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Brian K. Estabrook

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Internal Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached?  Yes  No

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A. Patent Application No.(s)

08/962,164

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ASSIGNMENT

We, Frank R. Prosl, and Brian K. Estabrook,  
residing respectively at 474 Franklin Street,  
Duxbury, MA 02332, 24 West Street, Foxboro, MA 02035,

having invented improvements in APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR THE DIALYSIS OF BLOOD  
and having ~~this day~~ executed an application for United States patent describing  
the same and based thereon (and we hereby authorize our attorney(s), authorized  
to prosecute said application, to here insert the filing date and serial number  
of said application, when known, Serial No. 08/962,164, Filed 10/31/97),  
for good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged  
from Biolink Corporation a Massachusetts

corporation having its principal place of business in  
Middleboro, MA hereinafter called the Assignee  
(which term shall include its successors and assigns) do hereby sell, assign  
and transfer unto the Assignee our entire right, title, and interest, in and  
throughout the United States of America (including its territories and depend-  
encies) and all countries foreign thereto, in and to and under said application  
(which term shall include hereinafter where the context so admits all division-  
al, continuing, reissue and other patent applications based thereon) and the  
inventions (which term shall include each and every such invention, or any part  
thereof) therein described, and any and all patents and like rights of exclu-  
sion (including extensions thereof) of any country which may be granted on or  
for said inventions or on said application.

And for the same consideration we do also hereby sell, assign and transfer unto  
the Assignee all our rights under the International Convention for the Protec-  
tion of Industrial Property and all other treaties of like purpose in respect  
of said inventions and said application and we do hereby authorize the Assignee  
to apply in our names or its own name for patents and like rights of exclusion  
on or for said inventions in all countries, claiming (if the Assignee so de-  
sires) the priority of the filing date of said application under the provisions  
of said Convention or any such other treaty;

And for the same consideration we do hereby jointly and severally agree for  
ourselves and for our respective heirs, executors and administrators, promptly  
upon request of the Assignee, to execute and deliver without further compensa-  
tion any power of attorney, assignment, original, divisional, continuing, re-  
issue or other application or applications for patent or patents or like  
rights of exclusion of any country, or other lawful documents and any further  
assurances that may be deemed necessary or desirable by the Assignee fully to  
secure to it said right, title, and interest as aforesaid in and to said in-  
ventions, application, and said several patents and like rights of exclusion,  
or any of them, all, however, at the expense of the Assignee;

And we do hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents of the  
United States of America and the corresponding Officer of each country foreign  
thereto to issue to the Assignee any and all patents and like rights of ex-  
clusion which may be granted in any country upon said application or on or for  
said inventions;

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And we do hereby jointly and severally covenant for ourselves and for our respective legal representatives and agree with the Assignee that we have granted no right or license to make, use or sell said inventions to anyone except the Assignee, that prior to the execution of this deed our right, title and interest in and to said inventions has not been otherwise encumbered by us, and that we have not executed and will not execute any instrument in conflict herewith.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we hereunto set our hands and seals on the day and year hereinafter noted.

✓ Frank R. Prosl  
Frank R. Prosl  
✓ Brian K. Estabrook  
Brian K. Estabrook

State of Massachusetts )  
County of Plymouth ) ss.

Before me this 7<sup>th</sup> day of May,  
1998, personally appeared Frank R. Prosl, who is to me personally known, and acknowledged the foregoing instrument to be his free act and deed.

SEAL ✓

✓ Maryland  
NOTARY PUBLIC  
My Commission Expires April 17, 2003

State of Massachusetts )  
County of Plymouth ) ss.

Before me this 7<sup>th</sup> day of May,  
1998, personally appeared Brian K. Estabrook, who is to me personally known, and acknowledged the foregoing instrument to be his free act and deed.

SEAL ✓

✓ Maryland  
NOTARY PUBLIC  
My Commission Expires April 17, 2003

State of \_\_\_\_\_ )  
County of \_\_\_\_\_ ) ss.

Before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_,  
19\_\_\_\_, personally appeared \_\_\_\_\_, who is to me personally known, and acknowledged the foregoing instrument to be his free act and deed.

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