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WHEREAS, we, Judith R. Stabel and John P. Bannantine residing at 3121 Sycamore Road, Ames, Iowa 50014 and 5417 Tennessee Street, Ames, Iowa 50014; respectively, having invented an improvement "Recombinant Mycobacterium Avium Subsp. Paratuberculosis Proteins Induce Immunity and Protect Against Infection" for which we have made application for Letters Patent of the United States, executed concurrently herewith and identified as Department of Agriculture Case No. 0161.12;

WHEREAS, the WORLDWIDE patent rights in our share of said invention are assignable to the United States by virtue of our having made the invention while in the employ of the United States Department of Agriculture and/or under applicable law and regulations of the United States Department of Agriculture which render the patent rights so assignable; and

WHEREAS, the United States, as represented by the Secretary of Agriculture, is desirous of acquiring an assignment of said patent rights;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of these premises, we hereby assign said WORLDWIDE patent rights to the United States of America, as represented by the Secretary of Agriculture.



JUDITH R. STABEL

9-12-2013
Date



JOHN P. BANNANTINE

12 Sept. 2013
Date