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WHEREAS, North Dakota State University, a nonprofit educational institution organized and existing under the Constitution of the State of North Dakota, having its principal office at Fargo, North Dakota 58105, hereinafter referred to as "assignor", has acquired certain rights in and to an invention entitled and described as follows: "Chromophore and Polymer Capable of Detecting the Presence of Various Neurotoxins and Method of Use" for which a provisional application has been made, said application which may be identified in the United States Patent Office by Serial No. 11/338,261, filed January 24, 2006, and in and to other rights with respect to that subject matter, as set forth in an assignment to assignor executed by inventors, Johnson Thomas and Philip Boudjouk, said assignment being dated October 24, 2006.

WHEREAS, the NDSU-Research Foundation, a nonprofit corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of North Dakota, having its principal office at 1735 NDSU Research Park Drive, P. O. Box 5002, University Station, Fargo, ND 58105, hereinafter referred to as "Research Foundation", is interested in acquiring the entire right, title and interest aforementioned of said assignor;

NOW, THEREFORE, To All Whom It May Concern, Be It Known, that for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, assignor has sold, assigned, transferred and set over and by these presents does sell, assign, transfer and set over unto said Research Foundation, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention throughout the world, and the entire right, title and interest in and to said application and any priority rights applicable thereto, and in and to any and all Letters Patent of the United States and any foreign countries which may be granted therefore, and in and to any and all extensions, divisions or reissues of said Letters Patent that may be granted, the same to be held and enjoyed by said Research Foundation for its own use and benefit and the use and benefit of its successors and assigns to the full and of the term for which said Letters Patent may be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by assignor had this assignment and sale not been made;

And, for the consideration aforesaid, assignor hereby assigns to said Research Foundation all of assignor's rights under special covenant and agreement with the inventors, Johnson Thomas and Philip Boudjouk as follows: Whenever counsel for said Research Foundation or the counsel for its successors or assigns, learned in the law, shall advise that an amendment or division of, or any continuation-in-part thereof, or any other proceeding in connection with the filing, prosecution or recording or record legal title of said domestic or foreign patent applications, including interference proceedings, is lawful and desirable, or that a reissue or extension of said Letters Patent is lawful and desirable, said inventor has covenanted and agreed to sign all papers, drawings, and assignments, take all rightful oaths, and do all acts necessary or required to be done for the procurement of valid Letters Patent for said invention, or for the reissue or extension, or for recording of legal title of the same, without charge to but at the expense of Research Foundation (as assignee or assignor), its successors or assigns.

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And assignor hereby requests the Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue the Letters Patent to said Research Foundation in accordance with this instrument.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Assignor, acting through its President, has hereunto set its hand on the date of Notarization below.

Assignor:

North Dakota State University

By: 1

Joseph A. Chapman,

President

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA

) ss.

COUNTY OF CASS

On this Ald day of November, 2006, before me personally appeared Joseph A. Chapman to me known and known to me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and he duly acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and official seal.

(SEAL)

BARBARA MAGNUSSON · Notary Public State of North Dakota

My Commission Expires Nov. 25, 2009

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