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WHEREAS, the undersigned, hereinafter referred to collectively as Assignor, has invented:

## AUTOMATED HIGH-THROUGHPUT SEED SAMPLER AND METHODS OF SAMPLING, TESTING AND BULKING SEEDS

for which Assignor is about to make or has made United States or International application for patent

(a)	executed on even date preparatory to filing (each inventor should sign this Assignment on the same day as he/she signs the Declaration);
(b)	executed on,; or
(c)	filed on October 3, 2011, and assigned Serial No. 13/251,993; and

WHEREAS, Monsanto Technology LLC, a Delaware limited liability corporation, having its principal place of business at 800 N. Lindbergh Blvd., St. Louis, Missouri 63167, hereinafter referred to as Assignee, is desirous of acquiring an interest therein:

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and adequacy whereof is hereby acknowledged, Assignor hereby confirms any prior assignment to Assignee, and to the extent that Assignor has not already done so, agrees to assign, and hereby does, sell, assign and transfer unto Assignee and its successors in interest, the full and exclusive right, title and interest in the United States of America and throughout the world, including the right to claim priority under the laws of the United States, the Paris Convention, and any foreign countries, to the inventions as described in the aforesaid application, to the aforesaid application itself, and all divisions, continuations, continuations-in-part, or other applications claiming priority directly or indirectly from the aforesaid application, and any United States or foreign Letters Patent, utility model, or other similar rights which may be granted thereon, including reissues, reexaminations and extensions thereof, and all copyright rights throughout the world in the aforesaid application and the subject matter disclosed therein, these rights, title and interest to be held and enjoyed by Assignee to the full end of the term for which the Letters Patent, utility model, or other similar rights, are granted and any extensions thereof as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by Assignor had this assignment and sale not been made, and the right to sue for, and recover for past infringements of, or liabilities for, any of the rights relating to any of the applications, patents, utility models, or other similar rights, resulting therefrom, and the copyright rights;

Assignor hereby covenants and agrees to execute all instruments or documents required or requested for the making and prosecution of any applications of any type for patent, utility model, or other similar rights, and for copyright, in the United States and in all foreign countries including, but not limited to, any provisional, continuation, continuation-in-part, divisional, renewal or substitute thereof, and as to letters patent any reissue, re-examination, or extension thereof, and for litigation regarding, or for the purpose of protecting title and to the said invention, the United States application for patent, or Letters Patent therefor, and to testify in support thereof, for the benefit of Assignee without further or other compensation than that above set forth;

Assignor hereby covenants that no assignment, sale, license, agreement or encumbrance has been or will be entered into which would conflict with this Assignment; and

Assignor hereby requests the United States Patent and Trademark Office to issue the Letters Patent of the United States of America to Assignee, and requests that any official of any country or countries foreign to the United States, whose duty it is to issue or grant patents and applications as aforesaid, to issue the Letters Patent, Utility Model Registration or other similar right to Assignee.

The undersigned hereby grant(s) the law firm of Harness, Dickey & Pierce, P.L.C. the power to insert on this Assignment any further identification which may be necessary or desirable in order to comply with the rules of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office for recordation of this document.

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AUTOMATED HIGH-THROUGHPUT SEED SAMPLER AND METHODS OF SAMPLING, TESTING AND BULKING SEEDS
Kevin L. Deppermann
State of MISSOUCI ) County of )  St. Louis
On this 9th day of January, 2012, before me personally appeared  Kevin L. Deppermann to me known to be the person who executed the foregoing
instrument and acknowledged that he executed the same as his free act and deed; in
testimony whereof I have hereto set my hand and official seal on the day last above-
written.
Notary Public: CHRISTIAN W. SHOUSE Notary Public, Notary Seal State of Missouri S1. Louis County
My Commission expires August 31, 8013

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Lee Yannakakis		
State of	)	
County of	)	
	f <u>January</u> , 2012, before	
Lee Yannakakis to me kr	nown to be the person who execu	ated the foregoing instrument
and acknowledged that h	ne executed the same as his free	e act and deed; in testimony
whereof I have hereto set	my hand and official seal on the	day last above-written.
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Notary Public: hrist	Lian W. Shows e	CHRISTIAN W. SHOUSE Notary Public, Notary Seal State of Missouri St. Louis County Commission # 09862793 My Commission Expires August 31, 2013

