UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM S-1
REGISTRATION STATEMENT
UNDER
THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933

ATOSSA GENETICS INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

3841

(Primary Standard Industrial Classification Code Number)

26-4753208

(I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)

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proximate Date of Commencement of	proposed sale to the	public: As soon as	practicable after the effective	date of this Registration Statement.
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CALCULATION OF REGISTRATION FEE

Proposed Maximum Amount of Aggregate Registration Offering Price (1)(2) Fee (3)

Common Stock, \$0.001 par value per share \$8,050,000 \$923

- (1) Estimated solely for the purpose of calculating the registration fee pursuant to Rule 457(o) under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended.
- (2) Includes the offering price of shares that the underwriters have the option to purchase to cover over-allotments, if any.
- (3) Previously paid with respect to the Registrant's withdrawn Registration Statement on Form S-1 (File No. 333-169703).

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The information contained in this prospectus is not complete and may be changed. A registration statement relating to these securities has been filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission and these securities may not be sold until that registration statement becomes effective. This prospectus is not an offer to sell these securities and it is not soliciting an offer to buy these securities in any state where the offer or sale is not permitted.

PRELIMINARY PROSPECTUS

SUBJECT TO COMPLETION DATED FEBRUARY 13, 2012



1,000,000 Shares

This is the initial public offering of 1,000,000 shares of our common stock. We expect the initial public offering price will be between \$5.00 and \$7.00 per share. Currently, no public market exists for our securities. We intend to apply for listing of the shares on the NASDAQ Capital Market under the symbol "ATOS".

	Per Share	Total
Public offering price	\$	\$
Underwriting discounts and commissions*	\$	\$
Proceeds, before expenses, to Company	\$	\$

* Does not include a non-accountable expense reimbursement fee of 3% of the gross proceeds of this offering.

Investing in these securities involves a high degree of risk.

See "Risk Factors" contained in this prospectus beginning on page 6.

Neither the Securities and Exchange Commission nor any state securities commission has approved or disapproved these securities or determined if this prospectus is truthful or complete. Any representation to the contrary is a criminal offense.

We have granted the underwriters an option for a period of 45 days to purchase from us, on the same terms and conditions set forth above, up to an additional 150,000 shares to cover overallotments.

Delivery of the shares of common stock will be made on or about , 2012.

DAWSON JAMES SECURITIES, INC.

, 2012.

The date of this prospectus is

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No dealer, salesperson or other person is authorized to give any information or to represent anything not contained in this prospectus. You must not rely on any unauthorized information or representations. This prospectus is an offer to sell only the shares offered hereby, but only under circumstances and in jurisdictions where it is lawful to do so. The information contained in this prospectus is current only as of its date.

Unless the context requires otherwise, in this prospectus the terms "we," "us" and "our" as well as the "Company" refer to Atossa Genetics Inc. and our whollyowned subsidiary, National Reference Laboratory for Breast Health Inc.

PROSPECTUS SUMMARY

This summary highlights some information from this prospectus. It may not contain all the information important to making an investment decision. You should read the following summary together with the more detailed information regarding our company and the securities being sold in this offering, including "Risk Factors" and "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations" and our financial statements and related notes, included elsewhere in this prospectus.

The Company

We are a healthcare company focused on the prevention of breast cancer through the commercialization of diagnostic tests that can detect precursors to breast cancer, and through the research, development, and ultimate commercialization of treatments for pre-cancerous lesions.

Our diagnostic tests consist of patented medical devices cleared by the Food and Drug Administration, or FDA, that can collect fluid samples from the breast milk ducts, where over 95% of breast cancers arise. These samples are processed at our CLIA-registered laboratory, the National Reference Laboratory for Breast Health, which screens the samples for the presence of normal, pre-malignant, or malignant changes as determined by cytopathology and biomarkers that distinguish "usual" ductal hyperplasia, a benign condition, from atypical ductal hyperplasia, which may lead to cancer. These screening results provide patients and physicians with information about the care path that should be followed, depending on the individual risk of future cancer as determined by the results.

Additionally, we are conducting research on the treatment of these pre-cancerous cells by using our patented and FDA-cleared microcatheters to deliver, directly into the milk ducts, anti-cancer drugs that can be used to treat these pre-cancerous lesions. By using this localized delivery method, patients receive high local concentrations of these drugs at the site of the pre-cancerous lesions, potentially promoting efficacy of the treatment while limiting systemic exposure, which has the potential to lower the overall toxicity of these treatments.

