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## UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Whereas, I/We Johannes Winterot, Dietmar Schmidt and Dieter Schau of Kornblumenweg 10, D-07745 Jena, Germany; Dorfstrasse, 39, D-07768 Bibra, Germany; and Dorfstrasse 51, D-07778 Nerkewitz, Germany, respectively (hereinafter "Assignor"), have invented certain new and useful improvements in DEVICE FOR EXAMINING SAMPLES which application for Letters Patent in the United States of America \_\_\_ is about to be filed; \_\_\_x\_\_\_ has been filed.

And Whereas, Carl Zeiss Jena GmbH of Carl-Zeiss-Promenade 10, D-07745 Jena, Germany, (herein "Assignee") is/are desirous of acquiring an interest therein and in the Letters Patent to be obtained therefor:

Now, Therefore, be it known by all whom it may concern, that for good and valuable consideration (the sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged) the Assignor has assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents does assign, transfer and set over unto the said Assignee for the territory of the United States of America, the full and exclusive right, title and interest in and to the said invention, as fully set forth and described in the specification.

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Assignor hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any and all such Letters Patent for said invention to said Assignee

In testimony whereof, the Assignor has hereunto set his hand this

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