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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Harry W. Sarkas and Igor V. Barsukov referred to as ASSIGNORS, have invented a certain invention entitled ZINC ANODE ALKALINE ELECTROCHEMICAL CELLS CONTAINING BISMUTH, filed on February 13, 2013 and assigned Application Serial No 13/766,467; and

WHEREAS, Nanophase Technologies Corporation, incorporated in the State of Delaware, with a principal place of business at 1319 Marquette Drive, Romeoville, IL 60446, hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in, to and under said invention and the United States Letters Patent to be obtained therefor:

NOW THEREFORE, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

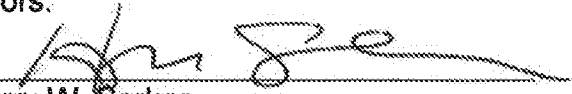
Be it known that for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, the ASSIGNORS hereby sell, assign and transfer to ASSIGNEE the full and exclusive right, title and interest to said invention and all Letters Patent of the United States to be obtained therefor on said applications or any non-provisional, continuation, division, renewal, substitute or reissue thereof, as well as any and all provisional applications from which said applications claim priority, for the full term or terms for which the same may be granted.

ASSIGNORS also assigns all of its rights, title, and interest in and to said invention, the worldwide right to file applications for Letters Patent for said invention, and all applications for Letters Patent for said invention, which may evolve therefrom, including the right to claim International Convention priority.

ASSIGNORS hereby covenant that no assignment, sale, agreement or encumbrance has been or will be made or entered into which would conflict with this assignment and sale.

ASSIGNORS further covenant that ASSIGNEE will, upon its request, be provided promptly with all pertinent facts and documents relating to said applications, said invention and said Letters Patent as may be known and accessible to ASSIGNORS, and ASSIGNORS will testify as to the same in any interference or litigation related thereto and will promptly execute and deliver to ASSIGNEE or its legal representative any and all papers, instruments or affidavits required to apply for, obtain, maintain and enforce said applications, said invention and said Letters Patent which may be necessary or desirable to carry out the purposes hereof. An attorney of record is authorized and requested by the execution of this assignment to insert into this assignment the filing date and serial number of said application when officially known, and correct any minor typographical errors.

DATE 8/6/2015


Harry W. Sarkas

DATE 7/1/2015

I. Barsukov.
Igor V. Barsukov

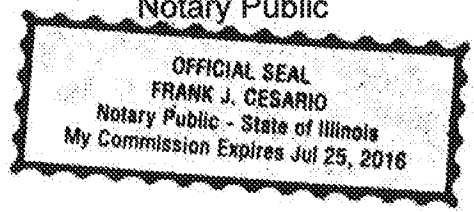
STATE OF Illinois)
) ss.
COUNTY OF Will)

I, Frank Cesario, a Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid, do hereby certify that Harry W. Sarkas, personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, appeared before me this day in person and acknowledged that (s)he signed, sealed and delivered the said instrument as his/her free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and Notarial Seal, this 6th day of August, 2015.

Frank Cesario
Notary Public

(SEAL)
My Commission Expires:



STATE OF IL)
) ss.
COUNTY OF Cook)

I, Susan Odisho, a Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid, do hereby certify that Igor V. Barsukov, personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, appeared before me this day in person and acknowledged that (s)he signed, sealed and delivered the said instrument as his/her free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and Notarial Seal, this 1 day of July, 2015.

Susan Odisho
Notary Public

(SEAL)
My Commission Expires: 02/06/2018