We launched our commercial operations in late 2011 and, to date, we have not generated significant revenues from the sale of our products and services. We incurred net operating losses of approximately \$1.1 million and \$2.2 million for our fiscal year ended December 31, 2010 and for the nine months ended September 30, 2011, respectively.

Our Diagnostic Tests

We currently offer two screening tests and plan to offer two additional tests in late 2012 or early 2013. The tests that we currently offer and that are in development consist of the following:

ForeCYTE

The ForeCYTE Breast Health Test, launched in December 2011, provides personalized information about the 10-year and lifetime risk of breast cancer for women between ages 18 and 65. It involves collecting a sample of nipple aspirate fluid, or NAF, using our patented, FDA-cleared *Mammary Aspirate Specimen Cytology Test*, or MASCT, System, analyzing the NAF using a proprietary molecular and cellular biomarker test, and then processing the test results, together with the patient's medical and family history, through a clinically-validated risk assessment algorithm that calculates 10-year and lifetime risk of breast cancer and presents these results in one of three risk tiers developed by The National Comprehensive Cancer Network: Normal (<15% lifetime risk), Intermediate (15-20% lifetime risk), or High (>20% lifetime risk). The ForeCYTE Test results contain recommendations for care paths in each risk group and personalized information so that patients and healthcare providers can make more informed treatment decisions.

ArgusCYTE

The ArgusCYTE Breast Health Test, launched in December 2011, provides information to help inform breast cancer treatment options and to help monitor potential recurrence. It can monitor breast cancer distant recurrence by obtaining a "liquid biopsy" or blood sample, and analyzing it for the presence of circulating tumor cells, which can then be analyzed to determine the expression of Estrogen Receptor/Progesterone Receptor, or ER/PR, and Human Epidermal Growth Factor Receptor, or Her2, in those cells, a predictor of the cancer's sensitivity to existing treatment options. The presence of circulating tumor cells in the blood sample may serve as an early indicator of the recurrence of breast cancer and the data obtained from the ArgusCYTE sensitivity analysis may help physicians better select which treatment options to use with a particular patient.

FullCYTE

The FullCYTE Breast Health Test, which we intend to launch in late 2012 or early 2013, is designed to assess the individual breast ducts for pre-cancerous changes in women previously identified to be at high risk for breast cancer. It involves collecting ductal lavage samples from each of the five to seven individual breast milk ducts using our patented and FDA-cleared Mammary Ductal Microcatheter System and analyzing the samples by genomic interrogation and proprietary laboratory developed tests.

NextCYTE

The NextCYTE Breast Cancer Test, which we intend to launch in late 2012 or early 2013, is designed to profile breast cancer specimens for prediction of treatment outcomes and distant recurrence in women newly diagnosed with breast cancer. It involves using surgery specimens and advanced genome sequencing techniques to quantify and analyze the entire tumor genetic transcriptome, which represents all genes that are being actively expressed within the tumor. We expect that physicians will be able to use the information provided by the NextCYTE test to better customize treatment options for women, based on the genetic composition of the individual tumor.

Intraductal Treatment Research

Our Intraductal Treatment Research Program comprises our patented microcatheter-delivery technology and our patented pharmaceutical formulations for the intraductal treatment of breast pre-cancerous changes, ductal carcinoma in situ, or DCIS, and breast cancers. The method uses our Mammary Ductal Microcatheter System, invented by Dr. Susan Love, President of the Dr. Susan Love Research Foundation, and her colleagues, to administer proprietary pharmaceutical formulations into milk ducts that display pre-cancerous changes, with high local concentrations of the drugs in order to promote greater efficacy and limited systemic exposure, potentially lowering the overall toxicity of the treatment.

An October 2011 peer-reviewed paper published in *Science Translational Medicine* documented a study conducted at the Johns Hopkins Medical School demonstrating the prevention of breast cancer in rats with intraductal non-systemic chemotherapy, and a proof-of-principle Phase 1 clinical trial involving 17 women with breast cancer who subsequently received surgery. An accompanying editorial commented that "intraductal treatment could be especially useful for women with premalignant lesions or those at high risk of developing breast cancer, thus drastically improving upon their other, less attractive options of breast-removal surgery or surveillance (termed 'watch and wait')." We intend to build on these academic studies with a research program targeted initially at neoadjuvant therapy in DCIS and to begin preclinical studies during 2012.

