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WHEREAS, Immusystems GmbH, a corporation having a place of business at Oettingenstr. 34, D-80538 Muenchen, Germany, hereinafter generally referred to as "ASSIGNEE", is desirous of acquiring said invention and said patent application.

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