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WHEREAS, Roche Diagnostics Operations, Inc. ("ASSIGNEE"), a Delaware corporation, having its principal office at 9115 Hague Road, Indianapolis, Indiana 46250, United States of America, desires to acquire the entire right, title and interest in the Application;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration paid to ASSIGNOR by ASSIGNEE, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNOR hereby assigns, sells and transfers all rights, title and interest in the Application, including any divisions, continuations, continuations-in-part, reexaminations, reissues, extensions, or other U.S. patent applications claiming the benefit of the filing date of the Application, to ASSIGNEE, its successors and assigns.

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