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## ASSIGNMENT

Whereas, Roger L. McBroom having an address at 507 North 4<sup>th</sup> Street, St Joseph, IL 61873, United States, United States citizen, and Julia L. Brown having an address at 406 North Chicago Street, Sidell, IL 61876 citizen have made an invention **SOYBEAN CULTIVAR S06-SJ144056** and an application for Letters Patent of the United States of America based thereon designated U.S. provisional application no. 60/839828 has been filed on August 24, 2006 and U.S. utility application no. 11/880034 has been filed on July 19, 2007.

Now, therefore, for good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is acknowledged, we have agreed to assign and transfer and do hereby assign and transfer unto Syngenta Participations AG, having a registered address at Schwarzwaldallee 215, Basel, Switzerland 4058, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to the said invention and application, and in and to any further priority filing division, continuation or continuation-in-part, of said application made by me or made jointly with others, and in and to any and all Letters Patent and reissues and re-examinations 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 thereon or on any divisional further priority filing, continuation (in whole or in part), renewal, reissue or other or further application based in whole or in part upon the said invention or improvements thereon, 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 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 other acts as we lawfully may, that may be deemed necessary by the said Syngenta Participations AG, 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 and request the Commissioner of Patents to issue any and all Letters Patent, which may be granted upon any of the said applications, to the said Syngenta Participations AG, as the assignee of the entire interest therein.

We have hereunto signed our names on the day and year set forth below.

Roger L. McBroom  
Roger L. McBroom

Date 9-14-2007

STATE OF IL )  
COUNTY OF Champaign ) ss:

On this 14<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2007, before me, personally appeared Roger L. McBroom, known to me, and known by me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he executed the same as his free act and deed, on the day and year aforesaid.

Rebecca S. Mills  
Notary Public



