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Invention Disclosure Form

NOTE:

- Please attach additional pages as necessary
- If you have other documents and/or drawings and/or any other material related to the invention, please attach copies to this form.

1. **Title of Invention:**

2. **Filed of Invention:**

3. **Details of Inventors:**

Inventor(s) :
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If people outside of the NEDUET have been involved in the realization of the invention then provide details:

Inventor(s) :
Affiliation :
Telephone :
E-mail :

4. Description of Invention:

- a. Please specify details of the invention, including, for example materials or components used, operative/preferred ranges of parameters and concentrations of chemical compounds, foreseeable uses of the invention
- b. Which problem is solved by the invention?
- c. Describe in non-specialist language the key feature(s) of the invention, and how it works

5. Type of Invention:

This invention is a (n):

- process
- chemical compound
- mixture of chemical compounds
- method
- electronic circuit
- software
- apparatus
- other

6. Funding Source

- a. Specify the name and type of funding agency who supported research from which the INVENTION originate?
- b. Which contract partners were involved, if any
- c. Has any the inventors been paid by another funding source than the first type of funding? If so, please specify:

7. Novelty of the Invention

- a. Which related/relevant patents relating to the invention are known? (Please perform an initial search at: http://worldwide.espacenet.com/advancedSearch?locale=en_EP)
- b. Which (scientific) publications, etc. are known relating to the invention?
- c. Will the invention be made public soon by any means, such as conference/symposia, internet, photography, drawings, etc.)?
- d. Has there been any disclosure or use of the invention by the public? If yes, When and to whom?

- e. Have any article (s) been published? If yes give details of publications

(Please attach copies of relevant publications)

8. Solution and Alternatives

- a. In which way will the problem be solved by the invention? Give a description of the new or improved product and/or method. Clearly indicate which parts of the product and/or method are new
- b. Specify the closest prior art
- c. This invention differs from the closest prior art in that:
- d. This invention provides the following advantages:
- e. This invention possesses the following disadvantage or limitations (also describe how they can be overcome if applicable):

9. Stage

- a. Is the invention an idea/design/model/prototype or is it already in the stage of production?
- b. Indicate which (scientific) results, if any, have already been obtained with the invention
- c. Is further development foreseen or necessary?
- d. If so, what, how and where should that be conducted?

10. Potential Users

- a. What is the potential commercial use of the invention?
- b. Which companies may have interest in the invention and why?
- c. Give an approximate indication of the market size, investments needed and production costs
- d. Which products competing with the invention are currently on the market?
- e. Which contacts already exist in the field of the invention?
- f. Which other persons have already taken notice of the invention?
- g. Do you know partners/co-financers which would like to contribute to the development and/or filing of a patent application?

- h. If the invention will not be adopted by the industry, what would be the most important reason in your opinion?

11. Additional Comments by Inventor:

Signed: _____

Witnessed and understood by: _____

Date: _____

Date: _____

Please submit the completed Invention Disclosure to Office of Research Innovation and Commercialization (ORIC-NEDUET)

