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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Central Institute for the Deaf, a Missouri not-for-profit corporation located at 818 South Euclid Avenue, St. Louis, Missouri 63110 is the owner of the below listed United States patent applications and certain foreign applications based thereon:

Serial No.	Filing Date	Country	<u>Title</u>
07/566,996	August 13, 1990	U.S.A.	Surgical Instrument and Method of Cell Isolation and Transplantation
07/848,407	March 6, 1992	U.S.A.	Retinal Pigment Epithelium Transplantation
08/033,105	March 16, 1993	U.S.A.	Method for Rescuing Endogenous Cone Photoreceptor Population
08/057,144	April 30, 1993	U.S.A.	Method for Preparation and Transplantation of Volute Grafts and Surgical Instrument Therefor

WHEREAS, PHOTOGENESIS, INCORPORATED, a corporation of the State of Delaware having its principal office and place of business at 999 N. Doheny Drive, Suite 106, Los Angeles, California 90069, is desirous of acquiring by formal, recordable assignment the right, title and interest owned by Central Institute for the Deaf and subject to any conflicting rights of third parties which may exist in and to said United States and foreign patent applications, the inventions disclosed therein, and any Letters patents that may be granted for said inventions in the United States and throughout the world;

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) and of other good and valuable considerations, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, Central Institute for the Deaf has sold, assigned and transferred and does hereby sell, assign and transfer unto PHOTOGENESIS, Incorporated, its successor or assigns, and subject to any conflicting rights of third parties which may exist, its right, title and interest in and to said patent applications and the inventions and improvements disclosed therein and in and to any Letters Patents, including divisional, continuations, reissues, reexaminations and extensions to be obtained for said inventions in the United States and all foreign countries; and Central Institute for the Deaf further agrees that, upon request and without further compensation, but at no expense to CENTRAL INSTITUTE FOR THE DEAF, CENTRAL INSTITUTE FOR THE DEAF or their legal representatives and assigns will do all lawful acts, including the execution of papers and the giving of testimony, that may be necessary or desirable for obtaining, sustaining, reissuing or enforcing any and all

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Letters Patents in the United States and throughout the world for said inventions and for perfecting, recording or maintaining the herein granted title of PHOTOGENESIS, INCORPORATED, its successors and assigns, to said inventions, said applications and any and all Letters Patents granted for said inventions in the United States and throughout the world.

CENTRAL INSTITUTE FOR THE DEAF authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States and of all foreign countries to issue any Letters Patent granted for said inventions, whether on said application or on any subsequently filed division, continuation, continuation-in-part or reissue application, to PHOTOGENESIS, INCORPORATED, its successors and assignees.

This assignment is governed by and subject to the provisions of a certain Assignment Agreement dated October 10, 1994, and effective October 25, 1994 between Central Institute for the Deaf and PHOTOGENESIS, INCORPORATED.

Executed this 25th day of October, 1994.

Central Institute for the Deaf

Title: Director

Accepted this 25th day of October, 1994.

PHOTOGENESIS, INCORPORATED

Title: Vice president & General Course

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CITY OF ST. LOUIS

On this 25th day of October, 1994, before me, a Notary Public, within and for the City of St. Louis, State of Missouri, personally appeared Donald Nielsen, to me known to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing document and acknowledged that he executed same as his free act and deed.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal the date and year last above written.

Whome R. Churchwell
Notary Public

My Commission Expires: April 23, 1996

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ST. LOUIS CITY MY COMMISSION EXPIRES APRIL 23, 1996

STATE OF Caldornia COUNTY OF LOS Angeles

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On this 26 th day of Other 1994 before me, a Notary Public, within and for the County of Los Angles , State of Calatrica , personally appeared Daniels. Schelle to me known to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing document and acknowledged that he executed same as his free act and deed.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal the date and year last above written.

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My Commission Expires: February 21, 1998

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