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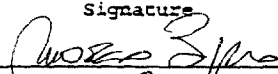
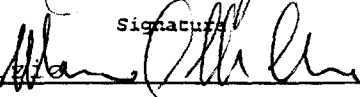
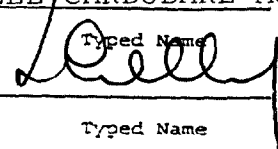
WHEREAS, the undersigned (hereinafter Assignor) has made an invention entitled Three-dimensional structures containing
(Title of Invention)
hyaluronic and derivatives obtained by the supercritical...
for which the undersigned has made an application for Letters Patent of the United States, said application having been made in an application filed in the U. S. Patent and Trademark Office on the _____ day of _____, 19____ as Serial No. _____.

WHEREAS, FIDIA ADVANCED BIOPOLYMERS s.r.l.
(Name of Assignee)

(hereinafter Assignee), a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of Italy
and having its principal place of business at Via Ponte della Fabbrica 3/B - Abano Terme, Italy
(Address)

is desirous of acquiring an interest therein;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the above-said Assignor by these presents does sell, assign and transfer unto the said Assignee, its successors, assigns, and legal representatives, the full and exclusive right, title and interest to the said invention in the United States of America and all foreign countries, as described in the aforesaid application, and the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks is hereby authorized and requested to issue said Letters Patent to said Assignee, for its interest as Assignee, its successors, assigns, and legal representatives.

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