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## ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, we, Faouzi Bekkaoui and Lynn P. Cloney (hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNORS), having post office addresses of 3877 Gilpin Street, Burnaby, British Columbia V5G 2H2, and 5438 Elizabeth Street, Vancouver, British Columbia V5Y 3J8, respectively, are the joint inventors of an invention entitled "METHODS FOR RAPIDLY DETECTING METHICILLIN RESISTANT STAPHYLOCCI," as described and claimed in the specification for which an application for United States letters patent was filed on July 2, 1998 and assigned Application No. 09/109,329. This application claims benefit of Provisional Application Nos. 60/051,643, filed July 3, 1997, 60/086,020, filed May 18, 1998, and 60,090,276, filed June 22, 1998.

WHEREAS, ID Biomedical Corporation (hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE), a corporation of the country of Canada having a place of business at 8855 Northbrook Court, Burnaby, British Columbia V5J 5G1, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to the invention and in and to any letters patent that may be granted therefor in the United States and in any and all foreign countries;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNORS hereby sell, assign and transfer unto said ASSIGNEE the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, said application and any and all letters patent which may be granted for said invention in the United States of America and its territorial possessions and in any and all foreign countries, and in any and all divisions, reissues and continuations thereof, including the right to file foreign applications directly in the name of ASSIGNEE and to claim priority rights deriving from said United States application to which said foreign applications are entitled by virtue of international convention, treaty or otherwise, said invention, application and all letters patent on said invention to be held and enjoyed by ASSIGNEE and its successors and assigns as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by ASSIGNORS had this assignment, transfer and sale not been made. ASSIGNORS hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue all letters patent on said invention to ASSIGNEE. ASSIGNORS agree to execute all instruments and documents required for the making and prosecution of applications for United States and foreign letters patent on said invention, for litigation regarding letters patent, or for the purpose of protecting title to said invention or letters patent therefor.

Sept. 11, 1998

Faouzi Bekkaoui

Date

City of Burnaby  
State of British Columbia  
Province of British Columbia  
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I certify that I know or have satisfactory evidence that Faouzi Bekkaoui is the person who appeared before me, and said person acknowledged that he signed this instrument and acknowledged it to be his free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes mentioned in the instrument.

Dated Sept. 11, 1998

Signature of Notary Public

WILLIAM G. ANDERSON  
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My appointment expires 13 FOR LIFE

Sept 11, 1998

Lynn P. Cloney

Date

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I certify that I know or have satisfactory evidence that Lynn P. Cloney is the person who appeared before me, and said person acknowledged that she signed this instrument and acknowledged it to be her free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes mentioned in the instrument.

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