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This Assignment is entered into between The University of Chicago (hereinafter referred to as "Assignee"), an Illinois not for profit corporation having its principal place of business at 5801 South Ellis Avenue, Chicago, Illinois 60637, and William Stokes, 881 North Hillman Road, Stanton, MI 48888, the named owner and inventor (hereinafter referred to as "Assignor"):

For other good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I, the Assignor hereby assigns and conveys, unto Assignee, its successors and assigns, my entire right, title and interest in and to a patent entitled **METHOD FOR INDEXING NUCLEIC ACID SEQUENCES FOR COMPUTER BASED SEARCHING** (Atty. File No 092234-9049-US01), filed on November 19, 2008 as United States Patent Application 12/301,547, and issued as US Patent 8,116,988, which is the national stage of International Application Number PCT/US07/69367 filed May 21, 2007, which claims priority of United States Provisional Patent Application Serial No. 60/747,715 filed May 19, 2006;

And I hereby agree that I will, upon request of Assignee, its successors or assigns, and without further consideration to me, execute any and all papers that may be necessary, or deemed by Assignee, its successors or assigns, to be necessary, to a complete fulfillment of the intent and purposes of this Assignment, it being understood that any expense incident to the execution of such papers shall be paid by Assignee, its successors and assigns, and not by me.

And the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States is hereby authorized and requested to issue said United States patent or patents to Assignee.

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