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Assignment

WHEREAS, I/WE

Rong Li and Xiaogang Li

the ASSIGNOR(S), have invented certain new and useful improvements in

METHODS FOR TREATING POLYCYSTIC KIDNEY DISEASE (PKD) OR OTHER CYST FORMING DISEASES

which are described and claimed in United States Patent Application Serial No. 11/906,600, filed October 2, 2007, a United States National Stage Application of International Application No. PCT/US2007/065869, filed April 3, 2007; which claims benefit of priority to United States Provisional Patent Application No. 60/744,182, filed April 3, 2006; and United States Provisional Patent Application No. 60/825,873, filed September 15, 2006.

NOW, THEREFOR, for and in consideration of good and valuable considerations, the receipt and sufficiency whereof are hereby acknowledged, I/we have, respectively, sold, assigned and set over, and by these presents do hereby sell, assign and set over unto

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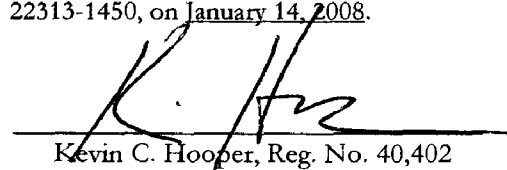
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