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WHEREAS, we,

Name	Mailing Address	
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Uwe OELMÜLLER	QIAGEN GmbH, Qiagen Strasse 1, Hilden, Germany 40724	

(hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNORS), having mailing addresses as listed above next to our names, are the joint inventors of an invention entitled "STABILISATION OF BIOLOGICAL SAMPLES," as described and claimed in the specification of International Application No. PCT/EP2014/000725, accorded an International Filing Date of March 18, 2014, for which an application for United States letters patent is sought;

WHEREAS, **QIAGEN GmbH** (hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE), having a place of business at Qiagen Strasse 1, Hilden, Germany 40724, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to the invention and in and to any letters patent that may be granted therefor in the United States and in any and all foreign countries;

NOW, THEREFORE, in exchange for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNORS hereby sell, assign and transfer unto said ASSIGNEE, the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, said application and any and all letters patent which may be granted for said invention in the United States of America and its territorial possessions including any extensions or adjustments in term thereof, and in any and all divisions, reissues and continuations thereof, including the right to sue and collect damages for past and present infringement of said letters patent; said invention, application and all letters patent on said invention to be held and enjoyed by ASSIGNEE and its successors and assigns for their use and benefit and of their successors and assigns as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by ASSIGNORS had this assignment, transfer and sale not been made. ASSIGNORS hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue all letters patent on said invention to ASSIGNEE. ASSIGNORS agree to execute all instruments and documents required for the making and prosecution of applications for United States letters patent on said invention, for litigation

regarding said letters patent, or for the purpose of protecting title to said invention or letters patent therefor.

22.09.2015
Date _____
Ralf WYRICH _____

I certify that I know or have satisfactory evidence that Ralf WYRICH signed this instrument of his/her own free will, as a voluntary act for the uses and purposes mentioned in the instrument.

Date 22.09.2015
(Type or Print)
Heidi Boulton
(Type or Print Name of Witness)
Signed at Hilden
H. d. Boulton
(Signature of Witness)

22.09.2015
Date _____
Thorsten VOSS _____

I certify that I know or have satisfactory evidence that Thorsten VOSS signed this instrument of his/her own free will, as a voluntary act for the uses and purposes mentioned in the instrument.

Date 22.09.2015
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Date

Kalle Günther
Kalle GÜNTHER

I certify that I know or have satisfactory evidence that Kalle GÜNTHER signed this instrument of his/her own free will, as a voluntary act for the uses and purposes mentioned in the instrument.

Date 21.09.2015
(Type or Print)

Signed at Hildesheim

Heidi Boulton
(Type or Print Name of Witness)

Heidi Boulton
(Signature of Witness)

22.09.2015
Date

Uwe Oelmüller
Uwe OELMÜLLER

I certify that I know or have satisfactory evidence that Uwe OELMÜLLER signed this instrument of his/her own free will, as a voluntary act for the uses and purposes mentioned in the instrument.

Date 22.09.2015
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Signed at Hildesheim

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