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Attorney Docket No. 5405-436

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[1.] Hal Cecil Charles  
[2.] Brian J. SoherAdditional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? \_\_\_ Yes ☒ No

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies):

Duke University  
Erwin Road  
Durham, NC 27707Additional name(s) & address(es) attached? \_\_\_ Yes ☒ No

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☐ Change of Name  
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Execution Date:

[1.] April 5, 2010  
[2.] February 19, 20104. Application Serial No. 13/577,926 submitted on August 9, 2012 as national stage of PCT/2011/025011;

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### ASSIGNMENT

THIS ASSIGNMENT, made by us, Hal Cecil Charles, a citizen of the United States of America, residing in Chapel Hill, NC; and Brian J. Soher, a citizen of the United States of America, residing in Chapel Hill, NC;

WITNESSETH: That,

WHEREAS, we are the joint inventors of certain new and useful improvements in **SYSTEMS, METHODS, COMPOSITIONS AND DEVICES FOR *IN VIVO* MAGNETIC RESONANCE IMAGING OF LUNGS USING PERFLUORINATED GAS MIXTURES** for which U.S. Provisional Application No. 61/305,025 was filed on February 16, 2010 in the United States Patent and Trademark Office; and

WHEREAS, Duke University, an educational institution having a principal place of business at Erwin Road, City of Durham, County of Durham, State of North Carolina, 27707, hereinafter referred to as assignee, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention as described in said provisional application, and in and to any and all Letters Patent which shall be granted therefor in the United States of America and all foreign countries;

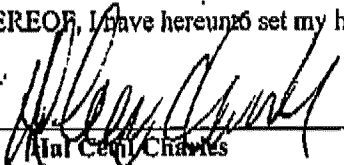
NOW, THEREFORE, To Whom It May Concern, be it known that for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, we have sold and by these presents do hereby sell, assign, transfer, and convey unto the said assignee, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title, and interest in and to the said invention and provisional application, and in and to any and all subsequent patent applications which claim the benefit of priority from said provisional application including regular utility, continuations, and continuations-in-part, or divisions thereof, and in and to any and all Letters Patent of the United States of America and all foreign countries or reissues or other forms of protection thereof which may be granted for the invention in or on applications claiming the benefit of priority from said provisional application, for the full end of the term for which said Letters Patent may be granted along with any term extensions thereof or therefor, together with the right to claim the benefit of priority from said application in all foreign countries in accordance with the International

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Convention, the same to be held and enjoyed by said assignee, its successors and assigns, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by us if this assignment and sale had not been made.

We further covenant and agree that, at the time of the execution and delivery of these presents, we possess full title to the invention and provisional application above-mentioned, and that we have the unencumbered right and authority to make this assignment.

We further covenant and agree to promptly communicate to said assignee or its representatives any facts known to us relating to said invention, to testify in any interference or legal proceedings involving said invention, to execute any additional papers which may be requested to confirm the right of the assignee, its representatives, successors, or assigns to secure patent or similar protection for the said invention in all countries and to vest in the assignee complete title to the said invention and Letters Patent, without further compensation, but at the expense of said assignee, its successors, assigns, and other legal representatives; and we hereby instruct, and further covenant and agree to bind our heirs, legal representatives, and assigns, to do same, without further compensation, but at the expense of said assignee or its representatives.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal on this 5<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2010.  
  
Michael C. Charles

Witnessed by: Maureen Ainslie  
Printed Name: Maureen Ainslie  
Date: 5 April 2010

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of

\_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Brian J. Soher

Witnessed by: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

WHEREBY Duke University acknowledges and accepts the assignment;

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of  
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authority to sign this Assignment on behalf of the Assignee, Duke University.

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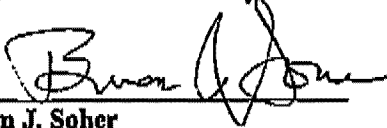
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Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal on this 19 day of  
February, 2010.  
  
Brian J. Soher

Witnessed by: Wandra Davis  
Printed Name: WANDRA DAVIS  
Date: 02-19-2010

WHEREBY Duke University acknowledges and accepts the assignment;

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ACCEPTED  
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Brian J. Soher

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Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal on this 6 day of April, 2010. The undersigned warrants and represents that he/she has the authority to sign this Assignment on behalf of the Assignee, Duke University.

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Witnessed by:

Printed Name:

Date:

Lois Pitts

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