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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, We, **Robert Margolskee**, a United States citizen, residing at 306 Upper Mountain Avenue, Upper Montclair, New Jersey 07043, **Minqing Rong**, a citizen of China, residing at 1288 Hillsdale Boulevard, Apt. B111, Foster City, California 94404, and **Sami Damak**, a citizen of New Zealand, residing at Grand Chemin 100, Epalinges, 1066, Switzerland, have invented certain new and useful improvements in **T1R3 TRANSGENIC ANIMALS, CELLS AND RELATED METHODS** for which an application for Letters Patent in the United States, was filed as U.S. Serial No. 10/892,632 on **July 15, 2004**;

AND WHEREAS, **The Mount Sinai School of Medicine of New York University**, with its principal place of business at **One Gustave L. Levy Place, New York, New York 10029-6547**, desires to acquire the entire right, title and interest in and to the said improvements and the said Application:

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, including salary or payment for the making of inventions, or employee benefits, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we, the said inventors, do hereby acknowledge that we have sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over, unto the said **The Mount Sinai School of Medicine of New York University**, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, the entire right, title and interest throughout the world in, to and under the said improvements, and the said application and all divisions, renewals and continuations thereof, and all Letters Patent of the United States which may be granted thereon and all reissues and extensions thereof, and all rights of priority under International Conventions and applications for Letters Patent which may hereafter be filed for said improvements in any country or countries foreign to the United States, and all Letters Patent which may be granted for said improvements in any country or countries foreign to the United States and all extensions, renewals and reissues thereof; and we hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents of the United States, and any Official of any country or countries foreign to the United States, whose duty it is to issue patents on applications as aforesaid, to issue all Letters Patent for said improvements to the said **The Mount Sinai School of Medicine of New York University**, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this instrument.

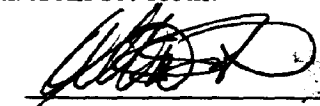
AND WE HEREBY covenant and agree that we will communicate to the said **The Mount Sinai School of Medicine of New York University**, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, any facts known to us respecting said improvements and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuing and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths and generally do everything possible to aid the said **The Mount Sinai School of Medicine of New York University**, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for said improvements in all countries.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and seal this 17 day of February, 2005.


Robert Margolskee

STATE OF New York
COUNTY OF NY SS:

This 17 day of February, 2005, before me personally came the above-named **Robert Margolskee**, to me personally known as the individual who executed the same of his/her own free will for the purposes therein set forth.


Notary Public
Commission expires on 10/28/06 *Art filed in NY County*

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and seal this _____ day
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Minqing Rong

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and seal this _____ day
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Sami Damak

Witnessed:

Name _____
Address _____
Date: _____

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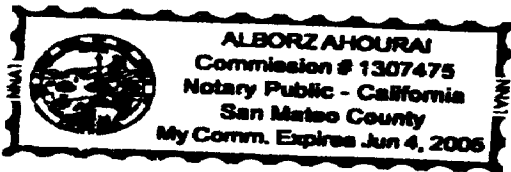
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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and seal this 15 day of Jan, 2005.

Minqing Rong
Minqing Rong

STATE OF California
COUNTY OF San Mateo SS:

This 15th day of January, 2005, before me personally came the above-named Minqing Rong, to me personally known as the individual who executed the same of his/her own free will for the purposes therein set forth.



Alborz Ahourai
Notary Public
Commission expires on Jun 4, 2005.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and seal this _____ day of _____, 2005.

Sami Damak

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Robert Margolskee

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and seal this _____ day of _____, 2005.

Minqing Rong

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COUNTY OF _____ SS:

This _____ day of _____, 2005, before me personally came the above-named **Minqing Rong**, to me personally known as the individual who executed the same of his/her own free will for the purposes therein set forth.

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and seal this 13 day of January, 2005.

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Sami Damak

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