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**A S S I G N M E N T**

WHEREAS, I, Lee E. WEISS, a citizen of the United States of America, have invented and own a certain invention entitled

**ASSEMBLED SCAFFOLDS FOR THREE DIMENSIONAL  
CELL CULTURING AND TISSUE GENERATION**

for which an application for Letters Patent of the United States was filed on March 26, 1998 and assigned Serial No. 09/048,944; and

WHEREAS, Carnegie Mellon University, a non-profit organization, organized and existing under the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and having a place of business at Office of Technology Transfer, 4615 Forbes Avenue, Pittsburgh, PA 15213 (herein after referred to as ASSIGNEE), is desirous of acquiring the entire interest in, to and under said invention and in, to and under Letters Patent or similar legal protection to be obtained therefor in the United States and in any and all foreign countries.

NOW, THEREFORE, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN, be it known that in consideration of the payment by ASSIGNEE to us of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00), the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, and for other good and valuable consideration, we hereby sell, assign and transfer to ASSIGNEE the full and exclusive right, title and interest to said invention in the United States and its territorial possessions and in all foreign countries and to all Letters Patent or similar legal protection in the United States and its territorial possessions and in any and all foreign countries to be obtained for said invention by any application or any continuation, divisional, renewal, substitute or reissue thereof or any legal equivalent thereof in a foreign country for the full term or terms for which the same may be granted.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set hand and seal this 9 day  
of July, 2000.

Lee E. Weiss

STATE OF )  
 ) ss.  
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BE IT KNOWN, that on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, before me personally came Lee E. WEISS, to me known to be the person mentioned in and who executed the foregoing assignment, and he acknowledged to me that he executed the same as his free act and deed for the use and purposes therein mentioned.

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