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## PATENTS ACT 1977

**PARTIES** Biontech SE, Universität Stuttgart, Tron–  
Translationale Onkologie An Der Universitäts  
Medizin der Johannes Gutenberg-Universität Mainz  
GGMBH, Ugur Sahin, Friederike Gieseke, Ronald  
Backer, Sebastian Kreiter, Roland Kontermann,  
Klaus Pfizenmaier, Sina Fellermaier, Dafne Muller  
and Harald Wajant

**ISSUE** Mention of an additional inventor for patent number  
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**HEARING OFFICER** Claire Woodman

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## DECISION

- 1 Biontech SE, Universität Stuttgart, Tron–Translationale Onkologie An Der Universitäts Medizin der Johannes Gutenberg-Universität Mainz GGMBH the patent proprietor, filed an application in accordance with rule 10(2) of the Patents Rules 2007 to the effect that Harald Wajant should be mentioned as a joint inventor.
- 2 Biontech SE, Universität Stuttgart, Tron–Translationale Onkologie An Der Universitäts Medizin der Johannes Gutenberg-Universität Mainz GGMBH, Ugur Sahin, Friederike Gieseke, Ronald Backer, Sebastian Kreiter, Roland Kontermann, Klaus Pfizenmaier, Sina Fellermaier, Dafne Muller and Harald Wajant filed written consent in support of the application. As such the application is treated as unopposed. I therefore conclude that Harald Wajant should be named as a joint inventor, along with Ugur Sahin, Friederike Gieseke, Ronald Backer, Sebastian Kreiter, Roland Kontermann, Klaus Pfizenmaier, Sina Fellermaier and Dafne Muller.
- 3 Accordingly, I find that Harald Wajant should be mentioned as a joint inventor in the granted patent for the invention. I therefore direct, in accordance with rule 10(1), that an addendum slip mentioning Harald Wajant as a joint inventor be prepared for the granted patent application for the invention.

Claire Woodman  
B3 Tribunal Team Leader, acting for Comptroller