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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, WE,

- Jianjun CHENG, residing at 2304 Lynwood Drive, Champaign, IL 61821, US, and a citizen of CHINA; and
- LI TANG, residing at 102 N. Gregory Street, Apt. D, Urbana, IL 61801, US, and a citizen of CHINA;

have made certain new and useful inventions and improvements for which we filed an Application for Letters Patent of the United States entitled **SILICA NANOPARTICLE AGENT CONJUGATES**, which

is the national stage application of International Application No. _____ filed on _____;

will be filed without this executed PATENT ASSIGNMENT. THE UNDERSIGNED hereby authorizes, and requests, ASSIGNEE'S legal representatives, of Billion & Armitage, who are associated with customer number _____, to insert here in parenthesis (U.S. Serial No. _____, filed _____) this application's U.S. Serial Number and filing date, when known;

was filed on 30 May 2013 and was given U.S. Serial No. 13/990,712; or

is filed concurrently herewith;

AND WHEREAS, The Board of Trustees of the University of Illinois, a university organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Illinois and having an office and place of business at 506 S. Wright Street, 352 Henry Administration Building, Urbana, IL 61801, US (hereinafter "Assignee") is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said inventions, improvements and application and in and to the Letters Patent to be obtained therefor;

NOW THEREFORE, to all whom it may concern, be it known that for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar and other good and valuable considerations, the receipt and sufficiency whereon is hereby acknowledged, we have sold, assigned, and transferred, and by these presents do sell, assign and transfer unto said Assignee, its successors or assigns, the entire right, title and interest for all countries in and to all inventions and improvements disclosed in the aforesaid application, and in and to the application, all divisions, continuations, or renewals thereof, all Letters Patent which may be granted therefrom, and all reissues or extensions of such patents, and in and to any and all applications which have been or shall be filed in any foreign rights under the provisions of the International Convention, and all Letters Patent of foreign countries which may be granted therefrom; and we do hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any and all United States Letters Patent

for the aforesaid inventions and improvements to the Assignee as the assignee of the entire right, title and interest in and to the same, for the use of the Assignee, its successors and assigns.

We further authorize the Assignee or their legal representative to insert the serial number and filing date into this instrument once the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office has assigned this information to the application.

AND, for the consideration aforesaid, we do hereby agree that we and our respective executors and legal representatives will make, execute and deliver any and all other instruments in writing including any and all further application papers, affidavits, assignments and other documents, and will communicate to said Assignee, its successors and representatives all facts and proceedings and generally do all things which may be necessary or desirable more effectually to secure and to vest in said Assignee, its successors or assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to the improvements, inventions, applications, Letters Patent, rights, titles, benefits, privileges and advantages hereby sold, assigned and conveyed, or intended so to be.

AND, furthermore we covenant and agree with said Assignee, its successors and assigns, that no assignment, grant, mortgage, license or other agreement affecting the right and property herein conveyed has been made to others by us and that full right to convey the same as herein expressed is possessed by us.

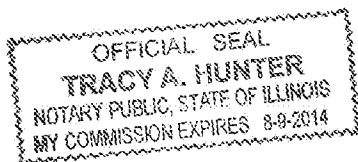
IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 4 day of June, 2013.

[Signature]
Jianjun CHENG

STATE OF Illinois)
COUNTY OF Champaign) ss.

On this 4th day of June, 2013, before me personally appeared Jianjun CHENG, personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same of his/her authorized capacity, and that by his/her signature on the instrument, the person, or the entity upon behalf of which the person acted, executed the instrument.

WITNESS my hand and official seal:



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[Signature]
Notary Public

My Commission expires:

August 9, 2014

