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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, we, Thomas J. Meyer, City of Chapel Hill, State of North Carolina, and Poonam M. Narula, City of Chapel Hill, State of North Carolina (hereinafter "Assignors"), have invented certain new and useful improvements in CONCENTRATION AND REMOVAL OF TRITIUM AND/OR DEUTERIUM FROM WATER CONTAMINATED WITH TRITIUM AND/OR DEUTERIUM for which application for a U.S. Letters Patent was made on July 27, 1999 and was given U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/361,712.

AND, WHEREAS, The University of North Carolina, a non-profit organization located at Chapel Hill, North Carolina (hereinafter "Assignee"), is desirous of acquiring an interest therein.

NOW, THEREFORE, To Whom It May Concern, be it known that for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, Assignors have sold and by these presents do hereby sell, assign, transfer and convey unto the said Assignee, its successors and assigns, their entire right, title and interest in and to the said invention and application, and in and to any and all continuations, continuations-in-part, or divisions thereof, and in and to any and all Letters Patent of the United States of America and all foreign countries or reissues thereof which may be granted therefor or thereon, for the full end of the term for which said Letters Patent may be granted, together with their right to claim the priority of said application in all foreign countries in accordance with the International Convention, the same to be held and enjoyed by said Assignee, its successors and assigns, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by Assignors if this assignment and sale had not been made.

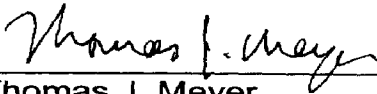
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Executed this 10 day of October 1999.


Thomas J. Meyer

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Executed this 25 day of September 1999.

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