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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Siamak Tabibzadeh and James M. Mason (hereinafter "the Assignors"), both citizens of the United States of America, and residing at 71 Parkview Drive, Albertson, New York, 11507, and 47 Cedar Avenue, Bethpage, New York, 11714, respectively, invented certain new and useful improvements in INHIBITION OF TGF- β AND USES THEREOF, for which an application for United States Letters Patent was filed on October 5, 2000, and assigned U.S. Serial No. 09/679,971; and

WHEREAS, North Shore - Long Island Jewish Research Institute (hereinafter "the Assignee"), a corporation organized under the laws of the State of New York, and having a principal place of business at 350 Community Drive, Manhasset, New York, 11030, is desirous of acquiring the Assignors' entire right, title, and interest in and to said application and the invention described therein, and each and every patent that can be issued on said application and on said invention in the United States of America, and in its territories and possessions, and in all countries foreign to the United States of America;

NOW, THEREFORE, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN, be it known that for and in consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00), in hand paid, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, the Assignors have sold, assigned, and transferred, and by these presents do hereby sell, assign, and transfer unto the Assignee, the full and exclusive right, title, and interest in and to the aforesaid application, the aforesaid invention, and each and every patent that may be issued on the aforesaid invention and application in the United States of America, and in its territories and possessions, and also in all countries foreign to the United States of America, the same to be held and enjoyed by the Assignee for its own use and benefit, and for the use and benefit of its successors, assigns, or other legal representatives, to the end of the term or terms for which a patent or patents may be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by the Assignors if this Assignment had not been made.

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Assignors hereby authorize the Assignee and its successors to apply for a patent or patents directly in its own name, upon the aforesaid invention, wherever the same is permitted by law, and also assign, sell, transfer, and set over unto the Assignee and its successors all priority rights under the aforesaid application.

Assignors further covenant to execute all additional instruments, and to do all things necessary to carry out the purpose of this instrument, at the expense of the Assignee and its successors.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Assignors have hereunto set their hands and affixed

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