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ASSIGNMENT

This assignment is made by Peter Alfred Blacklin, a British citizen, residing at 11391 Barrow Downs, Columbia, Maryland 21044 USA; Wayne Fowler Jr., a U.S. citizen, residing at 617 Admiral Dr. #403, Annapolis, Maryland 21401 USA; Joel Michael Hawkins, a U.S. citizen, residing at 103 Mile Creek Road, Old Lyme, Connecticut 06371 USA; and Howard William Ward II, U.S. citizen, residing at 391 Grassy Hill Road, Lyme, Connecticut 06371 USA ("ASSIGNORS") to Mettler-Toledo AG, a joint stock company organized under the laws of Switzerland, having an office at Im Langacher, CH-8606 Greifensee, Switzerland ("ASSIGNEE").

FOR AT LEAST ONE U.S. DOLLAR (\$1.00) AND FOR OTHER GOOD AND VALUABLE CONSIDERATION, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNORS do hereby sell, assign and transfer to ASSIGNEE the entire right, title and interest, together with all rights of priority, in and to the invention entitled SAMPLING DEVICE AND METHOD as described and/or claimed in an application for patent of the United States of America, Application No. 12/823,718, filed June 25, 2010. ASSIGNORS further do hereby sell, assign and transfer to ASSIGNEE the entire right, title and interest, together with all rights of priority, in and to ASSIGNORS' invention as described and/or claimed in any and all applications for patents based on the invention, including divisionals, continuations, renewals, substitutes and reissues thereof, and all rights of priority resulting from any of these patent applications, as well as all foreign counterparts and extensions thereof, together with all patents issuing on any of these applications for the full terms of all of the patents which may be granted on the invention.

ASSIGNORS HEREBY AUTHORIZE ASSIGNEE to make applications for, to prosecute such applications, and to receive patents for the invention in the United States and any foreign countries, in ASSIGNEE's name.


ASSIGNORS HEREBY PROMISE AND AGREE that ASSIGNORS will execute or procure any further necessary assurance of title to the invention and any patents which may issue on the invention. ASSIGNORS will, at any time, upon the request and without further consideration, but at the expense of ASSIGNEE, deliver any testimony in any legal proceedings and execute all papers and do all other things that may be necessary or desirable to perfect the title to the invention, or any patents which may be granted therefor, in ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns, or other legal representatives. ASSIGNORS will, at any time, upon the request and at the expense of ASSIGNEE, execute any continuations, divisionals, reissues, or any other additional applications for patents for the invention or any part or parts thereof and any patents issuing thereon are hereby assigned to ASSIGNEE. ASSIGNORS will make all rightful oaths, and do all lawful acts required for procuring and enforcing any of the patents, without further compensation, but at the expense of ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns or other legal representatives.

ASSIGNORS HEREBY AUTHORIZE AND REQUEST the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any and all Letters Patent of the United States for the invention, resulting from any of the aforesaid applications to the ASSIGNEE.

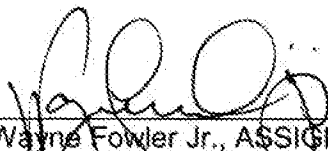

Peter Alfred Blacklin, ASSIGNOR

STATE OF MARYLAND :
COUNTY OF ANNE ARUNDEL : SS.

Before me personally appeared Peter Alfred Blacklin, to me known to be the same person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he executed the same, of his own free will and for the purposes set forth. Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence this 9 day of JULY, 2010.



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Wayne Fowler Jr., ASSIGNOR

STATE OF MARYLAND :
COUNTY OF ANNE ARUNDEL : SS.

Before me personally appeared Wayne Fowler Jr., to me known to be the same person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he executed the same, of his own free will and for the purposes set forth. Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence this 9 day of JULY, 2010.


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STATE OF _____ :
COUNTY OF _____ : SS.

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Howard William Ward II, ASSIGNOR

STATE OF _____ :
COUNTY OF _____ : SS.

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STATE OF _____ :
COUNTY OF _____ : SS.

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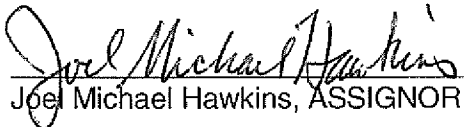
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Wayne Fowler Jr., ASSIGNOR

STATE OF _____ :
COUNTY OF _____ : SS.

Before me personally appeared Wayne Fowler Jr., to me known to be the same person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he executed the same, of his own free will and for the purposes set forth. Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence this _____ day of _____, 2010.

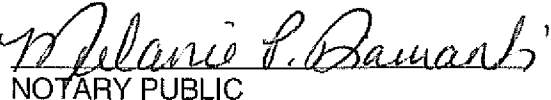
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Joel Michael Hawkins, ASSIGNOR

STATE OF Connecticut :
COUNTY OF New London : SS.

Before me personally appeared Joel Michael Hawkins, to me known to be the same person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he executed the same, of his own free will and for the purposes set forth. Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence this 28th day of July, 2010.

MELANIE P. DIAMANTI
Notary Public, State of Connecticut
Commission Expires March 31, 2013


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Howard William Ward II, ASSIGNOR

STATE OF _____ :
COUNTY OF _____ : SS.

Before me personally appeared Howard William Ward II, to me known to be the same person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he executed the same, of his own free will and for the purposes set forth. Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence this _____ day of _____, 2010.

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Peter Alfred Blacklin, ASSIGNOR

STATE OF _____ :
COUNTY OF _____ : SS.

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Wayne Fowler Jr., ASSIGNOR

STATE OF _____ :
COUNTY OF _____ : SS.

Before me personally appeared Wayne Fowler Jr., to me known to be the same person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he executed the same, of his own free will and for the purposes set forth. Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence this _____ day of _____, 2010.

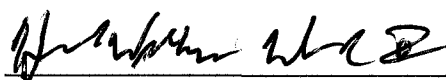
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Joel Michael Hawkins, ASSIGNOR

STATE OF _____ :
COUNTY OF _____ : SS.

Before me personally appeared Joel Michael Hawkins, to me known to be the same person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he executed the same, of his own free will and for the purposes set forth. Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence this _____ day of _____, 2010.

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Howard William Ward II, ASSIGNOR

STATE OF Connecticut :
COUNTY OF New London : SS. Groton

Before me personally appeared Howard William Ward II, to me known to be the same person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he executed the same, of his own free will and for the purposes set forth. Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence this 12th day of July, 2010.


NOTARY PUBLIC

KAREN RUGH
NOTARY PUBLIC
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES DEC. 31, 2011