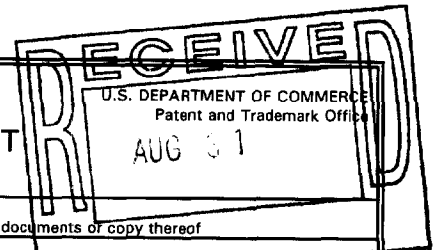


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WHEREAS, We, GARRICK CECIL MORLAND LATCH, a New Zealand citizen, 42 Batt Street, Palmerston North, New Zealand; MICHAEL JOHN CHRISTENSEN, a New Zealand citizen, 136 Stanford Street, Ashurst, New Zealand; BRIAN ANTHONY TAPPER, a New Zealand citizen, 76 Slacks Road, Palmerston North, New Zealand; HERRICK SYDNEY EASTON, a New Zealand citizen, 42 Ward Street, Palmerston North, New Zealand; DAVID EDWARD HUME, a New Zealand citizen, 44 Worcester Street, Palmerston North, New Zealand and LESTER RONALD FLETCHER, a New Zealand citizen, 47 School Road, Tai Tapu, Christchurch, New Zealand (herein called "ASSIGNOR"), are the inventors of the invention "TALL FESCUE ENDOPHYTES", for which we have executed an application for a Patent Of the United States, filed May 27, 1998, Serial No. 09/085,442 ;

WHEREAS, NEW ZEALAND PASTORAL AGRICULTURE RESEARCH INSTITUTE LIMITED, (herein called "ASSIGNEE"), a corporation organized and existing under the laws of New Zealand having a principal place of business at 12th Floor, Peat Marwick Tower, 85 Alexandra Street, Hamilton, New Zealand is desirous of obtaining the entire right, title and interest in, to and under the said invention and the said application;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of one Dollar (\$1.00) to us in hand paid, and other good and valuable consideration the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we, the said ASSIGNOR, have sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over, unto the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in, to and under the said invention, and the said United States Application and all divisions, renewals and continuations thereof, and all Patents of the United States which may be granted thereon and all reissues and thereof and all applications for industrial property all applications for may hereafter be filed any country or countries foreign to the United States, together with the right to file such applications and the right to claim for the same the priority of the United States, under the International Convention of the Protection of Industrial Property, or any other international agreement or the domestic laws of the country in which any such application is filed, as may be applicable; and all forms of industrial property protection, including, without limitation, patents, utility models, inventors' certificates and designs which may be granted for said invention in any country or countries foreign to the United States and all extensions, renewals and reissues thereof;

AND WE HEREBY authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States, and any official of any country or countries foreign to the United States whose duty it is to issue patents or other evidence or forms of industrial property protection on applications as aforesaid, to issue the same to the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this instrument;

AND WE HEREBY covenant and agree that we have full right to convey the entire interest herein assigned, and that we have not executed, and will not execute, any agreement in conflict herewith;

AND WE HEREBY further covenant and agree that we will communicate to the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, any facts known to us respecting said invention, and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuing, reissue and foreign applications, make all rightful oaths, and generally do everything possible to aid the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper protection for said invention in all countries.

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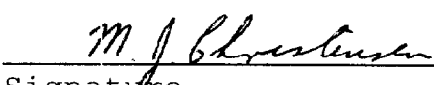
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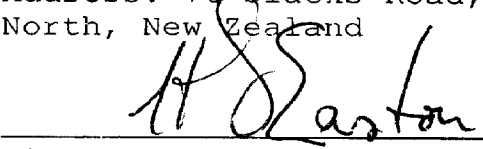
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