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1. Name of conveying party(ies):
John D. Shaughnessy

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2. Name and address of
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Name: **Board of Trustees of the**
University of Arkansas
Address: **2404 N. University Ave.**
Little Rock, AR 72207-3608

Additional names of conveying party(ies) attached?
☒ NO ☐ YES

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☒ NO ☐ YES

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4. Application number(s) or patent number(s): **09/778,971**
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5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning
document should be mailed:
Name: **Dr. Benjamin Adler**
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6. Total number of applications and patents involved: 1

7. Total Fee (37 CFR 3.41):.....\$**40.00** enclosed ☒ authorized to charge
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8. Deposit Account number: 07-1185 (duplicate copy attached if paying by deposit
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9. Statement and signature.

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Benjamin Aaron Adler Ph.D., J.D.
Name of person signing

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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, **John D. Shaughnessy**, of 4317 Old Oak Dr., Little Rock, AR 72202, (hereinafter collectively called "ASSIGNOR"), is inventor and owner of certain new and useful improvements in *The Cloning and Characteriation of a Murine and Human Gene that Encodes a Novel Member of the newly Identified Interleukin-17 Receptor Family*, an application for United States Letters Patent as filed February 2, 2001 as United States Serial No. 09/778,971.

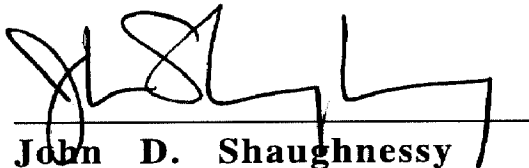
WHEREAS, **The Board of Trustees of the University of Arkansas System**, of 2404 North University Avenue, Little Rock, AR 72207-3608, (hereinafter called "ASSIGNEE"), is desirous of acquiring, and ASSIGNOR are desirous of assigning to ASSIGNEE, all right, title and interest in and to said invention and application identified above.

NOW, THEREFORE, ASSIGNOR, for and in consideration of Ten Dollars (\$10.00) to us in hand paid, and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of all of which is hereby acknowledged, do hereby sell, assign and convey upon ASSIGNEE and its successors the entire right, title and interest throughout the world in the inventions and improvements which are the subject of an application for United States Patent signed by me, this assignment including said application, any and all United States and foreign patents, utility models, and design registrations granted for any of said inventions or improvements, and the right to claim priority based on the filing date of said application under the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, the Patent Cooperation Treaty, the European Patent Convention, and all other treaties of like purposes; and I authorize the Assignee to apply in all countries in my name or in its own name for patents, utility models, design registrations and like rights of exclusion and for inventors' certificates for said inventions and improvements; and I agree for me and my respective heirs, legal representatives and assigns, without further compensation to perform such lawful acts and to sign such further applications, assignments, Preliminary Statements and other lawful documents as the Assignee may reasonably request to effectuate fully this assignment.

And I do further covenant and agree that I will, at any time upon request, communicate to the Assignee, its successors, assigns or other

legal representative, such facts relating to said invention and Letters Patent or the file history thereof as may be known to us, and testify as to the same in any interference or other litigation when requested, without further compensation but at the expense of said Assignee, its successors or other legal representatives.

DATE: 07/11/01

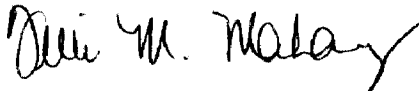

John D. Shaughnessy

STATE OF Arkansas:

COUNTY OF Saline:

Before me this 11 day of July, 20 01, personally appeared John Shaughnessy 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: 2-1-2011

