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## ASSIGNMENT

For valuable consideration, we, Sushil Kumar, of CIMAP, Lucknow-226015,  
Gurudas Bagchi of CIMAP, Lucknow-226015; Amrita Singh of CIMAP, Lucknow-226015  
; Mahendra Pandurang Darokar of CIMAP, Lucknow-226015 and Suman Preet Singh Khanuja of  
CIMAP, Lucknow-226015 hereby assign to COUNCIL OF SCIENTIFIC & INDUSTRIAL  
RESEARCH, Rafi Marg, New Delhi-110001, India, an Indian registered body  
incorporated under the Registration of Societies Act (Act XXI of 1920) and its  
successors' and assigns (collectively hereinafter called "the Assignee"), the entire right, title and interest  
throughout the world in the inventions and improvements which are subject of an application for United  
States Patent signed by us, entitled A Novel Screening Method for the Identification of Plants Possing Anti-  
Microbial Activity and Tolerance to Abiotic Stresses, filed March 31, 1998, and assigned U.S. Serial  
Number 09/052,823, and we authorize and request the attorneys appointed in said application to hereafter  
complete this assignment by inserting above the filing date and serial number of said application when  
known; this assignment including said application, any and all United States and foreign patents, utility  
models, and design registrations granted for any of said inventions or improvements, and the right to claim  
priority based on the filing date of said application under the International Convention for the Protection of  
Industrial Property, the Patent Cooperation Treaty, the European Patent Convention, and all other treaties  
of like purposes; and we authorize the Assignee to apply in all countries in our name or in its own name  
for patents, utility models, and design registrations and like rights of exclusion and for inventors'  
certificates for said inventions and improvements; and we agree for ourselves and our respective heirs,  
legal representatives and assigns, without further compensation to perform such lawful acts and to sign such  
further applications, assignments, Preliminary Statements and other lawful documents as the Assignee may  
reasonably request to effectuate fully this assignment.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereto set my hand and seal at Lucknow,  
this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of September, 1998  
Sushil Kumar L.S.  
Sushil Kumar

STATE OF UTTAR PRADESH:

:ss.

COUNTY OF INDIA:

Before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, personally appeared

Sushil Kumar known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing Assignment, and  
acknowledged that he/~~she~~ executed the same as his/~~her~~ free act and deed for the purposes therein contained.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereto set my hand and seal at Lucknow,  
this 2nd day of September, 1998

J Gurudas Bagchi L.S.  
Gurudas Bagchi

STATE OF Uttar Pradesh:

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COUNTY OF INDIA:

Before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_, personally appeared

Gurudas Bagchi known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing Assignment, and acknowledged that he/~~she~~ executed the same as his/~~her~~ free act and deed for the purposes therein contained.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereto set my hand and seal at Lucknow,  
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J Amrita Singh L.S.  
Amrita Singh

STATE OF Uttar Pradesh:

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COUNTY OF INDIA:

Before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_, personally appeared

Amrita Singh known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing Assignment, and acknowledged that ~~he~~/she executed the same as ~~his~~/her free act and deed for the purposes therein contained.

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Mahendra Pandurang Darokar L.S.  
Mahendra Pandurang Darokar

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Suman Preet Singh Khanuja L.S.  
Suman Preet Singh Khanuja

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