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A. Patent Application No. - 10/146,518

Title: Biosensor Membranes Composed Of Polymers Containing Heterocyclic Nitrogens

B. Patent No.(s)

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ASSIGNMENT

For good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we

Fei Mao and Hyun Cho

hereby sell, assign and transfer to **TheraSense, Inc.**, a Delaware corporation, having a place of business at **1360 South Loop Road, Alameda, California 94502**, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest throughout the world in our invention in:

BIOSENSOR MEMBRANES COMPOSED OF POLYMERS CONTAINING HETEROCYCLIC NITROGENS

for which we filed a United States Patent Application on **May 14, 2002**, which now has Serial No. **10/146,518**, and all patent applications and patents of every country for said invention, including divisions, reissues, continuations and extensions thereof, and all rights of priority resulting from the filing of said applications; we authorize the above-named assignee to apply for patents of foreign countries for said invention, and to claim all rights of priority without further authorization from us; we agree to execute all papers useful in connection with said United States and foreign applications, and generally to do everything possible to aid said assignee, their successors, assigns and nominees, at their request and expense, in obtaining and enforcing patents for said invention in all countries; and we request that the United States Patent and Trademark Office issue all patents granted for said invention to the above-named assignee, its successors and assigns.

Executed this 16 day of May, 2002.

[Signature]
Fei Mao

State of California)
County of Alameda) ss.

On May 16, 2002 before me, Janaya R. Bergen, Notary Public personally appeared Fei Mao personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) whose name(s) is(are) subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

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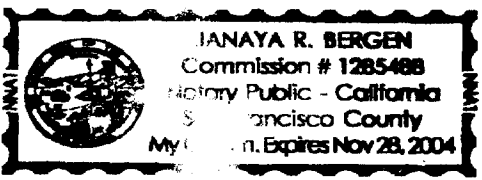
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