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## 2. Name and Address of Receiving Party(ies):

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**ASSIGNMENT**

WHEREAS, We ROBERT EUGENE RYAN,  
and SANDRA MORRIS, of HONISTER, NORTH END, SNETTERTON, NORFOLK NR16 2LE,  
; and HONISTER, NORTH END, SNETTERTON, NORFOLK NR16 2LE,  
respectively, have made a certain new and useful invention as set  
forth in an application for United States Letters Patent for an  
invention entitled A HERBICIDE

and executed by us on \_\_\_\_\_, Serial No.  
09/646,091, filed 15 SEPTEMBER 2000;

AND WHEREAS BARRIER BIOTECH LIMITED,  
a corporation of UNITED KINGDOM, and having a place of business  
at 36 HAVERSCROFT INDUSTRIAL ESTATE, NEW ROAD, ATTLEBOROUGH, NORFOLK NR17 1YE,  
is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in  
and to said invention and in and to any and all Letters Patent of  
the United States which may be obtained therefor;

NOW THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration in hand,  
receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we do hereby sell, assign,  
transfer and set over unto BARRIER BIOTECH LIMITED,  
their legal representatives, successors, and assigns, the entire  
right, title and interest in and to said invention as set forth in  
the above-mentioned application, and in and to any and all patents  
of the United States which may be issued for said invention;

AND we request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any Letters Patent of the United States which may be issued for said invention to said BARRIER BIOTECH LIMITED, its legal representatives, successors or assigns, as the sole owner of the entire right, title and interest in and to said patent and the invention covered thereby.

January 2, 2001  
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S. Morris

January 2, 2001  
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