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2. Name and address of receiving party(ies):

Name: Gen-Probe Incorporated
Street Address: 10210 Genetic Center Drive
City: San Diego **State:** California **ZIP:** 92121

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() Yes (X) No

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Patent Application Serial No. 09/794,255
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5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:

Name: Gen-Probe Incorporated
Street Address: 10210 Genetic Center Drive
City: San Diego **State:** CA **ZIP:** 92121
Attorney's Docket No. GP099-02.UT

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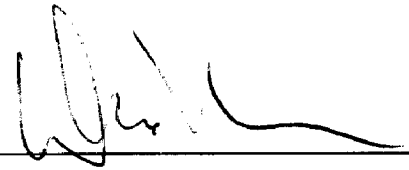
FOR GOOD AND VALUABLE CONSIDERATION, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, I, Mieczyslaw Wroblewski, of 24052 North Elm Road, Lake Forest, Illinois 60045 (hereinafter "ASSIGNOR"), do hereby sell, assign and transfer unto Gen-Probe Incorporated, a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware and having its principal office and place of business at 10210 Genetic Center Drive, San Diego, California 92121, and its successors, assigns and legal representatives (hereinafter collectively "ASSIGNEE"), the entire right, title and interest throughout the world in and to those inventions and improvements which are the subject of an application for Letters Patent of the United States entitled **FLUID DISPENSE AND FLUID SURFACE VERIFICATION SYSTEM AND METHOD** and filed on February 28, 2001 (hereinafter "the application"), and to said application and any and all continuation, divisional, continuation-in-part, reissue and substitute applications thereof, and all rights of priority under International Conventions and applications for Letters Patent filed for said inventions and improvements in any country or countries foreign to the United States, together with all Letters Patent issuing on any of the aforesaid applications for Letters Patent and all extensions and renewals thereof.

AND ASSIGNOR HEREBY AUTHORIZES ASSIGNEE to make applications in all countries in the name of the ASSIGNOR or in the name of the ASSIGNEE for Letters Patent and like rights of exclusion and for inventor's certificates for said inventions and improvements.

AND ASSIGNOR HEREBY COVENANTS AND AGREES to communicate to ASSIGNEE all facts known to ASSIGNOR concerning said inventions and improvements, and to testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all continuation, divisional, continuation-in-part and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths, and to perform any other reasonable and lawful act to assist ASSIGNEE in obtaining full protection and title in and to said inventions and improvements in all countries.

AND ASSIGNOR HEREBY AUTHORIZES AND REQUESTS the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue all Letters Patent of the United States for said inventions and improvements to ASSIGNEE in accordance with the terms of this instrument.

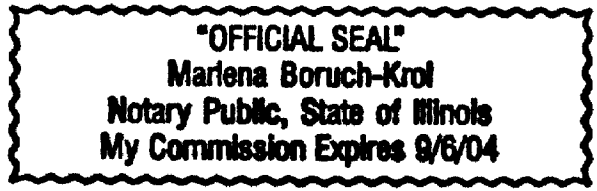
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereto set my hand and seal at _____,
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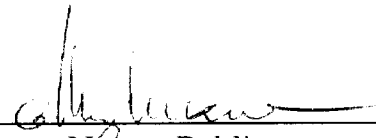
By: 
Mieczyslaw Wroblewski

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Before me this 31st day of March, 2001, personally appeared
Mieczyslaw Wroblewski, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing
Assignment and acknowledged that he executed the same as his free act and deed for the purposes
therein contained.




Notary Public
My commission expires: 9/6/04