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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, I, Ronald E. Hector, residing at 1905 Stoneridge, Washington, Illinois 61571, having invented an improvement "Synthetic Promoter for Xylose-Regulated Gene Expression", for which I have made application for Letters Patent of the United States identified as Department of Agriculture Case No. 0283.12, executed concurrently herewith;

WHEREAS, the WORLDWIDE patent rights in my share of said invention are assignable to the United States by virtue of my 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, I hereby assign said WORLDWIDE patent rights to the United States of America, as represented by the Secretary of Agriculture.



RONALD E. HECTOR

6-26-2015

Date