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WHEREAS, we, Amy Childress, of City of Reno, State of Nevada, and Andrea Achilli, of City of Reno, State of Nevada, have invented a certain invention, entitled *Osmotically Assisted Desalination Method and System* for which the following patent applications have been filed:

- U.S. Patent Application No. 13/211,204 filed August 16, 2011; and
- U.S. Provisional Application No. 61/374,221, filed August 16, 2010; and

WHEREAS, Board of Regents of the Nevada System of Higher Education, on behalf of the University of Nevada, Reno, hereinafter "Board of Regents," an educational institution organized under the laws of the State of Nevada, having a place of business at UNR/DRI Technology Transfer Office, 1664 N. Virginia Street, Mail Stop 321, Reno, NV 89557, desires to acquire an interest therein:

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we, Amy Childress and Andrea Achilli, hereby sell, assign and transfer to Board of Regents, 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 Board of Regents, 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 Board of Regents, 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 Board of Regents, its successors and assigns to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for said invention in this or any foreign country.

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PATENT REEL: 027098 FRAME: 0927 I hereby grant 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.

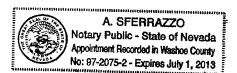
Executed at the place and date opposite my signature below.

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	Amy Childress	
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At <u>Reno</u>, NV (City and State) on this <u>20</u> day of <u>Septenber</u>, 2011.

STATE OF NEVADA)	
)	SS.
COUNTY OF WASHOE)	

This 10 day of September, 2011, before me personally came the above-named Amy Childress who executed the foregoing instrument in my presence, and who acknowledged to me that she executed the same of her own free will for the purposes set forth therein.



Notary Public

[SEAL]

Andrea Achilli

At City and State)
on this 20 day of September, 2011.

STATE OF NEVADA
) ss.

COUNTY OF WASHOE
)

This 20 day of September, 2011, before me personally came the above-named Andrea Achilli who executed the foregoing instrument in my presence, and who acknowledged to me that he executed the same of his own free will for the purposes set forth therein.

	A. SFERRAZZO
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