Intellectual Property and FDA Marketing Clearances

As of February 8, 2012, we own more than 120 issued patents (31 in the United States and at least 90 in foreign countries), and 6 pending patent applications (4 in the United States, 1 pending foreign application and 1 pending International Patent Cooperation Treaty (PCT) application) directed to our products, services, and technologies.

Our Founder

Our founder and chief executive officer, Steven C. Quay, M.D., Ph.D., FCAP, invented the MASCT System. Dr. Quay is a board-certified anatomic pathologist who completed both an internship and residency in anatomic pathology at the Massachusetts General Hospital, a Harvard Medical School teaching hospital, and is a former faculty member of the pathology department of Stanford University School of Medicine. He holds 75 U.S. patents and has invented and developed five FDA-approved pharmaceuticals.

Our Commercialization Strategy

The ForeCYTE Test provides us with two revenue sources:

- (i) revenue from the sale of the MASCT System device and patient kits to physicians, breast health clinics, and mammography clinics; and
- (ii) service revenue from the preparation and interpretation of the NAF samples sent to our laboratory for analysis.

The ArgusCYTE test provides only laboratory service revenue.

We offer each component of the MASCT System for sale separately. We currently price our NAF sample collection device at approximately \$250 per device, our patient kits at approximately \$30 per kit, our ForeCYTE Test to federal and/or state health plans at the 2012 Medicare reimbursement rates of between \$384 and \$1,275 per patient, depending on the complexity of the analysis performed. We bill third-party payors at higher rates, as is customary for our industry.

We currently price the ArgusCYTE Test at approximately \$1,500.

In December 2011, we began limited marketing of the ForeCYTE Test to physicians, primarily obstetric-gynecologists, as well as breast health and mammography clinics, for use in conjunction with other health screening examinations, including annual physical examinations and regularly scheduled cervical Pap smears and mammograms. We are establishing relationships with breast cancer centers to provide the ArgusCYTE Test to their patients. We plan to use regional specialty product distributors, with independent sale representatives specializing in women's health, to commercialize the ForeCYTE and ArgusCYTE Tests; however, we currently do not have distributor relationships and we cannot be certain that we will be able to build these relationships to adequately address the regional or national market. As of December 31, 2011 we had four personnel involved in sales.

Risk Factors

Our business is subject to numerous risks as discussed more fully in the section entitled "Risk Factors" beginning on page 6. Principal risks of our business include, but are not limited to, the following:

- · we will need significant additional capital to execute our business strategy as currently contemplated and have not identified significant alternative sources of funding, should this offering be unsuccessful;
- · we have a history of operating losses and expect to incur losses for the foreseeable future and may never achieve profitability;
- The MASCT System and other risk assessment tools, diagnostic tests and other predictive and personalized medicine products that we may develop
 may never achieve significant commercial market acceptance;
- · we are dependent on the commercial success of the MASCT System and the ForeCYTE and ArgusCYTE Tests;
- we may not be successful in commercializing the MASCT System because physicians and clinicians may be slow to adopt our product and even if commercialized the fees we receive for our products and services may be significantly lower than currently expected;
- our ability to commercialize the MASCT System may be limited because Medicare and certain insurance carriers are not expected to provide reimbursement for the NAF sample collections which are necessary for our tests; and
- we may not be able to hire, train or maintain the independent sales representatives and build the distributorship arrangements necessary to market and sell the MASCT System and our services as planned.

Company Information

We were incorporated in Delaware in April 2009. Our principal executive offices are located at 4105 East Madison Street, Suite 320, Seattle, Washington 98112, and our telephone number is (206) 325-6086. Our corporate website is located at *www.atossagenetics.com* and our laboratory website is located at *www.nrlbh.com*. Information contained on, or that can be accessed through, our websites is not a part of this prospectus.

MASCT, Oxy-MASCT, and our name and logo are our trademarks. ForeCYTE, FullCYTE, NextCYTE, and ArgusCYTE are our service marks. This prospectus also includes additional trademarks, trade names and service marks of third parties, which are the property of their respective owners.

