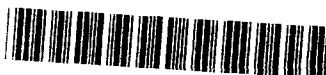


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Whereas we, Chunhui Xu, Yan Li, Ramkumar Mandalam

executed employment agreements with Geron Corporation (hereinafter called Geron), a Delaware Corporation having its principal place of business at 230 Constitution Drive, Menlo Park, CA 94025, whereby we have agreed to assign to Geron all inventions (except as otherwise limited by law) which relate to Geron business and which were first conceived or actually reduced to practice during our employment by Geron;

Now, therefor, pursuant to the terms of said employment agreements and for good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we do hereby sell, assign and transfer unto Geron, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest, including the right of priority in, to and under an application for Letters Patent of the United States entitled:


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filed herewith and the inventions set forth and described therein, and any and all Letters Patent of the United States and of countries foreign thereto which may be granted thereon or therefor; or

And for the above consideration, we agree promptly upon request of Geron, its successors or assigns, to execute and deliver without further compensation any power of attorney, assignment, application, whether original, continuation, divisional or reissue, or other papers which may be necessary or desirable fully to secure to Geron, its successors and assigns, the inventions described in said application and all patent rights therein, in the United States and in any country foreign thereto, and to cooperate and assist in the prosecution of interference proceedings involving said inventions and in the adjudication or reexamination of said Letters Patent provided the expenses which may be incurred by me in lending such cooperation and assistance are paid by Geron.


In witness whereof, we hereunto set our hands and seal:

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Signature:


Chunhui Xu

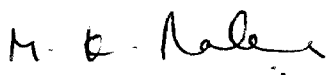
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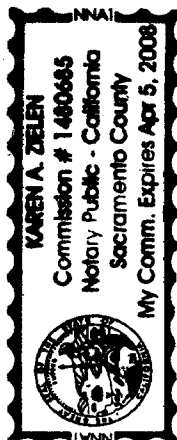
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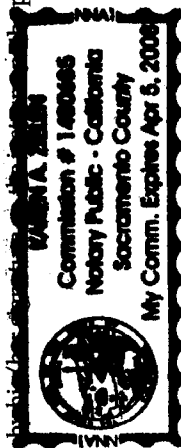
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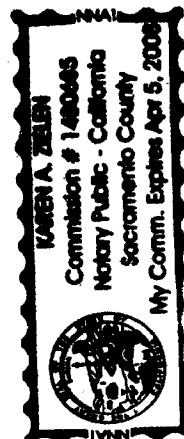
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