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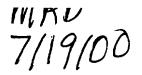
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To the Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks: Please record the attached original documents or copy thereof. 1. Name of conveying party(ies): 2. Name and address of receiving party(ies): American Biotechnology Workgroup, Inc. Name: Magnetic Diagnostics, Inc. ac 10 0 Internal Address: Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? [] Yes [X] No Street Address: 445 Sherman Canal Venice, CA 90291 3. Nature of conveyance: Additional name(s) & address(es) attached? [X] CERTIFICATE OF AMENDMENT - copy (2 pages) [] Yes [X] No [Changing name of company from "American Biotechnology Workgroup, Inc." to "Magnetic Diagnostics, Inc."] Execution Date: 1. July 19, 1999 4. Application number(s) or patent number(s): 08/997,072 Attorney Docket No. 23540-1000 If this document is being filed together with a new application, the execution date of the application is: A. Patent Application No.(s) B. Patent No.(s) Additional numbers attached? [] Yes [X] No 5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence 6. Total number of applications and patents involved: concerning document should be mailed: Name: Heller Ehrman White & McAuliffe LLP Internal Address: 7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41)......\$ 40 Street Address: 525 University Avenue N Enclosed [] Authorized to be charged to deposit account City: Palo Alto State: CA Zip: 94301-1908 8. Deposit Account Number: 08-1641 9. Statement and signature. To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document. Edward Lynch, Reg. No. 24,422 Signature Name of Person Signing Date Total number of pages including cover sheet, attachments and document: [11]

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Marvin H. Anderson et al.

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Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks

Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

An Assignment has been recorded in the Patent and Trademark Office for the above-referenced application on June 8, 1998, at Reel/Frame 9244/0491, copy enclosed.

The former name of Assignee shown on the enclosed assignment is American Biotechnology Workgroup, Inc. The new name of Assignee is Magnetic Diagnostics, Inc.

The proof of change of name is established by the attached certificate of the Secretary of State of California.

Enclosed is a check for \$40, to cover the fees under 37 C.F.R. §1.21(h), Fee Code 581. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees and to credit any overpayment of fees which may be required in connection with this communication to Deposit Account No. 08-1641, referencing Docket No. 23540-1000.

Respectfully submitted,

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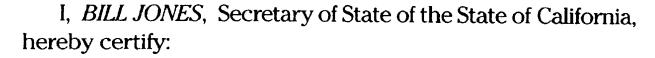
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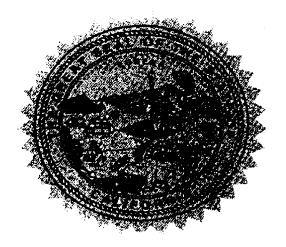
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Secretary of State

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CERTIFICATE OF AMENDMENT

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OF

THIL JONES, SECRETARY OF STATE

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

AMERICAN BIOTECHNOLOGY WORKGROUP, INC.,

a California corporation

Steven Burns and Carol Wakefield certify that:

- They are the duly elected and acting President and Secretary, respectively of the corporation named 1. above.
- The Articles of Incorporation of the corporation are amended to strike Article First in its entirety and 2. replace it with the following:

"FIRST: the name of this corporation is:

MAGNETIC DIAGNOSTICS, INC."

- The above amendment was approved by the Board of Directors of the corporation. 3.
- The above amendment was approved by the consent of the holders of a majority of the Common Stock of the corporation in accordance with California Corporations Code Section 902 which is the only class of shares of this corporation entitled to vote on this matter.
- The total number of shares of Common Stock outstanding that were entitled to vote on this 5. amendment is [6767.5].
- The number of shares voted in favor of the amendment equaled or exceeded the vote required, such 6. required vote being a majority of the shares of Common Stock outstanding.

We further declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the matters set forth in this certificate are true and correct of our own knowledge.

President

Secretary,

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ASSIGNMENT

This Assignment is made by Marvin H. Anderson, Thomas W. Schleich, Group Boban K. John, and James N. Shoolery ("ASSIGNORS"), to ABW, INC. a California Thomas Corporation ("ASSIGNEE") of Venice, California.

WHEREAS, ASSIGNORS have invented a new and useful NMR APPARATUS AND METHOD, for which an application for United States Letters Patent in the United States Patent and Trademark Office was filed on December 23, 1997, as Serial No. 08/997,072.

WHEREAS, ASSIGNORS believe themselves to be the original, first and joint inventors of the invention disclosed and claimed in said application for Letters Patent; and

WHEREAS, ASSIGNEE desires to acquire the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, said application and any Letters Patent that may be granted for said invention in the United States and throughout the world;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of Ten Dollars (\$10.00) and of other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNORS hereby sell, assign and transfer to ASSIGNEE, the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, said application and any Letters Patent that may be granted for said invention in the United States and throughout the world, including the right to file foreign applications directly in the name of ASSIGNEE and to claim for any such foreign applications any priority rights to which such applications are entitled under international conventions, treaties or otherwise.

Further, ASSIGNORS agree that, upon request and without further compensation, but at no expense to ASSIGNORS, they and their legal representatives and assigns will do all lawful acts, including the execution of papers and the giving of testimony, that may be necessary or desirable for obtaining, sustaining, reissuing or enforcing Letters Patent in the United States and throughout the world for said invention, and for perfecting, recording or maintaining the title of ASSIGNEE, its

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successors and assigns, to the interest assigned herein to said invention, said application and any Letters Patent granted for said invention in the United States and throughout the world.

ASSIGNORS represent and warrant that they have not granted and will not grant to others any rights inconsistent with the assignment herein.

ASSIGNORS authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States and of all foreign countries to issue any Letters Patent granted for said invention, whether on said application or on any subsequently filed division, continuation, continuation-in-part or reissue application, to ASSIGNEE, its successors and assigns, as the ASSIGNEE of the entire interest in said invention.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, ASSIGNORS have executed this Assignment on the dates written hereinbelow.

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