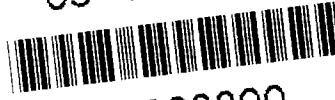


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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, We, Si-Yi Chen, Kevin C. Evel-Kabler and Xue F. Huang, citizens of the United States, and **Lei Shen**, citizen of P.R. China, with respective post office addresses of 3923 Abbeywood Drive, Pearland, TX 77584; 5722 Shady Hollow Court, Rosharon TX 77583; 3923 Abbeywood Drive, Pearland, TX 77584 and 7900 Cambridge Street, Apt. 10-2E, hereinafter generally referred to as "ASSIGNORS," have invented a certain new and useful

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for which I have executed a United States patent application, Application No.: 11/165,091, filed June 23, 2005, and

ASSIGNORS authorize **ASSIGNEE** or **ASSIGNEE's** representative to insert the Application Number and/or Filing Date of this application if they are unknown at the time of execution of this Assignment.

WHEREAS, Baylor College of Medicine, with a principal place of business at One Baylor Plaza, BCM 210-600D, Houston, Texas 77030, hereinafter generally referred to as "ASSIGNEE", is desirous of acquiring said invention and said patent application.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar and other good and valuable executed consideration, the full receipt and sufficiency of all of which are hereby acknowledged and intending to be legally bound hereby, we, the undersigned **ASSIGNORS**, hereby agree to sell, assign, transfer and convey and by these presents do sell, assign, transfer and convey unto the above-named **ASSIGNEE**, the whole and entire right, title and interest

in and to said invention as described in the above patent application, for the territory of the United States and its possessions and territories and all foreign countries;

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said invention, application(s) and patent(s) to be held and enjoyed by the above-named **ASSIGNEE**, for **ASSIGNEE's** own use and benefit, and for **ASSIGNEE's** legal representatives and assigns to the full end of the term or terms for which said patent(s) may be granted, as fully and entirely as the

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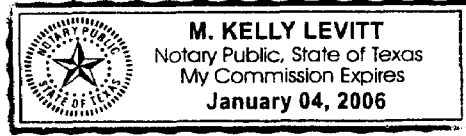
Kevin C. Evel-Kabler

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COUNTY OF Harris :



Before me, a notary public in and for the State and County aforesaid, on this 25 day of August, 2005, personally appeared **Kevin C. Evel-Kabler**, who being to me personally known, and who having first executed the foregoing instrument in my presence and have been by me first duly sworn, did acknowledge the foregoing instrument as his/her free deed and act, signed, sealed and delivered by his/her for the purpose therein stated and intending to be legally bound thereby and intending that said instrument be recorded.

M. Kelly Levitt

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Xue F. Huang

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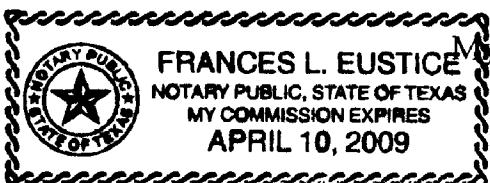
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Frances L. Eustice

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