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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

COMBINED DECLARATION (37 CFR 1.63) AND ASSIGNMENT FOR UTILITY OR DESIGN APPLICATION  
USING AN APPLICATION DATA SHEET (37 CFR 1.76)

## DECLARATION

As the below named inventor, I declare that:

This declaration is directed to the invention entitled

PROTEASE VARIANTS AND POLYNUCLEOTIDES ENCODING SAME

for which a PCT application designating the United States, was filed on 29 October 2015  
and accorded application number PCT/EP2015/075153

The above-identified application was made or authorized to be made by me.

I believe that I am the original inventor or an original joint inventor of a claimed invention in the application.

I hereby acknowledge that any willful false statement made in this declaration is punishable under 18 U.S.C. 1001  
by fine or imprisonment of not more than five (5) years, or both.

## ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS:

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(hereinafter ASSIGNEE), is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in the same;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of good and valuable consideration, the undersigned ASSIGNORS do sell, assign and transfer to ASSIGNEE the full and exclusive right to the said invention in the United States and in all foreign countries and the entire right, title and interest in and to any and all patents or similar legal protection which may be granted therefor in the United States and in all foreign countries from said application or any continuation, division, renewal, extension, substitute or reissue thereof or any legal equivalent thereof in a foreign country. We hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks and any official of any foreign country whose duty it is to issue patents on applications as aforesaid, to issue said United States and foreign patents to ASSIGNEE, of the entire right, title and interest in and to same, for his sole use and behoof; and for the use and behoof of his legal representatives, to the full end of the term for which said patents may be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by us had this assignment and sale not been made.

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