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ASSIGNMENT OF PATENTS AND PATENT APPLICATIONS

I, David B. Madoff, having been duly appointed Bankruptcy Trustee for the debtor Biolink Corporation in Case No. 03-17076 in the United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Massachusetts, Eastern Division, and having acquired title thereto pursuant to United States Bankruptcy Code § 541, hereby assign and convey unto

ND Partners, LLC,

a corporation organized under the laws of the state of Massachusetts as Assignee, and its successors, assigns and legal representatives, the entire right, title and interest, for all countries in and to certain inventions relating to

ANTIMICROBIAL LOCKS COMPRISING TAURINAMIDE DERIVATIVES AND CARBOXYLIC ACIDS AND/OR SALTS THEREOF, described in an application for Letters Patent of the United States, identified as Attorney Docket No. 90018.0.3, filed on 5/10/1999 as Application Serial No. 09/307.916 and issued on 12/26/2000 as U.S. Patent No. 6,166,007;

The foregoing patent is under the care of Burns & Levinson LLP, 1030 Fifteenth Street, N.W., Suite 300, Washington, DC 20005. This document conveys title and ownership to the inventions and improvements set forth therein, and any and all continuations, continuations-in-part, divisionals, and renewals of and substitutes for said application for said Letters Patent, and all the rights and privileges under any and all Letters Patent that may be issued therefor in any country, and any reissues, or reexaminations, or extensions of said Letters Patent.

I agree that, when requested, I will, without charge to said Assignee but at its expense, sign all papers, take all rightful oaths, and do all acts which may be necessary, desirable or convenient for securing and maintaining patents for said inventions in any and all countries and for vesting title thereto in said Assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives or nominees.

I authorize and empower the said Assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives or nominees, to invoke and claim for any application for patent or other form of protection for said inventions filed by it or them, the benefit of the right of priority provided by the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, as amended, or by any convention which may henceforth be substituted for it, and to invoke and claim such right of priority without further written or oral authorization from us.

I hereby consent that a copy of this assignment shall be deemed a full legal and formal equivalent of any assignment, consent to file or like document which may be required in any country for any purpose and more particularly in proof of the right of the said henceforth be substituted for it.

I covenant with said Assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, that the rights and property herein conveyed are free and clear of any encumbrance, and that I have full right to convey the same as herein expressed.

IN WITHESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto signed my names on the day and year set forth below. Assignor's Signature DATE
STATE OF Massachusetts) COUNTY OF Norfolk) SS
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On this <u>J. th</u> day of <u>October</u> , <u>Jooy</u> , before me personally came the above named <u>David B. Madof</u> who is personally known by me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the same individual who executed the foregoing assignment, and who acknowledged to me that he executed the same of his own free will for the use and purpose therein set forth.

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