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The said **Noble House Group Pty Ltd** (hereinafter, 'the Assignee'),

**MY ENTIRE RIGHT, TITLE AND INTEREST** in my contribution to an invention entitled:

**IMPROVED STERILE SAMPLING METHODS AND APPARATUS**

on which I worked during the course of my duties with the Assignee, in respect of which I am a joint inventor and which was described and incorporated in the specification of Australian provisional patent application 2003906364 filed on 19 November 2004 (hereinafter 'the Application'), which application acknowledges me as an inventor.

**I HEREBY AGREE TO:**

- (1) Promptly execute upon request and without charge all papers necessary in connection with the Application and any national or international patent applications based thereon, or based upon any continuation, divisional, reissue applications thereof, the papers including, for example, application forms and requests, powers of attorney, and separate assignments, endorsements or confirmations of this assignment that the Assignee or the Assignee's attorney deems necessary or expedient.
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- (5) The Commissioner of Patents of the United States or of any other country to issue to the said Assignee any and all Letters Patents resulting in whole or in part from the Application, and I hereby covenant that the Assignee has full and unencumbered right to further assign, deal in or convey the entire interest herein assigned.
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ASSIGNOR'S NAME: William Leonard Mobbs  
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SIGNATURE OF ASSIGNOR:



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