Our company name comes from Queen Atossa, daughter of Cyrus the Great and wife of Darius I, the King of the Achaemenid Empire. In about 470 BC, she became the first woman in recorded history to be diagnosed with breast cancer, of which she died.

THE OFFERING

Securities offered by us: 1,000,000 shares of common stock (or 1,150,000 if the underwriters exercise their

overallotment option in full).

Capitalization after the offering: 12,256,867 shares of common stock outstanding after the offering (or 12,406,867 if the

underwriters exercise their overallotment option in full).

Use of proceeds:We intend to use the net proceeds from this offering to expand our cytology and molecular diagnostics laboratory, fund the manufacture of MASCT System units, hire and train sales

and marketing personnel, continue the research and development of the FullCYTE and NextCYTE Tests, support the internal research and development of the Intraductal Treatment

Research Program, and for general corporate purposes. See "Use of Proceeds."

Proposed NASDAQ trading symbol: "ATOS"

The number of shares of our common stock outstanding is based on 11,256,867 shares of common stock outstanding as of September 30, 2011, and excludes 814,000 shares issuable upon the exercise of options outstanding as of September 30, 2011 under our 2010 Stock Option and Incentive Plan, or 2010 Plan, as well as 186,000 shares of common stock reserved for future issuance under our 2010 Plan, in addition to 6,833,840 shares of common stock underlying outstanding warrants with a weighted-average exercise price of \$1.56 per share.

Unless otherwise indicated, all information in this prospectus assumes that the underwriters do not exercise their right to purchase up to 150,000 additional shares to cover overallotments, if any.

SUMMARY FINANCIAL DATA

The following summary financial data should be read together with our financial statements and the related notes and "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations" appearing elsewhere in this prospectus. The summary financial data in this section is not intended to replace our financial statements and the related notes. Our historical results are not necessarily indicative of the results to be expected for any future period.

We were incorporated on April 30, 2009. The following statement of operations data, including share data, for the fiscal years ended December 31, 2009 and 2010 have been derived from our audited financial statements and related notes included elsewhere in this prospectus. The statement of operations data, including share data, for the nine months ended September 30, 2010 and 2011, and the balance sheet data as of September 30, 2011 have been derived from our unaudited financial statements included elsewhere in this prospectus. The unaudited interim financial statements have been prepared on the same basis as the audited financial statements and reflect all adjustments necessary to fairly state our financial position as of September 30, 2011 and results of operations for the nine months ended September 30, 2010 and 2011. The operating results for any period are not necessarily indicative of financial results that may be expected for any future period.

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	 2010		2009		2011		2010
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Statement of Operations Data:							
Operating expenses:							
Research and development	\$ 119,996	\$	21,250	\$	1,065,133	\$	1,306
General and administrative	958,000		101,608		1,166,773		738,251
Other operating income (expense):							
Interest income	455		_		3,428		455
Interest expense	(9,139)		_		(8,388)		(5,129)
Income taxes	250		-		-		125
Net loss	\$ (1,086,930)	\$	(122,858)	\$	(2,236,866)	\$	(744,356)
Net loss per share—basic and diluted	\$ (0.18)		(0.03)	\$	(0.27)	\$	(0.13)
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Weighted-average number of shares outstanding—basic and diluted	5,935,927		4,037,852		8,394,219		5,914,233
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Total assets Total liabilities			4,135 1,398				
Stockholders' equity:			1,398	,09/	\$ 1,398,8	09/	
Stockholders equity.							

The September 30, 2011 as-adjusted balance sheet data reflects the sale of 1,000,000 shares in this offering at an assumed initial public offering price of \$6.00 per share, which is the mid-point of the price range listed on the cover page of this prospectus, after deducting underwriting discounts and commissions of 7%, non-accountable expense reimbursement fee of 3% and estimated offering expenses of approximately \$500,000 payable by us.

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Common Stock, \$0.001 par value, 75,000,000 shares authorized, 11,256,867 shares outstanding, actual, as of September 30, 2011, and 12,256,867 shares outstanding, as-

adjusted, as of September 30, 2011

Total liabilities & stockholders' equity

Additional paid-in capital

Total stockholders' equity

Accumulated deficit

RISK FACTORS

A purchase of our shares of common stock is an investment in our securities and involves a high degree of risk. You should carefully consider the following information about these risks, together with the other information contained in this prospectus, before purchasing our securities. If any of the following risks actually occur, our business, financial condition and results of operations would likely suffer. In that case, the market price of the common stock could decline, and you may lose part or all of your investment in our company.

