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Whereas, We, Dan-Xia XU, Adam DENSMORE, Andre DELAGE, Pavel CHEBEN, and Siegfried JANZ, citizens of Canada and residing at 622 Gaines Drive, Ottawa, Ontario K1J 7W6, Canada, 790 Hauteview Crescent, Orleans, Ontario K4A 2L7, Canada, 126-2111 Montreal Road, Ottawa, Ontario K1J 8M8, Canada, 172 Stewart Street, Ottawa, Ontario K1N 6JN, Canada and 2168 Blue Jay Crescent, Onttawa, Ontario K1J 6B1, Canada respectively, in the course of our work at and/or for the National Research Council of Canada have made an invention for which we have made application for Letters Patent of the United States of America; and

Whereas National Research Council of Canada, a body corporate under the National Research Council Act by the Parliament of Canada, and situated in the city of Ottawa, Province of Ontario, Canada, is our employer and/or maintains facilities or equipment we used in making this invention, and is the owner of our rights in this invention by action of law, namely s. 3 of the *The Public Servants Inventions Act* of Canada, or by agreement;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of having been provided with an opportunity to participate in scientific research at the National Research Council of Canada and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, we Dan-Xia XU, Adam DENSMORE, Andre DELAGE, Pavel CHEBEN and Siegfried JANZ did transfer to the National Research Council of Canada, and hereby confirm said transfer, the legal ownership of our full and exclusive right, for the territory of Canada and the United States of America and all other countries, including the right to claim priority, the right to file foreign applications under the provisions of the international Convention and national laws, the right to file any divisional and continuation applications and our full and exclusive right in and to said divisional and continuation applications, in and to the said invention as described and claimed in the application for patent entitled

"Silicon Photonic Wire Waveguide Biosensor"

United States Patent Application **S.N. 11/898,660** filed on **September 13, 2007** in the United States of America, which claims benefit of United States Patent Application S. N. 60/924,566 filed on May 21, 2007 therefor; and we hereby request the Commissioner of

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That I was personally present and did hear and see, Dan-Xia XU who is personally known to me duly sign and execute the above Assignment and confirm having read and understood all that it contains.

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