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### ASSIGNMENT OF INVENTION

WHEREAS, I, **Reinhard LIHL**, Belghofergasse 29/3, 1120 Vienna, Austria; **Leander GAECHTER**, Neudorfstrasse 32, 9463 Oberriet SG, Switzerland; and **Saskia MIMIETZ-OECKLER**, Tulpenweg 2, 97520 Röthlein, Germany, the undersigned, have invented certain new and useful improvements entitled **HOLDING APPARATUS FOR SAMPLE CARRIERS, AND METHOD FOR INTRODUCING AND WITHDRAWING A SAMPLE CARRIER**, for which an application for Letters Patent is being filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office;

AND WHEREAS, **Leica Mikrosysteme GmbH**, Hernalser Hauptstrasse 219, 1170 Vienna, Austria, is desirous of acquiring all interest in said improvements, said application, and in any Letters Patent which may be granted therefor;

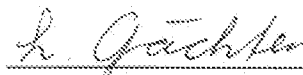
AND WHEREAS, at the time the improvements were made, I was under an obligation to assign all of my right, title, and interest in said improvements to Leica Mikrosysteme GmbH.

NOW THIS INDENTURE WITNESSETH, that for the sum of one dollar and other valuable consideration to me in hand paid, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I hereby assign, sell, and transfer unto said Leica Mikrosysteme GmbH my entire right, title, and interest in said improvements, said applications, and all divisional, continuing, substitute, renewal, reissue, and all other applications for Letters Patent which have been or shall be filed in the United States and all foreign countries on any of said improvements; and in and to all original and reissued patents which have been or shall be issued in the United States and all foreign countries on said improvements; and in and to any and all priority rights, rights under the International Convention For The Protection Of Industrial Property, rights under the Patent Cooperation Treaty, and other benefits accruing or to accrue to me with respect to the filing of applications for patents or securing of patents in the United States and countries foreign thereto.

And I hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue said United States Letters Patent to said Leica Mikrosysteme GmbH as the assignee of my whole right, title, and interest thereto.

And I further agree to sign and properly execute such necessary and lawful papers for application for foreign patents, for filing subdivisions of said application for patent, and for obtaining any reissue or reissues of any Letters Patent which may be granted for my aforesaid improvements, as the assignee thereof shall hereafter require and prepare at its own expense.

WITNESS, my signature and date of execution:

  
Leander GAECHTER

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