Risks Relating to our Business

We have only a limited operating history, and, as such, an investor cannot assess our profitability or performance based on past results.

We are a development stage company, with operations beginning in December 2008 around acquiring the MASCT System patent rights and assignments and the FDA clearance for marketing, which was completed in January 2009. We were incorporated in Delaware in April 2009 and our operations to date have consisted primarily of securing manufacturing for the MASCT and the Duct Microcatheter Systems, establishing our CLIA-registered laboratory, validating the Laboratory Developed Tests we use in the ForeCYTE and ArgusCYTE tests, conducting research and development on the FullCYTE and NextCYTE tests, and beginning the commercialization of our products. We will require significant additional capital to achieve our business objectives, and the inability to obtain such financing on acceptable terms or at all could lead to closure of the business.

Our revenue and income potential is uncertain. Any evaluation of our business and prospects must be considered in light of these factors and the risks and uncertainties often encountered by companies in the development stage. Some of these risks and uncertainties include our ability to:

- · execute our business plan and commercialization strategy;
- · work with contract manufacturers to produce the MASCT and Microcatheter Systems in commercial quantities;
- · create brand recognition;
- · respond effectively to competition;
- · manage growth in operations;
- · respond to changes in applicable government regulations and legislation;
- · access additional capital when required;
- \cdot sell our products and service at the prices currently expected; and
- · attract and retain key personnel.

Our independent auditors have issued a report questioning our ability to continue as a going concern.

The report of our independent auditors contained in our financial statements explains that we have not yet established an ongoing source of revenues sufficient to cover operating costs and allow us to continue as a going concern. Our ability to continue as a going concern is dependent on obtaining adequate capital to fund operating losses until we become profitable. If we are unable to obtain adequate capital, we may be unable to expand our product offerings or geographic reach and we could be forced to cease operations.

We will depend on the proceeds from this offering to continue the commercial launch of the ForeCYTE and ArgusCYTE Tests, and we do not have specific plans to obtain funding from alternative sources; if the proceeds from this offering are insufficient, the further commercial launch of our tests may be delayed.

We expect to spend substantial amounts of capital to:

- · launch and commercialize the ForeCYTE and ArgusCYTE Tests, including the manufacture of the device in commercial quantities and building an independent distributor sales force to address certain markets;
- · maintain laboratory facilities for our testing and analytical services, including necessary testing equipment; and
- · continue our research and development activities to advance our product pipeline.

We expect that we will require additional capital beyond the proceeds from this offering to complete our commercialization plans and may need to raise additional funds if we encounter delays or problems in the production of the MASCT System device in commercial quantities, or the establishment of a larger sales force. We have not identified sources for such additional funding and cannot be certain that additional funding will be available on acceptable terms, or at all. If we are unable to raise additional capital in sufficient amounts or on acceptable terms, we may have to significantly delay, scale back or discontinue the commercialization of our products and services or our research and development activities.

Failure to raise additional capital as needed could adversely affect us and our ability to grow.

We will need considerable amounts of capital to develop our business. We may raise funds through public or private equity offerings or debt financings. If we cannot raise funds on acceptable terms when needed, we may be unable to grow or maintain the business. Furthermore, such lack of funds may inhibit our ability to respond to competitive pressures or unanticipated capital needs, or may force us to reduce operating expenses, which could significantly harm the business and development of operations. Because our independent auditors have expressed doubt as to our ability to continue as a "going concern," as reported in their report on our financial statements, our ability to raise capital may be severely hampered. Similarly, our ability to borrow any such capital may be more expensive and difficult to obtain until this "going concern" issue is eliminated.

We have a history of operating losses and expect to continue to incur losses in the future.

We have a limited operating history and have incurred total net operating losses of approximately \$3.4 million from our incorporation in April 2009 through September 30, 2011. We have received only minimal revenue to date and we do not expect that we will be in a position to generate significant revenue until we are able to launch our tests more broadly. Additionally, we will continue to incur further losses in connection with inventory costs for our medical test products, marketing and sales expenses in launching our products and services, research and development costs for additional tests, and the maintenance of our CLIA-registered laboratory. Accordingly, we may never achieve profitability.

