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1) the entire right, title and interest in the United States and in all countries throughout the world in and to any and all my/our inventions and discoveries disclosed in United States Provisional Application Ser. No. 60/876,374, filed 21 December 2006 {Atty. Docket No. 8525.US.L1}, United States Application Ser. No. 11/901,274, filed 13 September 2007 {Atty. Docket No. BBI-309CP; Client Docket No. 8373.US.P1} and International Application Ser. No. PCT/US2007/020027, filed 13 September 2007 {Atty. Docket No. BBI-309CPPC; Client Docket No. 8373.WO.O1} and designating AP, EA, EP, OA, AE, AG, AL, AM, AT, AU, AZ, BA, BB, BE, BF, BG, BJ, BR, BY, BZ, CA, CF, CG, CH and LI, CI, CM, CN, CO, CR, CU, CY, CZ, DE, DK, DM, DZ, EC, EE, EG, ES, FI, FR, GA, GB, GD, GE, GH, GM, GN, GQ, GR, GW, HR, HU, ID, IE, IL, IN, IS, IT, JP, KE, KG, KP, KR, KZ, LC, LK, LR, LS, LT, LU, LV, MA, MC, MD, MG, MK, ML, MN, MR, MW, MX, MY, MZ, NE, NI, NL, NO, NZ, OM, PG, PH, PL, PT, RO, RU, SC, SD, SE, SG, SI, SK, SL, SN, SY, SZ, TD, TG, TJ, TM, TN, TR, TT, TZ, UA, UG, US, UZ, VN, YU, VC, ZA, ZM and ZW; all entitled: "CELL CULTURE IMPROVEMENTS", including any renewals, revivals, reissues, reexaminations, extensions, continuations and divisions thereof, and any substitute applications therefor;

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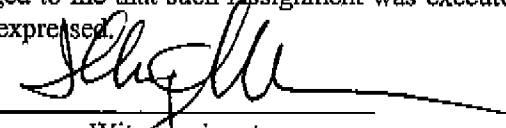
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