PATENT ASSIGNMENT

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BIOTAGE AB	05/19/2009

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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, **BIOTAGE AB**, hereafter referred to as "assignor", is the owner of the entire right, title and interest, by virtue of an assignment recorded in and to United States Patent Application Serial No. 10/502,849, filed July 29, 2004.

AND WHEREAS, QIAGEN INSTRUMENTS AG, hereinafter referred to as "assignee", located and doing business at Garstligweg 8, CH-8634 Hombrechtikon, Switzerland, is desirous of acquiring all of BIOTAGE AB's interest therein;

NOW THEREFORE, be it known by all whom it may concern, that for and in consideration of the sum of ten dollars (\$10.00), and other good and valuable consideration to BIOTAGE AB in hand paid, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, BIOTAGE AB has assigned, sold, and set over, and by these presents does hereby assign, sell and set over unto the said QIAGEN INSTRUMENTS AG the full and exclusive right to the said patent application in the United States and the entire right, title and interest in and to any and all patents which may be granted therefor in the United States, for its sole use and behoof, and for the use and behoof of its legal representatives, to the full end of the term for which said patents may be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by BIOTAGE AB had this assignment and sale not been made. BIOTAGE AB hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue said United States patents to said assignee.

Furthermore, BIOTAGE AB, by these presents does sell, assign and transfer unto said assignee the entire right, title and interest in and to the said patents aforesaid; the same to be held and enjoyed by the said assignee for its own use and behoof, and for its legal representatives and assigns, to the full end of the term for which said patents is granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by assignor had this assignment and sale not been made.

Title

Date May 19, 2009

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