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WHEREAS, I (we), Arlen Draper

residing at 604 East Park Drive Payson, AZ 85541

having invented an improvement in Southern Highbush Blueberry Plant Named 'Palmetto'

for which I (we) have made application for Letters Patent of the United States, identified as Department of Agriculture Case No. 0152.04 (; and Serial No. 10/909,650 filed on 08/02/04).

WHEREAS, the WORLDWIDE patent rights in my (our) share of said invention are assignable to the United States by virtue of my (our) having made the invention while in the employ of the United States Department of Agriculture under applicable law and regulations of the United States Department of Agriculture which render the patent rights so assignable; and

WHEREAS, the United States, as represented by the Secretary of Agriculture, is desirous of acquiring an assignment of said patent rights;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of these premises, I (we) hereby assign said WORLDWIDE patent rights to the United States of America, as represented by the Secretary of Agriculture.

Arlen Draper
Arlen Draper

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