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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS we, Jack N. Losso, Evdokia Menelaou, and Joan M. King, the below-named inventors whose addresses and citizenships are as stated below next to our names, have made an invention in "Isolation of Aflatoxin-free Lutein from Aflatoxin-contaminated Plants and Plant Products," and having executed an application for Letters Patent of the United States of America based thereon on even date herewith (Atty. File No. Losso 03A29);

Now, therefore, for good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is acknowledged, each of us has agreed to assign and transfer and does hereby assign and transfer unto the Board of Supervisors of Louisiana State University and Agricultural and Mechanical College, its successors and assigns, his or her entire right, title, and interest in and to the said invention and application, or any division, continuation, or continuation-in-part of said nonprovisional application, and in and to any and all Letters Patent and reissues and extensions thereof, of the United States of America and countries foreign thereto (including the right to apply for Letters Patent in foreign countries in its own name and to claim any priority rights for such foreign applications to which such applications are entitled under international conventions, treaties, or otherwise), which have been or may be granted on any of the foregoing to be held and enjoyed as fully and exclusively as they would have been by us had this assignment and transfer not been made.

We do further agree for ourselves and for our heirs, executors, and administrators, to execute and deliver without further consideration any further applications, assignments, and documents, and to perform such acts as we lawfully may, that may be deemed necessary by the said Board of Supervisors of Louisiana State University and Agricultural and Mechanical College, its successors, assigns, and nominees, fully to secure its interest as aforesaid and to obtain or maintain Letters Patent in any and all countries;


And we do hereby authorize the Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office, and any foreign counterpart to the Director, to issue any and all Letters Patent which may be granted upon any of the said applications, to the said Board of Supervisors

of Louisiana State University and Agricultural and Mechanical College as the assignee of the entire interest therein.

Each of us further agrees for himself or herself and for his or her heirs, executors, and administrators, to execute and deliver without further consideration any further applications, oaths, declarations, assignments, and other documents, and to perform such acts as we lawfully may, that may be deemed necessary by the said Board of Supervisors of Louisiana State University and Agricultural and Mechanical College, its successors, assigns, and nominees, fully to secure its interest as aforesaid and to obtain or maintain Letters Patent in any and all countries;

And we hereby authorize the Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office, and any foreign counterpart to the Director, to issue any and all Letters Patent that may be granted upon any of the said applications, to the said Board of Supervisors of Louisiana State University and Agricultural and Mechanical College as the assignee of the entire interest therein.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto signed our names on the respective dates set forth below.



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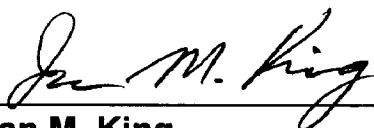
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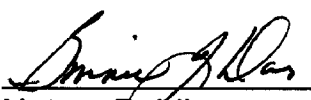
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On December 20, 2005, before me personally appeared **Jack N. Losso, Evdokia Menelaou, and Joan M. King**, personally known to me, and known by me to be the persons described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that they executed the same as their free act and deed, on the day and year aforesaid.

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My Commission expires at death.