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ASSIGNMENT

THIS ASSIGNMENT, made by us, Joseph Atabekov, a citizen of Russia, residing at Lomonosovski Prospect 15-142, Moscow 117311, RUSSIA; Yurii Dorokhov, a citizen of Russia, residing at Profsojuznaya Street 146-3-187, Moscow 117321, RUSSIA; Maxim Skulachev, a citizen of Russia, residing at Leninskie Gory, Moscow State University, M-176, Moscow 117234, RUSSIA; Peter Ivanov, a citizen of Russia, residing at Vavilova Street 37a-18, Moscow 117312, RUSSIA; and Yuri Gleba, a citizen of the Ukraine, residing at Muehlweg 37, 06114 Halle/Saale, GERMANY;

WITNESSETH: That,

WHEREAS, we are the joint inventors of certain new and useful improvements in *CREATION OF ARTIFICIAL INTERNAL RIBOSOME ENTRY SITE (IRES) ELEMENTS*, for which German Application No. DE 101 43 237.2 was filed September 4, 2001, International Application PCT/EP02/09843 was filed September 3, 2002, and U.S. Application Serial No. 10/10/489,221 was filed on March 2, 2004 in the United States Patent and Trademark Office;

WHEREAS, **Icon Genetics**, **Inc.**, a United States company having a principal place of business at 66 Witherspoon Street, Suite 134, Princeton, New Jersey 08542, hereinafter referred to as assignee, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention as described in said application, and in and to any and all Letters Patent which shall be granted therefor in the United States of America and all foreign countries;

NOW, THEREFORE, To Whom It May Concern, be it known that for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, we have sold and by these presents do hereby sell, assign, transfer, and convey unto the said assignee, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title, and interest in and to the said invention and application, and in and to any and all continuations, continuations-in-part, or divisions thereof, and in and to any and all Letters Patent of the United States of America and all foreign countries or reissues or other forms of protection thereof which may be granted therefor or thereon, for the full end of the term for which said Letters Patent may be granted along with any term extensions thereon or therefor, together with the right to claim the priority of said application in all foreign countries in accordance with the International Convention, the same to be held and enjoyed by said assignee,

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its successors and assigns, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by us if this assignment and sale had not been made.

We hereby request that said Letters Patent be issued in accordance with this assignment.

We further covenant and agree that, at the time of the execution and delivery of these presents, we possess full title to the invention and application above-mentioned, and that we have the unencumbered right and authority to make this assignment.

We further covenant and agree to promptly communicate to said assignee or its representatives any facts known to us relating to said invention, to testify in any interference or legal proceedings involving said invention, to execute any additional papers which may be requested to confirm the right of the assignce, its representatives, successors, or assigns to secure patent or similar protection for the said invention in all countries and to vest in the assignee complete title to the said invention and Letters Patent, without further compensation, but at the expense of said assignee, its successors, assigns, and other legal representatives; and we hereby instruct, and further covenant and agree to bind our heirs, legal representatives, and assigns, to do same, without further compensation, but at the expense of said assignce or its representatives.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal on this 24/hday of September, 2004.

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Witnessed by: Thank

Joseph Atabekov

Date: 27.09: 2004

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Date: 27.09. 2004

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal on this 24 day of September, 2004.

Maxim Skulachev

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal on this <u>25</u> day of <u>September</u>, 2004.

Peter Ivanov

Witnessed by:

Date: 2709.04

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal on this 27^{5t} day of <u>September</u>, 2004.

Yuri Gleba

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