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5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed: Name: <u>Renessen LLC</u> Internal Address: <u>Legal Dept. - Patents</u> _____ Street Address: <u>520 Lake Cook Road</u> <u>Suite 220</u> City: <u>Deerfield</u> State: <u>IL</u> Zip: <u>60015</u>		6. Total number of applications and patents involved <u>8</u> 7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41)\$ <u>320.00</u> <input type="checkbox"/> Enclosed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Authorized to be charged to deposit account 8. Deposit account number: <u>50-1100</u>			
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9. Signature. <u>Thomas E. Ornholt (Reg. No. 37,052)</u> <u><i>Thomas Ornholt</i></u> <u>March 29, 2005</u> Name of Person Signing Signature Date Total number of pages including cover sheet, attachments, and documents: <u>6</u>					

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Renessen LLC
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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Monsanto Technology LLC, a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Delaware, and having an office and place of business at 800 Lindbergh Boulevard, St. Louis, MO 63167, is the owner, through assignment, of certain inventions, for which inventions applications for a U.S. patents, were filed (see Exhibit A), and

WHEREAS, Monsanto Technology LLC, as Assignor, wishes to assign the ownership of the set forth on Exhibit A to Renessen LLC, a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Delaware, and having an office and place of business at 520 Lake Cook Road, Suite 220, Deerfield, IL 60015 own the entire domestic and foreign right, title and interest in and under the inventions described in the patent applications (is referred to as "Assignee");

WHEREAS, Renessen is desirous of acquiring such domestic and foreign right, title and interest in and under such inventions.

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable considerations, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, Assignor assigns and transfers to the Assignee and the Assignee's legal representatives, successors and assigns the full and exclusive rights in and to the invention in the U.S. and every foreign country and the entire right, title, and interest in and to the patent application and other such applications (e.g., provisional applications, non-provisional applications, continuations, continuations-in-part, divisionals, reissues, reexaminations, National phase applications, including petty patent applications, and utility model applications) that may be filed in the United States and every foreign country on the invention, and the patents, extensions, or derivations thereof, both foreign and domestic, that may issue thereon, and we do hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents to issue U.S. patents to the above-mentioned Assignee agreeably with the terms of this assignment document.

UPON SAID CONSIDERATION, Assignor conveys to the Assignee the right to make application in its own behalf for protection of the invention in the U.S. and countries foreign to the U.S. and to claim under the Patent Cooperation Treaty, the International Convention and/or other international arrangement for any such application the date of the U.S. application (or any other application on the invention) to gain priority with respect to other applications.

ASSIGNOR DOES HEREBY COVENANT and agree with the Assignee that Assignor will not execute any writing or do any act whatsoever conflicting with the terms of this assignment document set forth herein, and that Assignor will at any time upon request, without further or additional consideration, but at the expense of the Assignee, execute such additional assignments and other writings and do such additional acts as the Assignee may deem necessary or desirable to perfect the Assignee's enjoyment of this assignment, and render all necessary assistance in making application for and obtaining original, continuation, continuation-in-part, divisional, reissued, reexamined, and National phase patents of the U.S. or of any and all foreign countries on the invention, and in enforcing any rights or choses in action accruing as a result of such applications or patents, and by executing statements and other affidavits, it being understood that the foregoing covenant and agreement shall bind, and inure to the benefit of, the assigns and legal representatives of all parties hereto.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunder set our hands on the dates shown below.

Date 23 March 2005 Michael J. Roth
Michael J. Roth

STATE OF Missouri)
COUNTY OF St. Louis) SS:

On this 23rd day of March, 2005, before me, a Notary Public in and for said county, appeared Michael J. Roth, who is personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing assignment document, and acknowledged that he/she signed and delivered the document as his/her free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

Norma R. Pope
Notary Public

My Commission Expires: 4/10/2005

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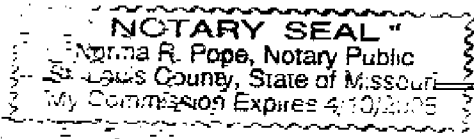


EXHIBIT A

REN-00-078A (MON-51857)

U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/377,727 filed 03-May-2002

U.S. Application No. 10/430,011 filed 05-May-2003

REN-00-095 (MON-51953)

U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/468,727 filed 07-May-2003

U.S. Application No. 10/840,688 filed 06-May-2004

REN-00-122 (MON-52113)

U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/377,236 filed 03-May-2002

U.S. Application No. 10/429,516 filed 05-May-2003

REN-01-164 (MON-15651)

U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/377,247 filed 03-May-2002

U.S. Application No. 10/429,555 filed 05-May-2003