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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, we,

Name	Mailing Address	
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Michael R. Leadbetter	335 Beverly Avenue, San Leandro, California 94577	;
Noah Bell	2172 Blake Street, Apt. 10, Berkeley, California 94704	;
Han-Ting Chang	220 Garnet Drive, Livermore, California 94550	;
Tao Chen	3915 Louis Road, Palo Alto, California 94303	;
Marc Navre	2708 Wemberly Drive, Belmont, California 94002	;
Dominique Charmot	1150 Steinway Avenue, Campbell, California 95008	;
Christopher Carreras	910 Chevy Street, Belmont, California 94002	; and
Eric Labonte	401 Baltic Circle, Unit 433, Redwood City, California 94065	;

(each referred to as "Assignor") have made an invention(s) (the "Invention(s)") set forth in an application entitled **COMPOUNDS AND METHODS FOR INHIBITING PHOSPHATE TRANSPORT**, for which a U.S. patent application was filed on January 4, 2013 and bearing Application No. 13/734,701. This application is a continuation of International Application No. PCT/US2011/043266, filed July 7, 2011; which claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. 61/362,133, filed July 7, 2010;

WHEREAS, Ardelyx, Inc., a corporation duly organized under and pursuant to the laws of Delaware, and having its principal place of business at 34175 Ardenwood Boulevard, Fremont, California 94555 (the "Assignee"), is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title, and interest in: the Invention(s); the application(s) for patent identified above; the right to file applications for patent of the United States or other countries on the Invention(s); any application(s) for patent of the United States or other countries claiming priority to these application(s); any provisional or other right to recover damages, including royalties, for prior infringements of these applications; and any patent of the United States or other countries that may be granted therefor or thereon.

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and sufficient consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, and to the extent that the Assignor has not done so

already via a prior agreement with the Assignee, or if the Assignor has already done so via a prior agreement with the Assignee then in confirmation of any obligation to do so in said prior agreement, the Assignor has sold, assigned, transferred, and set over, and by these presents does sell, assign, transfer, and set over, unto the Assignee, its successors, legal representatives, and assigns, the Assignor's entire right, title, and interest in:

- (a) the Invention(s);
- (b) the application(s) for patent identified above;
- (c) the right to file applications for patent of the United States or other countries on the Invention(s), including all rights under the Paris Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property and under the Patent Cooperation Treaty;
- (d) any application(s) for patent of the United States or other countries claiming the Invention(s);
- (e) any application(s) for patent of the United States or other countries claiming priority to the application(s) for patent identified above or any application(s) for patent claiming the Invention(s), including any division(s), continuation(s), and continuation(s)-in-part; and
- (f) any provisional or other right to recover damages, including royalties, for prior infringements of any application for patent identified in the preceding paragraphs (b)-(e); and
- (g) any patent(s) of the United States or other countries that may be granted for or on any application for patent identified in the preceding paragraphs (b) – (e), including any reissue(s) and extension(s) of said patent(s).

The above-granted rights, titles, and interests are to be held and enjoyed by the Assignee, for its own use and behalf and the use and behalf of its successors, legal representatives, and assigns, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by the Assignor had this sale and assignment not been made.

The Assignor hereby represents to the Assignee, its successors, legal representatives, and assigns, that, at the time of execution and delivery of these presents, or if applicable, at such time said prior agreement was executed, the Assignor is a lawful owner of an undivided interest in the entire right, title, and interest in and to the Invention(s), that the Invention(s) are unencumbered, except, if applicable, by obligation to assign in accordance with said prior agreement, and that the Assignor has good and full right and lawful authority to sell and convey the same in the manner set forth herein.

The Assignor hereby covenants and agrees to and with the Assignee, its successors, legal representatives, and assigns, that the Assignor will sign all papers and documents, take all lawful oaths, and do all acts necessary or required to be done in connection with any and all proceedings for the procurement, maintenance, enforcement

and defense of the Invention(s), said applications, and said patents, including interference proceedings, without charge to the Assignor, its successors, legal representatives, and assigns, but at the cost and expense of the Assignee, its successors, legal representatives, and assigns.

The Assignor hereby requests the Commissioner of Patents to issue said patents of the United States to the Assignee for the sole use and behalf of the Assignee, its successors, legal representatives, and assigns.

7/10/2013
Date

Jason G. Lewis
Jason G. Lewis

State of California

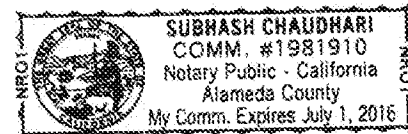
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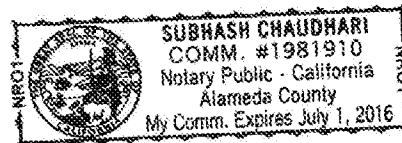
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County of Washington

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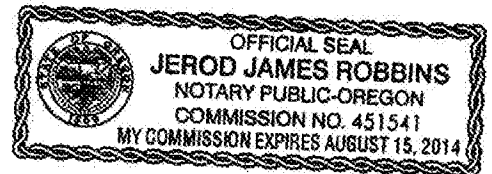
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10 July 2013

Date

Michael R. Leadbetter

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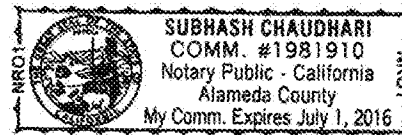
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Noah Bell

State of California

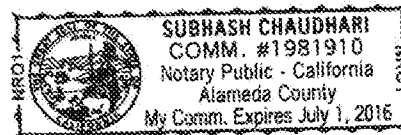
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Date 06-29-2013

Han-Ting Chang
Han-Ting Chang

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County of ALAMEDA

On 06/29/2013, before me, KIRIT AMIN Notary Public
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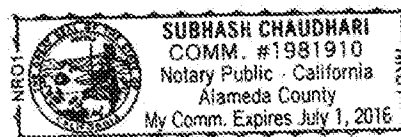
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Date 6/22/13 Marc Navre

State of California

County of San Mateo

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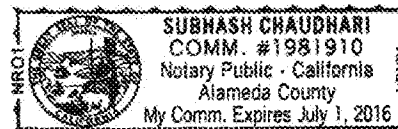
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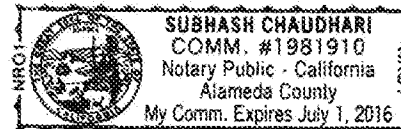
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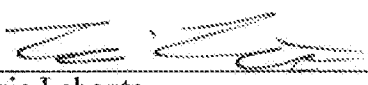
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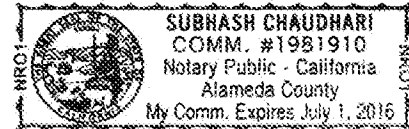
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