

TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT

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SUBMISSION TYPE:	NEW ASSIGNMENT
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NATURE OF CONVEYANCE:	CHANGE OF NAME
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CONVEYING PARTY DATA			
Name	Formerly	Execution Date	Entity Type
Air Liquide America Corporation		10/01/2002	CORPORATION: DELAWARE

RECEIVING PARTY DATA	
Name:	Air Liquide America L.P.
Composed Of:	COMPOSED OF ALUSA GP, Inc.
Street Address:	2700 Post Oak Blvd., Ste. 1800
City:	Houston
State/Country:	TEXAS
Postal Code:	77056
Entity Type:	LIMITED PARTNERSHIP: DELAWARE

PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 1		
Property Type	Number	Word Mark
Serial Number:	78103346	ALPHATECH

CORRESPONDENCE DATA	
Fax Number:	(713)624-8950
<i>Correspondence will be sent via US Mail when the fax attempt is unsuccessful.</i>	
Phone:	713 624 8833
Email:	misty.barnett@airliquide.com
Correspondent Name:	Misty Barnett
Address Line 1:	2700 Post Oak Blvd., Ste. 1800
Address Line 4:	Houston, TEXAS 77056

ATTORNEY DOCKET NUMBER:	ALPHATECH
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NAME OF SUBMITTER:	Misty Barnett
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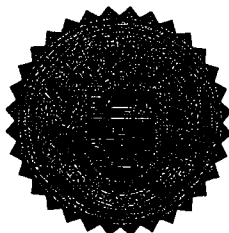
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The First State

I, HARRIET SMITH WINDSOR, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THE ATTACHED IS A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY OF THE CERTIFICATE OF CONVERSION OF "AIR LIQUIDE AMERICA CORPORATION", CHANGING ITS NAME FROM "AIR LIQUIDE AMERICA CORPORATION" TO "AIR LIQUIDE AMERICA L.P.", FILED IN THIS OFFICE ON THE TWENTY-FIFTH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, A.D. 2002, AT 2 O'CLOCK P.M.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THE AFORESAID CERTIFICATE OF CONVERSION IS THE FIRST DAY OF OCTOBER, A.D. 2002.



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Harriet Smith Windsor

Harriet Smith Windsor, Secretary of State

AUTHENTICATION: 2003085

DATE: 09-25-02

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STATE OF DELAWARE
CERTIFICATE OF CONVERSION FROM A
CORPORATION TO A LIMITED PARTNERSHIP
PURSUANT TO SECTION 266 OF THE DELAWARE
GENERAL CORPORATION LAW AND SECTION 17-217 OF THE
DELAWARE REVISED UNIFORM LIMITED PARTNERSHIP ACT

- 1) The name of the corporation immediately prior to filing this Certificate is Air Liquide America Corporation.
- 2) The date the Certificate of Incorporation was filed with the Secretary of State of Delaware is February 24, 1964.
- 3) The original name of the corporation as set forth in the Certificate of Incorporation is American Cryogenics, Inc.
- 4) The name of the limited partnership as set forth in its certificate of limited partnership is Air Liquide America L.P.
- 5) The conversion has been approved in accordance with the provisions of Section 266 of the Delaware General Corporation Law and Section 17-217 of the Delaware Revised Uniform Limited Partnership Act.
- 6) The effective date of this Certificate of Conversion shall be October 1, 2002.


AIR LIQUIDE AMERICA CORPORATION

By: 

Name: Pierre Dufour

Title: President and Chief Executive Officer

ALUSA GP, INC.
(Sole General Partner of Air Liquide
America L.P.)

By: 

Name: Pierre Dufour

Title: President and Chief Executive Officer

STATE OF DELAWARE
CERTIFICATE OF LIMITED PARTNERSHIP

- The Undersigned, for purposes of the conversion of Air Liquide America Corporation, a Delaware corporation, to a limited partnership pursuant to the Delaware Revised Uniform Limited Partnership Act, 6 Delaware Code, Chapter 17, does hereby certify as follows:
- First: The name of the limited partnership is Air Liquide America L.P.
- Second: The address of its registered office in the State of Delaware is 615 South Dupont Highway in the city of Dover.
The name of the Registered Agent at such address is Capitol Services, Inc.
- Third: The name and mailing address of each general partner is as follows:
ALUSA GP, Inc.
c/o Air Liquide America L.P.
2700 Post Oak Blvd.
Houston, TX 77056
- Fourth: The effective date of this Certificate of Limited Partnership shall be October 1, 2002.
- In Witness Whereof, the undersigned has executed this Certificate of Limited Partnership of Air Liquide America L.P. as of 18 September, 2002.

ALUSA GP, INC.
Sole General Partner

By: 

Name: Pierre Dufour

Title: President and Chief Executive Officer