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David A. ESTELL, US citizen, of San Mateo, California

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☐ Other

Execution Date: 27 April 2000

3. Name and address of receiving party(ies):

Genencor International, Inc.
 925 Page Mill Road
 Palo Alto, California 94304
 United States of America

Additional name(s) & address(es) attached? ☐ Yes ☒ No

4. Application number(s) or patent number(s):

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A. Patent Application No.(s)

US National Phase of PCT/US98/27040

B. Patent No.(s)

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5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be sent:

Name: Jeffery D. FRAZIER
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6. Total number of applications and patents involved: 1

7. Total fee (34 CFR 3.41) \$ 40

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Jeffery D. Frazier

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Assignment

WHEREAS, **David A. ESTELL**, a US citizen, residing at 248 Woodbridge Circle, San Mateo, California 94403, USA, invented a new and useful invention entitled Proteases from Gram Positive Organisms for which an application for United States Letters Patent was filed, national phase of PCT/US98/27040.

WHEREAS, Genencor International, Inc., a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Delaware, having its principal place of business at 925 Page Mill Road, Palo Alto, California 94304, USA, is desirous of acquiring an interest in and to said invention, and in the Letters Patents to be obtained therefor;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it known by all whom it may concern:

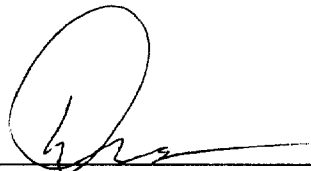
That for good and valuable consideration the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, the said inventors have and do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over unto the said Genencor International, Inc., its successors and assigns, the full and exclusive right, title and interest, including all rights under the Paris Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, in and to said invention, and in and to any and all Letters Patents to be granted and issued therefor, not only for, to and in the United States of America, its territories and possessions, but for, to and in all other countries, and it has been and is hereby authorized and requested that the appropriate government agencies issue said Letters Patents to said Genencor International, Inc. in accordance with this Assignment.

Said Inventors hereby covenant and agree to cooperate with Genencor International, Inc. to enable said Genencor International, Inc. to enjoy to the fullest extent the right, title and interest herein conveyed in the United States and foreign countries. Such cooperation by said Inventors shall include prompt production of pertinent facts and documents, giving of testimony, execution of petitions, oaths, specifications, declarations or other papers and other assistance, all to the extent deemed necessary or desirable by said Genencor International, Inc. for (a) perfecting the right, title and interest herein conveyed, (b) prosecuting any of said applications, (c) filing and prosecuting applications for reissuance of any said patents, (d) interference or other priority proceedings involving said invention, and (e) legal proceedings involving said invention and any applications therefor and any patents granted thereon, including without limitation, opposition proceedings, cancellation proceedings, priority contests, public use proceedings, infringement actions and court actions, provided, however, that the expense incurred by said Inventors in providing such cooperation shall be paid for by said Genencor International, Inc.

The terms and covenants of this Assignment shall inure to the benefit of said Genencor International, Inc., its successors, assigns and other legal representatives, and shall be binding upon said Inventors, their respective heirs, legal representatives and assigns.

Said Inventors hereby warrant and represent that they have not entered and will not enter into any assignment, contract or understanding in conflict herewith.

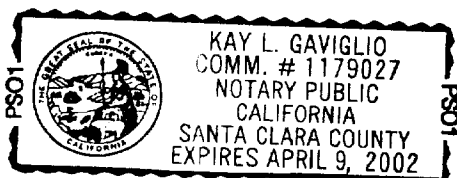
IN WITNESS WHEREOF I undersign as follows:


David A. ESTELL

STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
COUNTY OF SANTA CLARA)

On the 27 day of April 2000 before me, Notary Public, personally appeared David A. ESTELL, personally known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same in his authorized capacity for the purposes set forth therein.

Witness my hand and official seal.




Notary Public

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