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To the Honorable Commissione

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1. Names of conveying parties:

- 1) JAMES E. FLEMING
- 2) JASON BUCK SOMES
- 3)
- 4)
- 5)
- 6)

Additional names of conveying parties attached?  Yes  No

2. Name and address of receiving party:

Name: GENPRIME

Internal Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: 157 SOUTH HOWARD

SUITE 605

City: SPOKANE State WA

Zip: 99201

Additional names & addresses attached?  Yes  No

3. Nature of conveyance:

- Assignment  Merger
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- 1) MAY 2, 2002 4) \_\_\_\_\_
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A. Patent Application No(s).

10/087,200

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Signature

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Date

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## ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, we, James E. Fleming and Jason Buck Somes (hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNORS), having mailing addresses of 5412 West Jamie Court, Spokane, Washington 99208, and 1312 West 11<sup>th</sup> Apartment No. 1, Spokane, Washington 99204, respectively, are the joint inventors of an invention entitled "METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PROKARYOTIC AND EUKARYOTIC CELL QUANTITATION," as described and claimed in the specification forming part of a continuation-in-part application for United States letters patent which was filed on March 1, 2002 and assigned Application No. 10/087,200; this application is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Application No. 09/696,710, filed October 24, 2000, which application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/163,738, filed October 25, 1999.

WHEREAS, GenPrime, Inc. (hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE), a corporation of the State of Washington having a place of business at 157 South Howard, Suite 605, Spokane, Washington 99201, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to the invention and in and to any letters patent that may be granted therefor in the United States and in any and all foreign countries;

NOW, THEREFORE, in exchange for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNORS hereby sell, assign and transfer unto said ASSIGNEE, the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, said application and any and all letters patent which may be granted for said invention in the United States of America and its territorial possessions and in any and all foreign countries, and in any and all divisions, reissues and continuations thereof, including the right to file foreign applications directly in the name of ASSIGNEE and to claim priority rights deriving from said United States application to which said foreign applications are entitled by virtue of international convention, treaty or otherwise, said invention, application and all letters patent on said invention to be held and enjoyed by ASSIGNEE and its successors and assigns for their use and benefit and of their successors and assigns as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by ASSIGNORS had this assignment, transfer and sale not been made. ASSIGNORS hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue all letters patent on said invention to ASSIGNEE. ASSIGNORS agree to execute all instruments and documents required for the making and prosecution of applications for United States and foreign letters patent on said invention,

for litigation regarding said letters patent, or for the purpose of protecting title to said invention or letters patent therefor.

May 2, 2002  
Date James E. Fleming

State of Washington)  
County of Spokane) ss.

I certify that I know or have satisfactory evidence that James E. Fleming is the person who appeared before me, and said person acknowledged that he signed this instrument and acknowledged it to be his free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes mentioned in the instrument.

Dated May 2, 2002  
Signature of Notary Public Marcy Cockle  
Printed Name Marcy Cockle  
My appointment expires 10-10-03

May 02, 02  
Date

Jason Buck SomeS  
Jason Buck SomeS

State of Washington )

County of Spokane ) ss.

I certify that I know or have satisfactory evidence that Jason Buck SomeS is the person who appeared before me, and said person acknowledged that he signed this instrument and acknowledged it to be his free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes mentioned in the instrument.

Dated May 2, 2002

Signature of Notary Public Marcy Coekle

Printed Name Marcy Coekle

My appointment expires 10-10-03

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