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U.S. Serial No: 60/941,731

Filed: June 4, 2007

Title: Screening the Sequence Selectivity of DNA-Binding Molecules Using a Gold Nanoparticle-Based Colorimetric Approach

For good and sufficient consideration, the receipt and sufficiency whereof are hereby acknowledged, the undersigned hereby assigns to NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY, 633 Clark Street, Evanston, Illinois 60208, its successors and assigns ("Assignee") the entire right, title and interest in the invention or improvements of the undersigned disclosed in an application for Letters Patent of the United States in said application and any and all other applications, both United States and foreign, which may be filed, either solely or jointly with others, on said invention or improvements, and in any and all Letters Patent of the United States and foreign countries, which may be obtained on any of said applications, and in any reissue or extension thereof.

The undersigned hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks and the foreign counterparts thereof to issue said Letters Patents to Assignee.

The undersigned hereby authorizes and requests the attorneys of record in said application to insert in this assignment the execution date and/or filing date and serial number of said application when officially known.

Each the undersigned warrants that such undersigned is the owner of the interest herein assigned, has the right to make this assignment and that there are no prior assignments, licenses, or other rights in the interest herein assigned.

The undersigned hereby agrees, upon the request and at the expense of Assignee to execute any and all divisional, continuation, continuation-in-part and substitute applications for said invention or improvements, and any necessary oath or affidavit relating thereto, and any application for the reissue or extension of any Letters Patent that may be granted upon said application, and any and all applications and other documents for Letters Patent in foreign countries on said invention or improvements, that Assignee may deem necessary or expedient, and upon the request of Assignee, in the event of any application or Letters Patent assigned herein becoming involved in an interference or opposition proceeding, to cooperate to the best of the ability of the undersigned with Assignee to perform, upon request, any and all affirmative acts to obtain said Letters Patent, both United States and foreign, and vest all rights therein hereby conveyed in Assignee whereby said Letters Patents will be held and enjoyed by Assignee to the full end of the term for which said Letters Patents may be granted as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by the undersigned if this assignment had not been made

WITNESS my hand this

6 day of June, 2007

State of Illinois
County of Cook

Chad A. Mirkin
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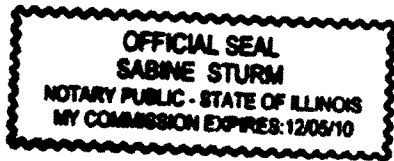
On this 6 day of June, 2007, before me, a Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid, appeared, to me personally known to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that they executed said instrument as their free and voluntary act and for the uses and purposes therein expressed.

WITNESS my hand and seal the same day and year last above given.

My Commission Expires:

12/05/10

Sabine Sturm
Notary Public



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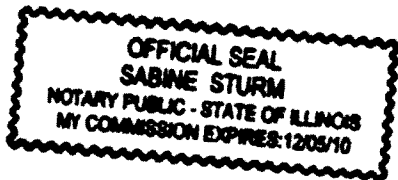
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_____ day of _____, 2007

Signature: _____
Name: Min Su Han

Witnesses:
Signature: _____
Name: _____

Signature: _____
Name: _____

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State of _____
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Notary Public

WITNESS my hand this 8 day of June, 2007

Signature: Min Su Han
Name: Min Su Han

Witnesses:
Signature: [Signature]
Name: Jong Chan Lee

Signature: [Signature]
Name: Seung Wook Ham