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WHEREAS, by virtue of Assignment recorded on March 22, 2007 in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on Reel 019051 - Frame 0513, SYNGENTA LIMITED, of European Regional Centre, Priestly Road, Surrey Research Park, Guildford, Surrey GU2 7YH, United Kingdom (hereinafter referred to as "Assignor") is one of the owners of United States Patent Application No. 10/560,736 for an invention entitled:

METHOD FOR IMPROVING FERTILITY OF HYBRID PLANTS COMPRISING
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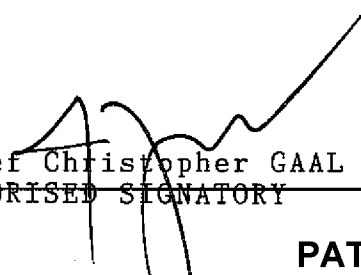
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WHEREAS, JAPAN TOBACCO INC., a Japanese body corporate of 2-1, Toranomom 2-chome, Minato-ku, Tokyo 105-8422 Japan (hereinafter referred to as "Assignee"), is desirous of acquiring from the said Assignor his right, title and interest in, and to the said United States patent application.

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of ten dollars (US\$10.00) paid by the Assignee to the Assignor, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, the Assignor hereby sells, transfers and conveys to the Assignee of all his right, title and interest in, to and under the said patent application to the Assignee.

Dated this 10th day of September , 2007.

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