

Employee Inventor Waivers

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- Waiver of rights to a grantee/contractor subject invention to the inventor;
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