Raising funds by issuing equity or debt securities could dilute the value of the common stock and impose restrictions on our working capital.

If we were to raise additional capital by issuing equity securities, the value of the then outstanding common stock would be reduced, unless the additional equity securities were issued at a price equal to or greater than the market value of the common stock at the time of issuance of the new securities. If the additional equity securities were issued at a per share price less than the per share value of the outstanding shares, then all of the outstanding shares would suffer a dilution in value with the issuance of such additional shares. Further, the issuance of debt securities in order to obtain additional funds may impose restrictions on our operations and may impair our working capital as we service any such debt obligations.

$The \ products \ and \ services \ that \ we \ have \ developed \ or \ may \ develop \ may \ never \ achieve \ significant \ commercial \ market \ acceptance.$

We may not succeed in achieving commercial market acceptance of any of our products and services. In order to market the MASCT System and to gain market acceptance for the MASCT System and our ForeCYTE and ArgusCYTE Tests, we will need to demonstrate to physicians and other healthcare professionals the benefits of the MASCT System and its practical and economic application for their particular practice. Despite FDA clearance for the MASCT System, many physicians and healthcare professionals may be hesitant to introduce new services, or techniques, into their practice for many reasons, including the learning curve associated with the adoption of such new services or techniques into already established procedures and the uncertainty of the applicability or reliability of the results of a new product. In addition, the availability of full or even partial payment for our products and tests, whether by third-party payors (e.g., insurance companies), or the patients themselves, will likely heavily influence physicians' decisions to recommend or use our products and services.

We may encounter difficulties in operating or maintaining our laboratory facility, which could cause delays and unexpected problems.

We have established the CLIA-registered National Reference Laboratory for Breast Health as a wholly-owned subsidiary and we rely on this physical facility in Seattle, Washington for the testing of patient samples. Our facility has received California State, Washington State, and federal CLIA certification. However, our management team does not have significant prior experience with establishing and managing this type of laboratory facility. In addition, certain pieces of laboratory equipment required for the performance of our testing and analytical services may be difficult and costly to replace, and may require significant replacement lead-time. In the event that we are unable to maintain the laboratory facility in good working order, or if such laboratory or equipment is adversely affected by periodic malfunctions or man-made or natural disasters, then we may be unable to conduct business and meet potential customer demands for a significant period of time, which could negatively affect revenue and our long-term prospects.

The loss of the services of our Chief Executive Officer could adversely affect our business.

Our success is dependent in large part upon the ability to execute our business plan, manufacture the MASCT System, maintain our clinical and diagnostic laboratory, and attract and retain highly skilled professional, sales and marketing personnel. In particular, due to the relatively early stage of our business, our future success is highly dependent on the services of Steven C. Quay, our Chief Executive Officer and founder, who provides much of the necessary experience to execute our business plan. We do not currently maintain "key man" insurance with respect to Dr. Quay. The loss of his services for any reason could impede our ability to achieve our objectives, such as the commercialization of the MASCT System and the development of a core of healthcare professionals who use the MASCT System, particularly initially, as we seek to build a reputation among physicians and clinicians.

We may experience difficulty in locating, attracting, and retaining experienced and qualified personnel, which could adversely affect our business.

We will need to attract, retain, and motivate experienced anatomic pathologists, cytologists, histotechnologists, skilled laboratory and information technology staff, experienced sales representatives, and other personnel, particularly in the Greater Seattle area as we expand our commercialization activities. These employees may not be available in this geographic region. In addition, competition for these employees is intense and recruiting and retaining skilled employees is difficult, particularly for a development-stage organization such as ours. If we are unable to attract and retain qualified personnel, revenues and earnings may be adversely affected.

We have no prior experience with commercializing any products or services, and will need to establish a sophisticated sales and marketing effort in order to be successful.

We intend to build a network of regional, specialty distributors, each with a staff of independent sales representatives with experience in women's health products to target physicians and mammography clinics in the United States. Marketing our products to physicians and healthcare professionals will require us to educate such professionals on the comparative advantages of our products over other methods currently used for the detection and diagnosis of breast cancer. Experienced independent sales representatives may be difficult to locate and all sales representatives will need to undergo extensive training. We will need to incur significant costs to build, train, supervise and effectively deploy this independent sales force. We cannot be certain that we will be able to recruit sufficiently skilled sales representatives or that any new sales representatives will ultimately become productive. Independent sales representatives may carry competing products or products that provide a better financial return to them and therefore may not emphasize our products. If we are unable to recruit, train and retain qualified and productive independent sales personnel, our ability to successfully commercialize our products and services will be impaired.