My Commission expires <u>August 51, 2013</u>

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# AUTOMATED HIGH-THROUGHPUT SEED SAMPLER AND METHODS OF SAMPLING, TESTING AND BULKING SEEDS

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Andrew M. Singleton
State of Missouri )
State of Missouri ) County of St. Louis )
On this day of, 2012, before me personally appeared
Andrew M. Singleton to me known to be the person who executed the foregoing
instrument and acknowledged that he executed the same as his free act and deed; in
testimony whereof I have hereto set my hand and official seal on the day last above
written.
Notary Public:
My Commission expires 8/10/13



JOSHUA D. MURPHY My Commission Expires August 10, 2013 St. Charles County Commission #09853087

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# AUTOMATED HIGH-THROUGHPUT SEED SAMPLER AND METHODS OF SAMPLING, TESTING AND BULKING SEEDS

Angela R. Koestel
State of MISSOURI ) County of ST LOUIS )
On this 19 day of JANUARY, 2012, before me personally appeared Angela R. Koestel to me known to be the person who executed the foregoing instrument
and acknowledged that she executed the same as her free act and deed; in testimony
whereof I have hereto set my hand and official seal on the day last above-written.
Notary Public:  CURT A. AGNE  Notary Public. Notary Seal  State of Missouri St. Louis County
My Commission expires Commission # 09859003 My Commission Expires August 25, 2013

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AND METHODS OF SAMPLING, TESTING AND BULKING SEEDS

David VV. Fiftiey

State of Missairi )
County of SAIH Louis

On this \_\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_, 20/2, before me personally appeared David W. Finley to me known to be the person who executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged that he executed the same as his free act and deed; in testimony whereof I have hereto set my hand and official seal on the day last above-written.

Notary Public:

My Commission expires

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Brian J. Forinash

State of Missour.)
County of St. Lais

On this <u>So</u> day of <u>December</u>, 2011, before me personally appeared Brian J. Forinash to me known to be the person who executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged that he executed the same as his free act and deed; in testimony whereof! have hereto set my hand and official seal on the day last above-written.

Notary Public:

My Commission expires

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State of Missouri	)
County of It downs lity	)

On this 3/st day of January, 20/2, before me personally appeared Allen N. Ondes to me known to be the person who executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged that he executed the same as his free act and deed; in testimony

whereof I have hereto set my hand and official seal on the day last above-written.

Notary Public:	Karen M. Goet





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Sam R. Eathington

State of  $i^{\alpha}.SScuRI$  ) County of STLouis )

On this <u>3rol</u> day of <u>January</u>, 2012, before me personally appeared Sam R. Eathington to me known to be the person who executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged that he executed the same as his free act and deed; in testimony whereof I have hereto set my hand and official seal on the day last abovewritten.

Notary Public: Ann

My Commission expires 3/26/2014

Ann M. Kain - Notary Public
Notary Seal, State of
Missouri - St. Louis County
Commission #10437088
My Commission Expires 3/26/2014

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State of MISSOUR! County of ST 1.0015

On this 19 day of JANUARY, 2012, before me personally appeared Heather M. Forbes to me known to be the person who executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged that she executed the same as her free act and deed; in testimony whereof I have hereto set my hand and official seal on the day last abovewritten.

Notary Public:

Notary Public, Notary Seat State of Missouri St. Louis County Commission # 09859003 My Commission Expires August 25, 2013

My Commission expires

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Bruce J. Schricker
State of MISSOUR! ) County of ST LOUIS )
On this 28th day of TEBRUARY, 2012, before me personally appeared
Bruce J. Schnicker to me known to be the person who executed the foregoing
instrument and acknowledged that he executed the same as his free act and deed; in
testimony whereof I have hereto set my hand and official seal on the day last above-
written.
Notary Public: Ann An Yain
My Commission expires  Ann M. Kain - Notary Public Notary Seal, State of Missouri - St. Louis County Commission #10437088 My Commission Expires 3/26/2014

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Jason K. Bul

State of Missouri )

County of St. Louis )

On this <u>and</u> day of <u>model</u>, 2012, before me personally appeared Jason K. Bull to me known to be the person who executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged that he executed the same as his free act and deed; in testimony whereof I have hereto set my hand and official seal on the day last above-written.

Notary Public: may am mwwo

My Commission expires October 28, 2013

MARY ANN MURRAY
Notary Public - Notary Seal
State of Missouri, St Louis County
Commission # 09402622
Mr Commission Expires Oct 28, 2013

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