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To whom it may concern:

We, the undersigned, hereby authorize AKZO NOBEL K. K. to act on our behalf in all matters relating to applications for the equipment authorization, including the signing of all documents relating to these matters. Any and all acts carried out by AKZO NOBEL K. K. on our behalf shall have the same effect as acts of our own.

This authorization expires one year from the current date.

Sincerely yours,

Vertex Standard Co., Ltd.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "M. Kurihara".

Mr. Moto Kurihara

Group Leader of Engineering Division