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WHEREAS, the undersigned, the Virginia Commonwealth University (hereinafter referred to as "Assignor"), a corporate instrumentality of the Commonwealth of Virginia having an office and principal place of business in Richmond, Virginia, is the owner of the entire right, title and interest in and to United States Letters Patent No. 5,290,803, issued March 01, 1994, and having U.S. Serial No. 08/006,246 in the name of Donald J. Abraham et al. for USING ALLOSTERIC HEMOGLOBIN MODIFIERS TO DECREASE OXYGEN AFFINITY IN BLOOD, and of the invention therein described; and

WHEREAS, the Virginia Commonwealth University Intellectual Property Foundation (hereinafter referred to as "Assignee"), a Virginia non-stock, not-for-profit corporation, having an office and principal place of business at BioTech One, Suite 113, 800 E. Leigh St., P.O. Box 980568, Richmond, Virginia 23298-0568, desires to acquire all right, title and interest in, to and under said application and said invention and in, to and under Letters Patent or similar legal protection to be obtained therefore in the United States and in any and all foreign countries.

NOW, THEREFORE, Assignor, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, does hereby sell, assign, convey and transfer unto Assignee, its lawful successors and assigns, all right, title and interest in and to the above identified invention and patent, together with all corresponding foreign applications and patents which may be filed thereon, including the right to claim priority from the above identified United States application; and Assignor hereby agrees that Assignor will sign all lawful papers, including, without limitation, all divisional, continuation, renewal, extension and reissue applications, and make all rightful oaths in execution thereof, and will generally do everything possible to aid Assignee, its successors, assigns and nominees to obtain and enforce proper protection for the invention in all countries, this obligation to be binding upon Assignor (each and severally, if more than one) and upon Assignor's personal representative or other legal successor.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, the undersigned Assignor has signed below.

VIRGINIA COMMONWEALTH UNIVERSITY

Date:

March 9, 2005

Richard C. Franson

Richard C. Franson

Director, Office of Technology Transfer

STATE OF Virginia

COUNTY OF Richmond ss.

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 9th day of March, 2005, by Richard C. Franson.

Witness my hand and official seal.

My commission expires: 1-31-09

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Notary Public

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