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PARTIES	Hella KGaA Hueck & Co, Hűlsta Werke Hűls GmbH & Co.KG, Jűrgen Heinrich and Christof Hoffjann
ISSUE	Mention of additional inventor for patent number EP2487312
HEARING OFFICER	Susan Eaves

DECISION

1 Hella KGaA Hueck & Co and Hűlsta Werke Hűls GmbH & Co.KG, the patent proprietors, filed an application in accordance with rule 10(2) of the Patents Rules 2007 to the effect that Christof Hoffjann should be named as a joint inventor.

2 Hella KGaA Hueck & Co, Hűlsta Werke Hűls GmbH & Co.KG, Jűrgen Heinrich and Christof Hoffjann have all filed written consent in support of the application. I therefore conclude that all relevant parties agree that Christof Hoffjann should be named as a joint inventor.

3 Accordingly I find that Christof Hoffjann should be mentioned as a joint inventor in the granted patent for the invention. I therefore direct, in accordance with rule 10(1), that an addendum slip mentioning Christof Hoffjann as a joint inventor be prepared for the granted patent for the invention.

SUSAN EAVES
B3 Head of Litigation, acting for Comptroller