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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, we, **Maximilian FOCKE** and **Bernd WINKELHAKE** have invented a certain new and useful invention entitled "FLOW CELL HOLDER (SMALL)" (hereinafter "Invention") for which an application for Letters Patent of the United States has been prepared and filed on <u>March 30, 2020</u>, receiving Serial No. <u>29/729,706</u>, and further identified as Attorney File No. 7706QG-2 (hereinafter "Application").

NOW THEREFORE, be it known that we, the said inventor(s), for and in consideration of certain good and valuable consideration, the sufficiency and receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, at the request of **QIAGEN GMBH** (hereinafter "Assignee") having a place of business at Qiagen Strasse 1, D-40724 Hilden, Germany do sell, assign and transfer unto Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, the Invention for all territories in the world and any improvements and modifications thereto, the Application, all applications from which the Application claims the benefit of priority, all applications claiming the benefit of priority from the Application, including, but not limited to, all continuation, divisional, continuation-in-part and reissue applications, all patent applications in foreign countries, all applications pursuant to the Patent Cooperation Treaty and all applications for extension filed or to be filed for the invention, and all Letters Patent, Invention Registrations, Utility Models, Extensions or Reissues and other patent rights, obtained for the Invention in the United States or any other country and the right to sue for past infringement of rights resulting from the Invention, the Application or any patent issuing therefrom; we also assign any right, title or interest in and to the Invention which has not already been transferred to Assignee, we warrant that we have made no assignment of the Invention, Application or patent therefor to a party other than Assignee, and we are under no obligation to make any assignment of the Invention, Application, or patent therefor to any other party; and we further agree to cooperate with Assignee in the obtaining and sustaining of any and all such Letters Patent and in confirming Assignee's exclusive ownership of the Invention, but at the expense of Assignee.

The Commissioner of Patents is hereby authorized and requested to issue the Letters Patent solely in accordance with the terms of this Assignment, to Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, as an assignee of an equal, undivided right, title and interest therein.

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AND We further hereby authorize ASSIGNEE, or its attorneys or agents, to insert the correct Application Number and filing Date into this Assignment, if none is indicated on that date of my/our execution of this agreement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, each party hereto has executed this Assignment as of the date indicated hereunder.

Maximilian Focks
Maximilian FOCKE
Bernd WINKELHAKE

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