

PATENT ASSIGNMENT

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## PATENT ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, CIPHERGEN Biosystems, Inc. ("**Assignor**"), a Delaware corporation, owns the patents and patent applications listed on Schedule A ("**Patents**") attached hereto, and

WHEREAS, Bio-Rad Laboratories, Inc. ("**Assignee**"), a Delaware corporation, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to the Patents from Assignor;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration to Assignor by Assignee, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignor hereby sells, assigns and transfers unto Assignee, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest of any kind and character throughout the world, in and to the Patents, to the full extent of its ownership or interest therein, including without limitation: (i) all domestic and foreign patent applications and registrations therefor, all patents that issue therefrom, and all division, continuation, continuation-in-part, reexamination, substitution, reissue, extension, and renewal of such Patents, including the right to apply for any of the foregoing; (ii) all rights to causes of action and remedies related thereto, including without limitation, the right to sue for past, present or future infringement, misappropriation or violation of rights related to the foregoing; and (iii) any and all other rights and interests arising out of, in connection with or in relation to the Patents.


Upon said consideration, Assignor and Assignee do hereby covenant and agree that each will not execute any writing or do any act whatsoever conflicting with these presents, and that each party and its successors and assigns will, at any time upon request, without further or additional consideration, but at its own expense, execute such additional writings and do such additional acts as Assignee, its successors and assigns, may reasonably deem necessary or desirable to perfect Assignee's enjoyment of this grant, and render all necessary assistance in making application for and obtaining original, divisional, reissued or extended Letters Patent of the United States, or of any and all foreign countries on said invention, and in enforcing any rights, occurring as a result of such applications or patents, by giving testimony in any proceedings or transactions involving such applications or Patents. Assignee will bear all expenses, including legal fees, in connection with the perfection of this Assignment including, without limitation, recordation of this Assignment with the United States Patent and Trademark Office or the equivalent in any other country.

Assignor hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States, and any official of any other country whose duty it is to issue patents or similar legal protection on said applications, to issue patents for said inventions to Assignee, the same to be held by Assignee for its own use and benefit, to the full end of the term for which said patents are or may be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by the Assignor had this assignment not been made.

In Witness Whereof, said Assignor has, through its duly authorized agent, executed this document on this 12<sup>th</sup> day of November 2006.

ASSIGNOR:

CIPHERGEN BIOSYSTEMS, INC.

  
Debra A. Young  
Chief Financial Officer and  
Vice President of Finance

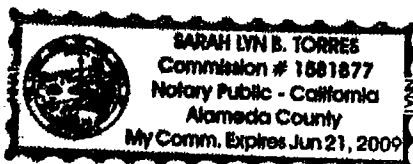
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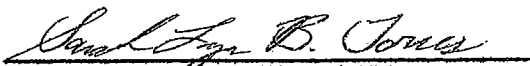
On November 12<sup>th</sup>, 2006, before me, Sarah Lyn B. Torres, Notary Public, personally appeared  
**DEBRA A. YOUNG**

☐ personally known to me  
☒ proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence

to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that she executed the same in her authorized capacity, and that by her signature on the instrument the person, or the entity upon behalf of which the person acted, executed the instrument.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.



  
(Signature of Notary Public)

**SCHEDULE A**

**PATENTS TO BE ASSIGNED**

<b>Patent Name/Subject</b>	<b>Patent No.</b>	<b>Ctry</b>	<b>Application Serial No.</b>	<b>Date of Filing</b>
RETENTATE CHROMATOGRAPHY AND PROTEIN CHIP ARRAYS WITH APPLICATIONS IN BIOLOGY AND MEDICINE	6,818,411	US	09/100,633	Jun 19, 1998
RETENTATE CHROMATOGRAPHY AND PROTEIN CHIP ARRAYS WITH APPLICATIONS IN BIOLOGY AND MEDICINE	2002301047	AU	2002301047	Sep 18, 2002
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