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- 1. Joseph M. PATTI
- 2. Timothy J. FOSTER
- 3. Magnus HOOK

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- Name: INHIBITEX, INC.
- Street Address: 8995 Westside Parkway
- City + Address: Alpharetta, Georgia 30004
- Name: THE PROVOST FELLOWS AND SCHOLARS OF THE COLLEGE OF THE HOLY AND UNDIVIDED TRINITY OF QUEEN ELIZABETH NEAR DUBLIN
- Street Address: Trinity College
- City + Address: Dublin 2, IRELAND
- Name: THE TEXAS A&M UNIVERSITY SYSTEM
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6,692,739

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March 2, 2004

Date

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# ASSIGNMENT OF PATENT APPLICATION

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WHEREAS,

(1) *Joseph M. PATTI*

residing respectively at

(1) *6680 Stratford Place, Cumming, Georgia 30040 USA*

(hereinafter referred to as the "ASSIGNOR") has/have invented certain new and useful improvements in *MULTICOMPONENT VACCINES and STAPHYLOCOCCAL IMMUNOTHERAPEUTICS VIA DONOR SELECTION AND DONOR STIMULATION*

for which applications for United States Patents

was executed on even date herewith

was executed on

were filed on August 31, 1999, as Serial Nos. 09/386, 959 and 09/386,960:

And WHEREAS, *INHIBITEX, INC.*,

whose Post Office Address is *8995 Westside Parkway, Alpharetta, Georgia 30004*

(hereinafter referred to as the "ASSIGNEE") is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said applications and the inventions and improvements therein disclosed, for the United States of America, and any Letters Patents which may issue therefor in the United States and all divisions, continuations, re-issues, renewals and/or extensions thereof,

NOW THEREFORE in consideration of the sum of ten U.S. dollars (\$10.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, the ASSIGNOR does hereby assign, sell, transfer and set over unto the ASSIGNEE the entire right, title and interest in and to said applications and the inventions and improvements therein disclosed, for the United States of America, and any Letters Patents which may issue therefor in the United States and all divisions, continuations, re-issues, renewals and/or extensions thereof, said ASSIGNEE to have and to hold the interests herein assigned to the full ends of the terms of said Letters Patents and any and all divisions, continuations, re-issues, renewals and/or extensions thereof, respectively, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by the ASSIGNOR had this assignment not been made.

And for the consideration aforesaid, ASSIGNOR agrees that ASSIGNOR will

communicate to said ASSIGNEE or the representatives thereof any facts known to ASSIGNOR respecting the inventions and improvements of the said United States applications, and will, upon request, but without expense to ASSIGNOR, testify in any legal proceedings, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, reissue, continuation, renewal and/or extension applications, make all rightful oaths, and generally do all other and further lawful acts, deemed necessary or expedient by said ASSIGNEE or by counsel for said ASSIGNEE, to assist or enable said ASSIGNEE to obtain and enforce full benefits from the rights and interests herein assigned.

This assignment shall be binding upon the ASSIGNOR's heirs, executors, administrators, successors and/or assigns, and shall inure to the benefit of the heirs, executors, administrators, successors, and/or assigns, as the case may be, of the ASSIGNEE.

The Commissioner of Patents is requested to issue such Letters Patents in accordance with this assignment.

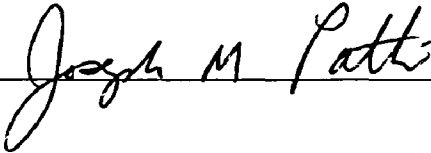
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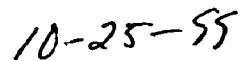
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1) Joseph M. PATTI

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(1) *Magnus HOOK*

residing respectively at

(1) *4235 Oberlin, Houston, Texas 77005*

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And WHEREAS, *THE TEXAS A&M UNIVERSITY SYSTEM*

whose Post Office Address is 310 Wisenbaker, College Station, Texas 77843-3369

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1) Magnus HOOK

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(1) *Timothy J. FOSTER*

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(1) *70 Coolamber Park, Templeogue, Dublin 16, IRELAND*

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27th Oct 1999  
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