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**ASSIGNMENT**

In consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00), and other good and valuable considerations, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, the undersigned,

**VIB, vzw**, a nonprofit educational institution, having a principal place of business at Rijvisschestraat 120, B-9052, Zwijnaarde, Belgium

Hereby sell, assign and transfer to

**VIB, vzw, and**

**Universiteit Gent**, a nonprofit educational institution, having a principal place of business at Sint-Petersnieuwstraat 25, 9000 Gent, Belgium, **and**

**Research Corporation Technologies, Inc.**, a Delaware U.S.A. nonprofit corporation, having a principal place of business at 5210 East Williams Circle, Suite 240, Tucson, Arizona 85711-4410, and their successors, assigns and legal representatives,

the entire right, title and interest for all countries, in and to any and all improvements which are disclosed and claimed, and as possessed by the undersigned, any and all improvements which are disclosed but not claimed, in the application for **United States Patent Application No. 12/785,286**, which has been filed on **May 21, 2010**, and **Patent Cooperation Treaty Patent Application No. PCT/US2010/035825**, which has been filed on **May 21, 2010**, and which are entitled

**NUCLEIC ACIDS OF PICHIA PASTORIS AND USE THEREOF FOR RECOMBINANT PRODUCTION OF PROTEINS**

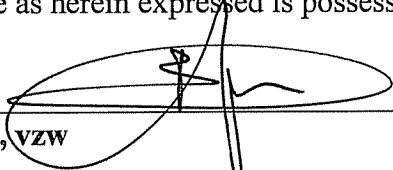
and in and to said application and all divisional, continuing, substitute, renewal, reissue, and all other applications for Letters Patent which have been or shall be filed on any of said improvements disclosed in said application; and in and to all original and reissued patents which have been or shall be issued on said improvements;

Authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents to issue to said Assignees named above, their successors, assigns and legal representatives, in accordance with this assignment, any and all United States Letters Patent on said improvements, or any of them, disclosed in said application;

Agree that said Assignees may apply for and receive foreign Letters Patent for said improvements, or any of them; and may claim, in applications for said foreign Letters

Patent, the priority of the aforesaid United States and Patent Cooperation Treaty applications under the provisions of the International Convention; and that, when requested, without charge to but at the expense of said Assignees, their successors, assigns and legal representatives, to carry out in good faith the intent and purpose of this assignment, the undersigned will, for the United States and all foreign countries, execute all divisional, continuing, substitute, renewal, reissue and all other patent applications on any and all said improvements; execute all rightful oaths, assignments, powers of attorney and other papers; communicate to said Assignees, their successors, assigns and representatives, all facts known to the undersigned relating to said improvements and the history thereof; testify in all legal proceedings; and generally do everything possible which said Assignees, their successors, assigns or representatives shall consider desirable for aiding in securing, maintaining and enforcing proper patent protection for said improvements and for vesting title to said improvements and all applications for patents and all patents on said improvements, in said Assignees, their successors, assigns and legal representatives; and

**Covenant** with said Assignees, their successors, assigns and legal representatives that no assignment, grant, mortgage, license or other agreement affecting the rights and property herein conveyed has been made to others by the undersigned, and that full right to convey the same as herein expressed is possessed by the undersigned.

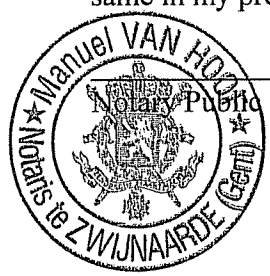
  
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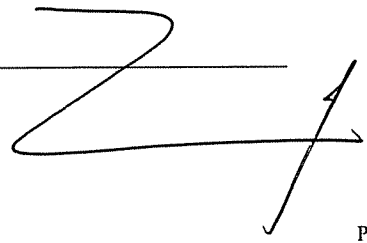
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Printed Name **Rudy Dekeyser**  
managing director

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Title

On this 15 day of 08, 2010, personally appeared the above-named, personally known to me and known by me to be the one who executed the foregoing instrument, and subscribed the same in my presence, and acknowledged the same to be a free act and deed, before me.



  
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My Commission expires: \_\_\_\_\_

*[Handwritten Signature]*

Date 18 August 2010

**Universiteit Gent**

Luc Noels  
Printed Name

Vice Rector  
Title

On this 18 day of 08, 2010, personally appeared the above-named, personally known to me and known by me to be the one who executed the foregoing instrument, and subscribed the same in my presence, and acknowledged the same to be a free act and deed, before me.

*[Handwritten Signature]*  
Notary Public



My Commission expires: \_\_\_\_\_

*[Handwritten Signature]*  
**Research Corporation Technologies, Inc.**

Date 1/19/2011

Shaun A. Kirkpatrick  
Printed Name

President & CEO  
Title

On this 19 day of January, 2011, personally appeared the above-named, personally known to me and known by me to be the one who executed the foregoing instrument, and subscribed the same in my presence, and acknowledged the same to be a free act and deed, before me.

*[Handwritten Signature]*  
Notary Public

My Commission expires: 2/29/2012

