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Name: The Administrators of the Tulane Educational Fund

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Street Address: 1430 Tulane Avenue

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60/698,450

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Assignment

WHEREAS, I, JULES B. PUSCHETT (herein ASSIGNOR), residing at 1750 St. Charles Avenue, New Orleans, LA 70130, have invented certain new and useful improvements in METHOD OF TREATING HUMAN VOLUME EXPANSION MEDIATED HYPERTENSION EMPLOYING RESIBUFAGENIN for which a provisional application having Serial No. 60/698,450 was filed with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on July 12, 2005;

AND WHEREAS THE ADMINISTRATORS OF THE TULANE EDUCATIONAL FUND (herein ASSIGNEE), a not-for-profit entity which is exempt from federal taxes as a charitable organization under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, having an address at 1430 Tulane Avenue, New Orleans, Louisiana 70112-2699, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title, and interest in and to said application and the inventions and improvements therein disclosed;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of One (\$1.00) Dollar and other good and valuable consideration paid to me by said ASSIGNEE, receipt whereof I hereby acknowledge, I do hereby assign, sell, transfer, and set over unto said ASSIGNEE the entire right, title, and interest in and to said application and the inventions and improvements therein disclosed for the United States and all foreign countries and any Letters Patent which may issue therefor in the United States and all foreign countries and all traditional applications, divisions, reissues, continuations, renewals, and/or extensions thereof including all priority rights under the International Convention associated therewith for each country and the Union, said ASSIGNEE to have and to hold the interests herein assigned to the full ends of the terms of said Letters Patent and any and all traditional applications, divisions, reissues, continuations, renewals, and/or extensions thereof, respectively, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by me had this assignment not been made.

The Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks is requested to issue such Letters Patent in accordance herewith. I covenant that I am the lawful owner of the said application, inventions, and improvements, that the same are unencumbered, that no license has been granted to make, use, or vend the said inventions or improvements or any of them, and that I have the full right to make this assignment.

And for the consideration aforesaid, I agree that I will communicate to said ASSIGNEE or the representatives thereof any facts known to me respecting said inventions and improvements, and will, upon request, but without expense to me, testify in any legal proceedings, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, reissue, continuation, renewal, and/or extension applications, make all rightful oaths, and generally do all other and further lawful acts, deemed necessary or expedient by said ASSIGNEE or by counsel for said ASSIGNEE, to assist or enable said ASSIGNEE to obtain and enforce full benefits from the rights and interests herein assigned. This assignment shall be binding upon my heirs, executors, administrators, and/or assigns, and shall inure to the benefit of the heirs, executors, administrators, successors, and/or assigns, as the case may be, of said ASSIGNEE.

EXECUTED June 30, 2006.

Jules B. Puschetti (SEAL)
JULES B. PUSCHETT

State of Louisiana :
Parish of Orleans : ss.

Before me, a Notary Public in and for the said Parish and State, personally appeared JULES B. PUSCHETT, who acknowledged that he is the person who executed the foregoing assignment and acknowledged it to be his free and voluntary act and deed.

Witness my hand and notarial seal this 30th day of June, 2006.

Patricia A. Bethancourt
Notary Public

(NOTARIAL SEAL)

PATRICIA A. BETHANCOURT, NOTARY PUBLIC
(Louisiana State Bar Roll No. 00600)
(My Commission Expires Upon Death)