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SUBMISSION TYPE:	NEW ASSIGNMENT
NATURE OF CONVEYANCE:	ASSIGNS THE ENTIRE INTEREST AND THE GOODWILL

CONVEYING PARTY DATA

Name	Formerly	Execution Date	Entity Type
Icoria, Inc.		03/23/2005	CORPORATION: DELAWARE

RECEIVING PARTY DATA

Name:	Monsanto Company	
Street Address:	300 North Lindbergh Blvd. E2NA	
City:	St. Louis	
State/Country:	MISSOURI	
Postal Code:	63167	
Entity Type:	CORPORATION: DELAWARE	

PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 4

Property Type	Number	Word Mark
Registration Number:	2457874	LEADFINDER
Registration Number:	2488142	GENEFINDER
Registration Number:	2476191	TARGETFINDER
Registration Number:	2666883	GENE FUNCTION FACTORY

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ASSIGNMENT AGREEMENT

This Assignment Agreement ("Agreemer	t") is made as of this 23 day of March, 2005
(the "Effective Date"), by and between Icoria, Inc	c., a Delaware corporation (the "ASSIGNOR"),
located and doing business at	, and Monsanto Company, a
Delaware corporation (hereinafter ASSIGNEE), lo	ocated and doing business at 800 North Lindberg
Blvd., St. Louis Missouri 63167.	-

WHEREAS, on the Effective Date, ASSIGNOR and ASSIGNEE entered into a certain Asset Purchase Agreement, which conveyed the entire right, title and interest in and to the United States patents, patent applications and trademark registrations listed in Exhibit A hereto, including all inventions disclosed and/or claimed in said patents and applications, from ASSIGNOR to ASSIGNEE (the "Asset Purchase Agreement");

WHEREAS, the Asset Purchase Agreement contained certain confidential, proprietary, and/or trade secret information of ASSIGNOR and/or ASSIGNEE;

WHEREAS, ASSIGNOR and ASSIGNEE wish to enter into this Agreement for the sole purpose of confirming and memorializing the terms of the Asset Purchase Agreement, which are not confidential, proprietary and/or trade secrets of either party, and making said terms of record in the United States Patent & Trademark Office;

NOW, THEREFORE, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

BE IT KNOWN that for good and valuable consideration paid to ASSIGNOR by ASSIGNEE pursuant to the Assignment Agreement, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNOR confirms that it sold, assigned, set over and transferred unto ASSIGNEE and, to the extent required to confirm such transfer, hereby sells, assigns, sets over and transfers unto ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives or assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to the United States patents, patent applications, trademark registrations and related goodwill associate with the said trademarks listed in Exhibit A hereto, including all priority rights under applicable international, multilateral and bilateral treaties and conventions; in and to all inventions disclosed and/or claimed in the United States patents and patent applications listed in Exhibit A hereto; in and to any other United States and foreign patents and patent applications which disclose and/or claim said inventions, or which correspond to or claim priority from the patents and patent applications listed in Exhibit A hereto, including but not limited to all counterparts, equivalents, continuations, continuations-in-part, divisions, additions, substitutes, reissues, reexaminations, extensions, renewals, reinstatements and restorations of said patents and patent applications; and in and to any and all United States and foreign patents obtained on the foregoing applications and inventions at any time; all of the same to be held and enjoyed by ASSIGNEE for its own use and enjoyment, and for the use and enjoyment of its successors, legal representatives or assigns, for the full terms for which said patents have been or will be granted;

AND ASSIGNOR HEREBY sells, assigns, sets over and transfers unto ASSIGNEE and its successors, legal representatives or assigns, the right and power to sue and recover for all past, present and future infringement of said patents, patent applications, trademark registrations and

inventions in the United States and all foreign countries, including the right to retain for its own exclusive use and enjoyment all proceeds and other recovery from such infringement suits;

AND ASSIGNOR HEREBY authorizes and requests the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office and any foreign patent issuing authorities to issue any and all patents on said applications and inventions to said ASSIGNEE as sole Assignee;

AND ASSIGNOR HEREBY covenants that it has the full right to convey all rights, titles and interests herein, and that it has not executed and will not execute any assignment or other instrument in conflict herewith.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned have hereunto set their hands having fully read the above and fully understanding the contents and/or provisions thereof.

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Exhibit A

ISSUED PATENTS

U.S. Patent No.	Title	Issue Date
6,331,663	Modified Full Length Promoters	December 18, 2001
6,353,155	Method for Transforming Plants	March 5, 2002
6,360,482	Spray Booth for Reproducible Application of Agrichemicals	March 26, 2002
6,376,746	Modified Minimal Promoters	April 23, 2002
6,399,857	Modified Nucleotide Sequence Encoding a LexA DNA Binding Domain Optimized for Arabidopsis Species	June 4, 2002
6,617,494	Methods for Identifying Transgenic Plants Using Morphological Markers	September 19, 2003
6,696,621	Selectable Marker in Plants	February 24, 2004

PENDING PATENT APPLICATIONS

Docket No.	Title	Filing Date	Application Serial No.
2017DIV1	LexA DNA Binding Domain Optimized for	6/3/02	10/160,508
	Arabidopsis Species		
2015EP	Modified Minimal Promoters	12/8/00	00984068.7
2018EP	Modified Full Length Promoters	12/8/00	00984082.8
2032US	Methods, Systems and Computer Program		
	Products for Dynamic Scheduling and Matrix	3/27/01	09/818,205
	Collecting of Data about Samples		
2032EP	Methods, Systems and Computer Program		
	Products for Dynamic Scheduling and Matrix	11/28/01	01922712.3
	Collecting of Data About Samples		
2032CA	Methods, Systems and Computer Program	/== /= .	
	Products for Dynamic Scheduling and Matrix	11/28/01	2376140
2201US	Collecting of Data About Samples		
420108	Method and Information System for Non- Random Selection of Structural Features for	7/0/00	OO IFAL HIZO
	Tissue and Plant Product Processing	3/9/00	09/521,769
2201CA	Method and System for Non-Random	3/6/02	3 294 152
44010.11	Selection of Plant and Tissue Products	3/0/02	2,384,113
2201JP	Method and System for Non-Random	3/7/02	2001.522389
	Selection of Plant and Tissue Products	3/ 1/02	2001.322369
2201EP	Method and System for Non-Random	4/7/02	00959952.3
	Selection of Plant and Tissue Products	,	
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2155US	Methods for Improving Plant Agronomical		
	Traits by Altering the Expression or Activity	6/24/03	10/602,898
	of Plant G-Protein Alpha and Beta Subunits		
Docket No.	Title	Filing Date	Application Serial No.
2210US	Automated Color Classification for	8/19/04	10/921,506
	Biological Samples (Imaging Station Case)		•
2006EP	Method for Identifying Plants and Other		00952336.6

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Organisms Having Traits Differing from a	7/31/00	EP1256052
Normal Population (Broad claims allowed in		
the EPO)		

REGISTERED TRADEMARKS

RECORDED: 06/13/2006

Serial No.	Registration No.	Trademark	Filing Date	Registration Date
75/561,908	2,457,874	LEADFINDER	9/18/98	6/05/01
75/555,677	2,488,142	GENEFINDER	9/18/98	9/11/01
75/555,676	2,476,191	TARGETFINDER	9/18/98	8/07/01
75/922,463	2,666,883	GENE FUNCTION FACTORY	2/17/00	12/24/02