chemical Industrial Products Inc.		
Street Address:	120 Eagle Rock Avenue		
City:	East Hanover		
State/Country:	NEW JERSEY		
Postal Code:	07936		
Entity Type:	CORPORATION: DELAWARE		
PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 2			
Property Type	Number	Word Mark	
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Registration Number:	2157563	CRYSTAL MELT	
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RELEASE OF TRADEMARKS

THIS RELEASE OF TRADEMARKS is dated as of November 5, 2007 by HSBC BANK USA, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION ("Secured Party").

WHEREAS, Grantee and General Chemical Industrial Products Inc., a Delaware corporation, General Chemical International, Inc., General Chemical (Soda Ash) Inc. and NHO Canada Holding Inc. (collectively, the "Debtors"), entered into those certain Security Agreements, dated as of May 27, 2004 and January 23, 2006 (the "Security Agreements");

WHEREAS, the Security Agreements each granted to Secured Party a security interest in, among other things, certain trademarks, tradenames, trademark registrations, service marks, trade styles, terms, designs and trademark applications ("Trademarks"), including, without limitation, the Trademarks listed on Schedule A attached hereto as security for certain obligations of the Debtors to Secured Party (the "Obligations");

WHEREAS, Secured Party recorded the Security Agreements on August 25, 2004 at Reel 2923, Frame 0062, on September 1, 2004 at Reel 2927, Frame 0227, on February 2, 2006 at Reel 3239, Frame 0235 and one February 3, 2006 at Reel 3240, Frame 0134 in the United States Patent and Trademark Office; and

WHEREAS, the Secured Party has elected to release the security interests granted in the Trademarks in order to facilitate the entry by the Debtors of certain agreements with Deutsche Bank Trust Company Americas.

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, Secured Party hereby agrees as follows:

Secured Party hereby fully releases and terminates its security interests in and liens on:

(a) all of the Debtors' now existing or hereafter acquired right, title and interest in and to: all Trademarks which are now filed with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, any similar office or agency of any state, territory or possession of the United States or Canada or any similar office or agency of any other country or used in the United States, any state, territory or possession thereof including, without limitation, Puerto Rico, or any other country, and (i) any renewals thereof, (ii) all income, royalties, damages and payments now and hereafter due or payable with respect thereto, including, without limitation, payments under all licenses entered into in connection therewith and damages and payments for past or future infringements thereof, (iii) the right to sue for past, present and future infringements thereof, (iv) all documents, packages, prints and labels on which said Trademarks have appeared and all designs and general intangibles of a like nature, and (v) all rights corresponding thereto throughout the world;

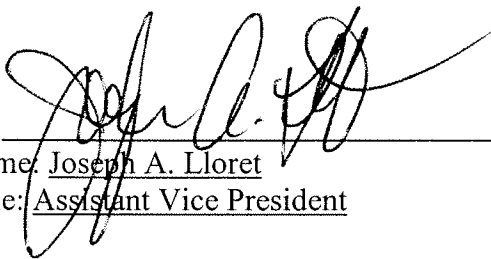
(b) the goodwill of the Debtors' business connected with or symbolized by Trademarks; and

(c) any and all of the proceeds of any of the foregoing, including, without limitation, any claims by the Debtors against third parties for infringement of the Trademarks or of any license with respect thereto.

Secured Party further agrees, at the sole cost and expense of the Debtors, to perform all acts reasonably necessary to effect the release and termination of its security interest and liens, including, but not limited to the recording, filing and entering into any agreements, documents, forms or papers needed to accomplish such release and termination.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Secured Party has caused this Release of Trademarks to be duly executed as of the day and year first above written.

HSBC BANK USA, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION

By: 
Name: Joseph A. Lloret
Title: Assistant Vice President

SCHEDULE A

<u>NAME</u>	<u>COUNTRY</u>	<u>STATUS</u>	<u>REG. NO.</u>	<u>REG. DATE</u>
CORGUARD	USA	REGISTERED	2,461,116	6/19/2001
CRYSTAL MELT	USA	REGISTERED	2,157,563	5/12/1998