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Julia L. Brown	residing at	406 North Chicago Street Sidell, IL 61876
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for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and adequacy of which is hereby acknowledged, do hereby sell and assign to **Syngenta Participations AG**, a company organized under the laws of the Swiss Confederation, having a place of business at Schwarzwaldallee 215, Basel, Switzerland 4058, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, all our right, title and interest, which includes the right to and full benefit of such priorities as may now or hereafter be granted to us by local laws or by treaty, including any international convention for the protection of industrial property, in and for the United States and its territories and possessions in and to the invention entitled:

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