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ASSIGNMENT

FOR GOOD AND VALUABLE CONSIDERATION, the receipt, sufficiency and adequacy of which are hereby acknowledged, the undersigned, does hereby:

SELL, ASSIGN AND TRANSFER to bioMerieux S.A. (the "Assignee"), having a place of business at Chemin de L'Orme, 69280 Marcy L'Etoile, France, the entire right, title and interest for the United States and all foreign countries in and to any and all improvements which are disclosed in the following applications for United States Letters Patent:

Serial No. 10/060,618, filed on January 30, 2002, now Patent No. 7,087,376, entitled "DETECTION AND IDENTIFICATION OF BACTERIAL STRAINS," by Stefan Miller,

Serial No. 11/445,451, filed May 31, 2006, entitled "DETECTION AND IDENTIFICATION OF BACTERIAL STRAINS," by Stefan Miller,

Serial No. 10/470,797, filed February 17, 2004, entitled "DETECTION AND IDENTIFICATION OF GROUPS OF BACTERIA," by Stefan Miller,

Serial No. 12/064,317, filed August 29, 2008, entitled "METHOD AND MEANS FOR ENRICHMENT REMOVAL AND DETECTION OF LISTERIA," by Michael Schütz *et al.*,

such applications and all divisional, continuing, substitute, renewal, reissue and all other applications for patent which have been or shall be filed in the United States and all foreign countries on any of such improvements; all original and reissued patents which have been or shall be issued in the United States and all foreign countries on such improvements; and specifically including the right to file foreign applications under the provisions of any convention or treaty and claim priority based on such applications in the United States;

AUTHORIZE AND REQUEST the issuing authority to issue any and all United States and foreign patents granted on such improvements to the Assignee;

WARRANT AND COVENANT that no assignment, grant, mortgage, license or other agreement affecting the rights and property herein conveyed has been or will be made to others by the undersigned, and that the full right to convey the same as herein expressed is possessed by the undersigned;

COVENANT, when requested and at the expense of the Assignee, to carry out in good faith the intent and purpose of this assignment, the undersigned will execute all divisional, continuing, substitute, renewal, reissue, and all other patent applications on any and all such improvements; execute all rightful oaths, declarations, assignments, powers of attorney and other

papers; communicate to the Assignee all facts known to the undersigned relating to such improvements and the history thereof; and generally do everything possible which the Assignee shall consider desirable for vesting title to such improvements in the Assignee, and for securing, maintaining and enforcing proper patent protection for such improvements;

TO BE BINDING on the heirs, assigns, representatives and successors of the undersigned and extend to the successors, assigns and nominees of the Assignee.

Insolvenzverwalter
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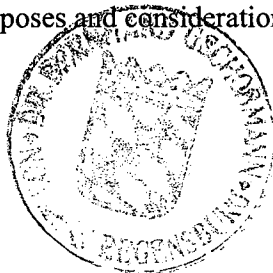
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Company: PROFOS AG

By: Hans W. Bauer

Title: Requidator

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this 22. day of December, 2009 personally appeared Hans W. Bauer, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same of his/her own free will for the purposes and consideration therein expressed.



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Ich beglaubige die Echtheit der umstehenden, vor mir anerkannten Unterschrift von

Herrn Rechtsanwalt Hans Wilhelm Bauer, geboren am 10.03.1951, geschäftssässig in 93047 Regensburg, Emmeramsplatz 6, persönlich bekannt, ferner die Übereinstimmung der beigefügten beglaubigten Abschrift der Bescheinigung zur Insolvenzverwalterbestellung mit der vorliegenden Urschrift.

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