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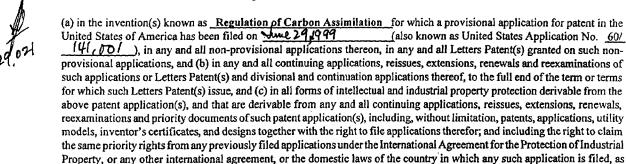
## ASSIGNMENT OF A PROVISIONAL APPLICATION FOR PATENT

In consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) or equivalent and other good and valuable consideration paid to each of the undersigned: P. John RAYAPATI and Corey M. CRAFTON, the undersigned hereby sell and assign to Archer-Daniels-Midland Company (the Assignee) his/her entire right, title and interest, including the right to sue for and collect for all past, present and future damages,

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The undersigned agree to execute all papers necessary in connection with the provisional application for patent and with any non-provisional continuing (continuation, divisional, or continuation-in-part), reissue, reexamination or corresponding application(s) thereof and also to execute separate assignments in connection with such applications as the Assignee may deem necessary or expedient.

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The undersigned hereby represent that the undersigned have full right to convey the entire interest herein assigned, and that the undersigned have not executed, and will not execute, any agreement in conflict therewith.

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