We use third-party suppliers for the production of the MASCT and Microcatheter System in commercial quantities and the loss of such suppliers could adversely affect our business.

We rely on third-party suppliers for the continued manufacture and supply of the MASCT and Microcatheter Systems, NAF collection device and patient collection kits and for the laboratory instruments, equipment, consumable supplies, and other materials necessary to perform the specialized diagnostic tests. We currently source the NAF collection device, patient collection kits and Microcatheter Systems from sole suppliers. If our third-party suppliers cannot produce the MASCT device, patient collection kits or Microcatheter System in quantities sufficient for our commercial needs on acceptable terms, or at all, we will be unable to commercialize our products and services and generate revenues from their sales as planned. In addition, if at any time after commercialization of our products, we are unable to secure essential equipment or supplies in a timely, reliable and cost-effective manner, we could experience disruptions in our services that could adversely affect anticipated results.

Currently Medicare and certain insurance carriers will not reimburse for the NAF collection procedure, which could slow or limit adoption of the MASCT System or prevent us from pricing the MASCT System at desired levels.

The Halo® Breast Pap Test, an NAF collection device similar to the MASCT System, is being marketed by Neomatrix LLC, or Neomatrix, of Irvine, California (Neomatrix owns the registered trademark Halo®). Certain insurance carriers do not currently reimburse for the HALO System procedures. For example, in September 2010, United Healthcare published a policy statement indicating that it would not cover the costs of these procedures because it believes there is insufficient clinical evidence to support medical efficacy, based on its conclusion that there is inadequate clinical evidence that automated nipple aspiration either allows for better clinical decision-making or reduces breast cancer mortality. United Healthcare also recommended further studies to determine the efficacy of cytological examination of ductal fluid in detecting atypical cells to identify women at increased risk of breast cancer, as well as comparisons of the results to established methods of detecting and diagnosing breast cancer. Similarly, Medicare does not currently reimburse for the NAF collection procedure. Lack of Medicare or insurance coverage will require patients to bear the full costs of the NAF sample acquisition process used with the MASCT System. As a result, and particularly in light of healthcare reform and cost-containment initiatives being undertaken widely across the United States, physicians and other healthcare professionals may be slow to adopt the MASCT System and may not recommend its use in patients. We may be forced to reduce the price of the MASCT System components in response to low demand or to provide discounted pricing arrangements in order to secure contracts, or may not be able to sell the product and services components of the MASCT System at acceptable margins, which would severely limit our ability to generate revenues.

Our intended business to sell predictive medical products may expose us to possible litigation and product liability claims.

Our business may expose us to potential product liability risks from the MASCT System, ForeCYTE Test, and/or ArgusCYTE Test inherent in the testing, marketing and processing of predictive, or personalized medical products. Product liability risks may arise from, but are not limited to:

- the inability of the MASCT System to extract a sufficient NAF sample from the breast, which may lead to an NAF sample size that is inadequate for proper processing at our laboratory and insufficient for screening, which could lead to an inaccurate assessment of the health of the patient;
- · failure by healthcare professionals to properly safeguard NAF samples collected using the MASCT System;
- the potential loss, mislabeling or misplacement of NAF sample shipments and test kits;
- the MASCT System is a manually operated device, and, as a result, human error may result in improper collection of NAF or application of the MASCT System;
- · inadequate cleaning of the collection pump between patients resulting in mixing of NAF samples from two patients or NAF samples attributed to the wrong patient;
- · improper fitting of the MASCT System device to the breast; and
- · inadequate cleaning of the breast prior to applying the MASCT System.

The ArgusCYTE Test must be run on fresh blood and improper storage conditions following drawing from the patient could lead to a missed diagnosis.

A successful product liability claim, or the costs and time commitment involved in defending against a product liability claim, could have a material adverse effect on our business. Any successful product liability claim may prevent us from obtaining adequate product liability insurance in the future on commercially desirable or reasonable terms. An inability to obtain sufficient insurance coverage at an acceptable cost, or otherwise, to protect against potential product liability claims could prevent or inhibit the commercialization of our products.

