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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, WE,

(1) **Alexandre Poulain** of c/o University of Ottawa, 30 Marie Curie Street, Biology Department, Ottawa, Ontario K1N 6N5 Canada

(2) **Daniel Grégoire** of c/o University of Ottawa, 30 Marie Curie Street, Biology Department, Ottawa, Ontario K1N 6N5 Canada

have invented certain new and useful improvements in **METHODS FOR REMOVING MERCURY CONTAMINANT FROM AQUEOUS SOLUTIONS, AND BIOREACTORS THEREFOR**, which can be found in US Patent Application No. US 16/031,660, filed July 10, 2018 and Canadian Patent Application No. 3,010,963, filed July 10, 2018;

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AND WHEREAS, **University of Ottawa**, with its principal place of business at 800 King Edward Avenue, Room 3042, Ottawa, Ontario, K1N 6N5 Canada, desires to acquire our entire right, title and interest in and to the said improvements and the said Application:

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, including salary or payment for the making of inventions, or employee benefits, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we, the said inventors, do hereby acknowledge that we have sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over, unto the said **University of Ottawa**, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, my entire right, title and interest throughout the world in, to and under the said improvements, and the said application and all divisions, renewals and continuations thereof, and all Letters Patent of the United States which may be granted thereon and all reissues and extensions thereof, and all rights of priority under International Conventions and applications for Letters Patent which may hereafter be filed for said improvements in any country or countries, and all Letters Patent which may be granted for said improvements in any country or countries and all extensions, renewals and reissues thereof; and we hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents of the United States, and any Official of any country or countries whose duty it is to issue Patents on applications as aforesaid, to issue all Letters Patent for said improvements to the said **University of Ottawa**, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this instrument.

AND WE HEREBY covenant and agree that we will communicate to the said **University of Ottawa**, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, any facts known to me respecting said improvements and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuing and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths and generally do everything possible to aid the said **University of Ottawa**, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for said improvements in all countries.

The undersigned hereby grant(s) the law firm of **Gowling WLG (Canada) LLP** of 160 Elgin Street, Suite 2600, Ottawa, Ontario K1P 1C3, Canada the power to insert on this Assignment any further identification which may be necessary or desirable in order to comply with the rules of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office for recordation of this document.

1) IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I, **Alexandre Poulain**, hereunto set my signature this 10  
day of July, 2018.

  
Alexandre Poulain

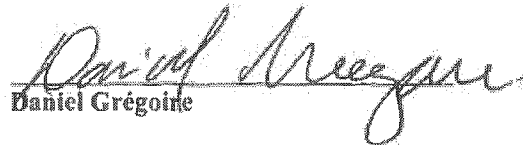
WITNESS:

On this 10<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2018 before me personally appeared the above named  
**Alexandre Poulain**, to me known and known by me to be the person described in and who executed the  
foregoing instrument, and acknowledged the same to be his own free act and deed.

Chantal Graham  
Witness name

  
Witness signature

2) IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I, **Daniel Grégoire**, hereunto set my signature this 10  
day of July, 2018.


  
Daniel Grégoire

WITNESS:

On this 10<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2018 before me personally appeared the above named  
**Daniel Grégoire**, to me known and known by me to be the person described in and who executed the  
foregoing instrument, and acknowledged the same to be his own free act and deed.

Chantal Graham  
Witness name

  
Witness signature


ACKNOWLEDGED AND ACCEPTED this 10<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2018  
  
University of Ottawa

Name: D. Joe Irvine  
Directeur, SSI  
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CERTIFICATE OF WITNESS

I acknowledge that I was personally present and did see the above-named officer of **University of  
Ottawa**, who is personally known to me, duly execute the above assignment on the date therein set forth.

Chantal Graham  
Witness name

  
Witness signature