| Atty Docket No.: 271858US-2-SD FORM PTO-1595 26-04 | RECORDATION FORM COVER SHEET PATENTS ONLY | U.S. DEPARTMENT OF CO Parent and Trades | |
|--|---|--|--|
| To the Director of the United States Patent and T | Frademark Office. Please record the at | tached original documents or copy the | |
| Name of conveying party(ies): Nichirei Corporation Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attac | Name: Nichi Address: Nichi 6-19-2 | dress of receiving party(ies): rei Biosciences Inc. rei Higashi-Ginza Building 20, Tsukiji, Chno-ku o 104-8402 | |
| 3. Nature of Conveyance: Assignment Security Agreement Other | Japan Name | | |
| Execution Date: May 23, 2005 | Additional name | (s) and address(es) attached? 🗆 Yes | |
| Application number(s) or patent number(s): This document is being filed together with a | new application | | |
| A. Patent Application No.(s) | ., | B. Patent No.(s) | |
| 10/608,025 | 6,613,564 | | |
| | ·- <u> </u> | No | |
| Name and address of party to whom correspon concerning document should be mailed: | 6. Total applicat | ions and patents involved: 2 | |
| Customer Number | | CFR 3.41): \$80.00 | |
| 22850 | | Enclosed Authorized to be charged to deposit account | |
| Геl. (703) 413-3000 ≅ax. (703) 413-2220 | 8. Deposit accou | int number: 15-0030 py of this page if paying by deposit account) | |
| | DO NOT USE THIS SPACE | | |
| . Statement and signature | | | |
| To the best of my knowledge and belief, the fore copy of the original document. <u>Marvin J. Spivak</u> Name of Person Signing Registration Number: 24,913 Total number | egoing information is true and correct <u>Signature</u> C. Irvin McClelland Registration Number 21,1 r of pages including this cover sheet: 3 | <u> </u> | |
| | ····· * ··· ·························· | | |
| | Do not detach this portion | | |
| Aail documents to be recorded with required cove | - | | |
| Director of the | er sheet miormation to: 2 United States Patent and Trademai top Assignment Recordation Service Alexandria, Virginia. 22313 | 111 | |
| 700186614 | · . | PATENT REEL: 016309 FRAME: 08 | |

OP \$80.00 10608025

<u>ASSIGNMENT</u>

WHEREAS, Nichirei Corporation of Nichirei Higashi-Ginza Building, 6-19-20, Tsukiji, Chuo-ku, Tokyo 104-8402, Japan, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the Country of Japan, is the sole and exclusive owner, by assignment, of the following Letters Patent and application for letters patent of the United States of America: U.S. Patent No. 6,613,564, issued on September 2, 2003, and U.S. Application No. 10/608,025, filed on June 30, 2003; and

WHEREAS, Nichirei Biosciences Inc. of Nichirei Higashi-Ginza Building, 6-19-20, Tsukiji, Chuo-ku, Tokyo 104-8402, Japan, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the Country of Japan (hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNEE"), is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said Letters Patent and application for letters patent and the inventions described therein;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of FIVE DOLLARS (\$5.00) and other valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledge, Nichirei Corporation by these presents do sell, assign, and transfer unto said ASSIGNEE the entire right, title and interest for the territory of the United States of America, in and to the aforesaid Letters Patent and in and to the aforesaid application for letters patent and the inventions described therein and in and to any and all Letters Patent which may be granted therefor and in and to any and all reissues of said Letters Patent to the full end of the term for which said Letters Patent have been granted or may be granted the same to be held and enjoyed by the ASSIGNEE for the use and behoof of said ASSIGNEE, and for the use and behoof of their successors, assigns or other legal representatives to the full end of the term for which said Letters

5

2

Patent have been or may be granted, and for claims for damage by reason of infringement past and present, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by us had this Assignment and sale not been made.

Nichirei Corporation further authorizes and requests the Patent Office Officials in the United States and its territorial possessions to issue any and all Letters Patent resulting from the aforesaid application for letters patent or any divisions or continuations thereof, when granted, to ASSIGNEES as the assignees of the entire right, title and interest in and to the same.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, Nichirei Corporation, has caused these presents to be signed by its officer thereunto duly authorized.

NICHIREI CORPORATION

Date: May 23, 2005 By: Mitsudo Ureno

Name: Mitsudo URAN Title: President

RECORDED: 06/10/2005