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ASSIGNMENT

For good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, paid to each of the Undersigned Inventors:

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each such Undersigned Inventor hereby sells and assigns to **Beckman Coulter, Inc.** (the Assignee), having a place of business at 250 S. Kraemer Boulevard, Brea, California 92821, his or her entire right, title and interest for the United States of America (as defined in 35 U.S.C. § 100) and throughout the World in all invention(s) described or claimed in:

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Each Undersigned Inventor agrees to reasonably cooperate with Beckman Coulter, Inc., to enable Beckman Coulter, Inc. to enjoy to the fullest extent the right, title and interest herein conveyed in the United States and foreign countries. Such cooperation by each Undersigned Inventor includes prompt production of pertinent facts and documents, giving of testimony, execution of petitions, oaths, specifications, declarations or other papers, and other assistance all to the extent deemed necessary or desirable by Beckman Coulter, Inc., (a) for perfecting the right, title and interest herein conveyed; (b) for prosecuting any of said applications; (c) for filing and prosecuting applications for reissuance of any of said patents; (d) for interference or other priority proceedings involving said invention; and (e) for legal proceedings involving said invention and any applications therefor and any patents granted thereon, including without limitation opposition proceedings, cancellation proceedings, priority contests, public use proceedings, infringement actions and court actions; provided, however, that reasonable

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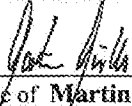
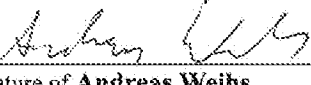

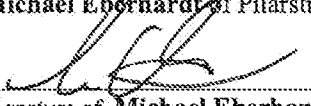
The terms and covenants of this assignment shall inure to the benefit of said Beckman Coulter, Inc., its successors, assigns and other legal representatives, and shall be binding upon each Undersigned Inventor, their respective heirs, legal representatives and assigns.

Each such Undersigned Inventor hereby represents that he or she has full right to convey the entire interest herein assigned, and that he or she has not executed, and will not execute, any agreement in conflict therewith.

Each such Undersigned Inventor hereby grants the practitioners associated with **CUSTOMER NUMBER 22471** the power to insert in this Assignment any further identification that may be necessary or desirable in order to comply with the rules of the United States Patent and Trademark Office for recordation of this document.

Each such Undersigned Inventor declares under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of America that the foregoing is true and correct.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Assignment is executed by each such Undersigned Inventor on the date opposite his or her name.

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