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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, WE, SIU CHOON NG, CHI BUN CHING, LIFENG ZHANG and LEI CHEN, whose full post office addresses are 73 Hume Avenue, #10-07, SINGAPORE 598747, 2B Lutheran Road, SINGAPORE 267748, Blk 707, 06-339, Clementi West St. 2, SINGAPORE 120707 and Blk 707, 06-339, Clementi West St. 2, SINGAPORE 120707 respectively, have invented **MATERIALS COMPRISING SACCHARIDE CROSS-LINKED AND CHEMICALLY BONDED TO A SUPPORT VIA UREA LINKAGES USEFUL FOR CHROMATOGRAPHY AND ELECTROPHORESIS APPLICATIONS** for which application for a patent was filed in the United States on June 22, 2001 under Serial No. 09/888,088;

AND WHEREAS, NATIONAL UNIVERSITY OF SINGAPORE, whose full post office address is 10 Kent Ridge Crescent, Singapore 119260, is desirous of acquiring an interest therein;

NOW THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, we, SIU CHOON NG, CHI BUN CHING, LIFENG ZHANG and LEI CHEN, by these presents do sell, assign and transfer, and do hereby confirm the sale, assignment and transfer, unto NATIONAL UNIVERSITY OF SINGAPORE the full and exclusive right, title and interest for the United States of America and all other countries foreign thereto, in and to said invention, as described in said application, said application, any other applications for Letters Patent for said invention, and all Letters Patent issuing from such applications, to be held and enjoyed by said NATIONAL UNIVERSITY OF SINGAPORE for their own use and behoof, and for their legal representatives, to the full end of the term for which said Letters Patent may be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by us had this assignment and sale not been made.

WE, SIU CHOON NG, CHI BUN CHING, LIFENG ZHANG and LEI CHEN, undertake to sign such further documents to effect the aforesaid sale, transfer and assignment as may be required from time to time, without reimbursement, but at the expense of NATIONAL UNIVERSITY OF SINGAPORE.

EXECUTED this 11 day of Oct, 2001.

SIU CHOON NG

I, Zaher Judeh, hereby declare that I was personally present and did see SIU CHOON NG who is personally known to me to be the person named in the above assignment duly sign and execute the same.

Signature of Witness

EXECUTED this 10 day of Oct, 2001.

Chi Bun Ching
CHI BUN CHING

I, Yong Ineh-Tsun, hereby declare that I was personally present and did see CHI BUN CHING who is personally known to me to be the person named in the above assignment duly sign and execute the same.

Yong Ineh-Tsun
Signature of Witness

EXECUTED this 10 day of Oct, 2001.

Lifeng Zhang
LIFENG ZHANG

I, HUANG QIONG, hereby declare that I was personally present and did see LIFENG ZHANG who is personally known to me to be the person named in the above assignment duly sign and execute the same.

Huang Qiong
Signature of Witness

EXECUTED this 10 day of Oct, 2001.

Lei Chen
LEI CHEN

I, Li Ruijiang, hereby declare that I was personally present and did see LEI CHEN who is personally known to me to be the person named in the above assignment duly sign and execute the same.

Li Ruijiang
Signature of Witness