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A S S I G N M E N T

WHEREAS, we, Adrienne D. Cox, of Chapel Hill, County of Orange, State of North Carolina, and Channing J. Der, of Chapel Hill, County of Orange, State of North Carolina, have invented with others, a certain invention entitled FARNESYLTRANSFERASE INHIBITORS FOR TREATMENT OF LAMINOPATHIES, CELLULAR AGING AND ATHEROSCLEROSIS, for which the following patent applications have been filed:

U.S. Provisional Patent Application No. 60/648,307, filed on January 28, 2005;
U.S. Provisional Patent Application No. 60/707,192, filed on August 9, 2005; and
PCT Application No. PCT/US2006/002977, filed on January 27, 2006; and

WHEREAS, The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of North Carolina, having a place of business at Office of Technology Development, 308 Bynum Hall, CB 4105, Chapel Hill, North Carolina 27599-4105, desires to acquire an interest therein:

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we, Adrienne D. Cox and Channing J. Der, hereby sell, assign and transfer to The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, the full and exclusive right, title and interest in and to said invention, patent application and patent rights throughout the world, including foreign patent priority rights, the right to file and prosecute International Applications under the Patent Cooperation Treaty, and the right to file and prosecute applications under the European Patent Convention; said invention, application and letters patent in this or any foreign country, and all divisions, continuations, reissues and extensions thereof, to be held and enjoyed by The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, for its own use and benefit, and for its successors and assigns to the full end of the term for which letters patent may be granted in this or any foreign country, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by us had this assignment and sale not been made, and covenant that we have full right so to do, and agree that we will communicate to The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, or its successors and assigns, any facts known to us respecting said invention, and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all

lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuing and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths, and do everything possible to aid The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, its successors and assigns to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for said invention in this or any foreign country.

We hereby grant the law firm of Klarquist Sparkman, LLP, the power to insert on this Assignment any further information which may be necessary or desirable in order to comply with all applicable legal requirements, including the rules of the United States Patent and Trademark Office, for submitting and recording this document.

Executed at the place and date opposite our respective signatures below.

Adrienne D. Cox

At Chapel Hill, NC
(City and State)

on this 15 day of March, 2006.

STATE OF North Carolina)
) ss.
COUNTY OF Orange)

This 15th day of March, 2006, before me personally came the above-named Adrienne D. Cox, who executed the foregoing instrument in my presence, and who acknowledged to me that ~~he~~_{she} executed the same of ~~his~~_{her} own free will for the purposes set forth therein.

Notary Public For Orange County, NC
My commission expires: 11/20/10

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