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**ASSIGNMENT
OF UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION**

WHEREAS, the following parties:

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Jeremy Driskell	109 Woodhurst Drive, Athens, GA 30605

hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNOR, has/have invented certain new and useful improvements ("invention(s)") as described and set forth in the below-identified utility application for United States Letters Patent entitled:

**SURFACE ENHANCED RAMAN SPECTROSCOPY (SERS) SYSTEMS FOR THE
DETECTION OF VIRUSES AND METHODS OF USE THEREOF,**

which was:

- executed on even date herewith,
- filed with the United States Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO) on June 9, 2008, and assigned Serial No. 12/157,290, and
- further described in U.S. Provisional application entitled Surface Enhanced Raman Spectroscopy (SERS) Systems and Methods of Use Thereof, filed with the USPTO on June 7, 2007, and assigned Serial No. 60/942,482.

Note: Only one of the first two checkboxes will be checked. The third checkbox will be checked, only if appropriate.

WHEREAS, The University of Georgia Research Foundation, Inc., having a place of business at 624 Boyd Graduate Studies Research Center, Athens, GA 30602-7411, hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE, is desirous of acquiring ASSIGNOR'S interest in and to said invention(s), said utility application, said provisional application, and any U.S. and foreign patents which are related to the same.

NOW, THEREFORE, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Be it known that, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged by ASSIGNOR, ASSIGNOR has sold, assigned and transferred and does hereby sell, assign and

transfer unto ASSIGNEE, and ASSIGNEE'S successors and assigns, (a) the entire right, title and interest, for the United States of America, in and to said invention(s), said utility application, and said provisional application and all the rights and privileges in any application and under any and all patents that may be granted in the U.S. for said inventions, including all corresponding provisional, continuation, continuation-in-part, divisional, reissue, and reexamination applications; and (b) the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention(s), said utility application, and said provisional application for all countries foreign to the U.S., including all rights of priority arising from them, and all the rights and privileges under any and all forms of protection, including patents, that may be granted in said countries foreign to the U.S. for them.

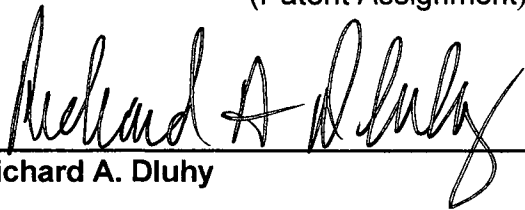
ASSIGNOR authorizes ASSIGNEE to make application for such protection in its own name and maintain such protection in any and all countries foreign to the U.S., and to invoke and claim for any application for patent or other form of protection for said inventions, without further authorization from ASSIGNOR, any and all benefits, including the right of priority provided by any and all treaties, conventions, or agreements.

ASSIGNOR hereby consents that a copy of this assignment shall be deemed a full legal and formal equivalent of any document which may be required in any country in proof of the right of ASSIGNEE to apply for patent or other form of protection for said inventions, said utility application, or said provisional application and to claim the aforesaid benefit of the right of priority.

ASSIGNOR requests that any and all patents for said inventions be issued to ASSIGNEE in the U.S. and to ASSIGNEE in all countries foreign to the U.S., or to such nominee as ASSIGNEE may designate.

ASSIGNOR covenants and agrees that, when requested, ASSIGNOR shall, without charge to ASSIGNEE but at ASSIGNEE'S expense, sign all papers, take all rightful oaths, and do all acts which may be necessary, desirable, or convenient in connection with the patent applications, patents, or other forms of protection of said invention(s); and for the defense and protection thereof if challenged in the court of law.

ASSIGNOR authorizes ASSIGNEE or its agents to insert, on ASSIGNOR'S behalf, the filing date and/or serial number above pertaining to the utility application and/or the provisional application, if not known as of the date of execution of this document.


Richard A. Dluhy


Date: Oct 17, 2008


United States of America

State of Georgia

County of Clarke

On this 17th day of October, 2008, before me personally came **Richard A. Dluhy** to me known to be the individual described above and who executed the foregoing instrument, or acknowledged execution of the same.


Notary Public **KRISTIE HUFF**
Notary Public, State of Georgia
Qualified in Oglethorpe County
Commission Expires September 18, 2010
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Ralph A. Tripp

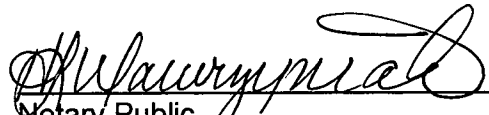
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On this 13 day of October, 2008, before me personally came **Ralph A. Tripp** to me known to be the individual described above and who executed the foregoing instrument, or acknowledged execution of the same.




Notary Public

July 28, 2012

My Commission Expires (Date)

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Yiping Zhao

Date: 10-16-08

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Jeremy Driskell
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Date: 10/27/08

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On this 27th day of October, 2008 before me personally came **Jeremy Driskell** to me known to be the individual described above and who executed the foregoing instrument, or acknowledged execution of the same.

Angela D. Watson
Notary Public

4th September 2012
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