Our laboratory activities, including the analysis and reading of the NAF tests could expose us to possible litigation based on malpractice, data aggregation errors, or misdiagnoses.

Through a wholly-owned subsidiary, we operate a CLIA-certified laboratory to analyze patient samples and to report the results to referring healthcare professionals, researchers and potential collaborators worldwide. We or our subsidiary may be subject to claims by an affected patient, healthcare provider, researcher or collaborator if laboratory personnel make any of the following mistakes, by way of example:

- · errors in the analysis of the tests;
- · incorrect aggregation, categorization or labeling of data;
- · improper, incorrect or inaccurate development of a computer database which categorizes, analyzes, or compares test data; or
- · misinterpretation of the results of the test or collected data.

We maintain insurance to protect against such suits, but we cannot be certain that the insurance will be sufficient to cover potential damages, or that it will be cost-effective for us to maintain such a policy. Any adverse outcome against us could involve significant monetary judgments and could severely impact our financial resources and would be expected to impair our ability in the future to obtain malpractice, or other insurance, for our laboratory services.

If our patents do not adequately protect our products, others could compete with us more directly, which would adversely affect our business.

Our commercial success will depend in part on our ability to obtain new patents and enforce existing patents, as well as our ability to maintain adequate protection of other intellectual property for our technologies and products in the United States and abroad. If we do not adequately protect our intellectual property, competitors may be able to use our technologies and erode or negate any competitive advantage we may otherwise have, which could adversely affect its business, negatively affect its position in the marketplace and limit its ability to commercialize its products. The laws of some foreign countries do not protect our proprietary rights to the same extent as the laws of the United States, and we may encounter significant problems in protecting our proprietary rights in these countries.

The patent positions of diagnostic, medical device, and pharmaceutical companies, including ours, involve complex legal and factual questions, and, therefore, validity and enforceability cannot be predicted with certainty, nor can we be certain that we are not infringing the patents of others. Our patents may be challenged, deemed unenforceable, invalidated or circumvented. We will be able to protect our proprietary rights from unauthorized use by third parties only to the extent that our proprietary technologies, existing products and any future products are covered by valid and enforceable patents or are effectively maintained as trade secrets, and we are willing and have the necessary resources to take enforcement action against such unauthorized use by third parties.

The degree of future protection for our proprietary rights is uncertain, and we cannot ensure that:

- · we were the first to make the inventions covered by each of our patents and pending patent applications;
- · we were the first to file patent applications for these inventions;
- $\cdot \quad \text{others will not independently develop similar, or alternative technologies, or duplicate any of our technologies;} \\$
- · any of our pending patent applications will result in issued patents;
- $\cdot \quad$ any of our issued patents will be valid or enforceable;
- any patents issued to us will provide a basis for commercially viable products, will provide us with any competitive advantages or will not be challenged by third parties;
- · we will develop additional proprietary technologies or products that are patentable; or
- · the patents of others will not have an adverse effect on our business.

We may be unable to adequately prevent disclosure of trade secrets and other proprietary information.

We rely on trade secrets to protect our proprietary know-how and technological advances, particularly where we do not believe patent protection is appropriate or obtainable. However, trade secrets are difficult to protect. We rely in part on confidentiality agreements with our employees, consultants, outside scientific collaborators and other advisors to protect our trade secrets and other proprietary information. These agreements may not effectively prevent disclosure of confidential information and may not provide an adequate remedy in the event of unauthorized disclosure of confidential information. In addition, others may independently discover our trade secrets and proprietary information. Costly and time-consuming litigation could be necessary to enforce and determine the scope of our proprietary rights. Failure to obtain, or maintain, trade secret protection could enable competitors to use our proprietary information to develop products that compete with our products or cause additional, material adverse effects upon our competitive business position.

Our current patent portfolio may not include all patent rights needed for the full development and commercialization of our products. We cannot be sure that patent rights we may need in the future will be available for license on commercially reasonable terms, or at all.

Although our patents may prevent others from making, using or selling similar products, they do not ensure that we will not infringe the patent rights of third parties. We may not be aware of all patents or patent applications that may impact our ability to make, use or sell our products or services. Furthermore, we may not be aware of published or granted conflicting patent rights. Any conflicts resulting from patent applications and patents of others could significantly reduce the coverage of our patents and limit our ability to obtain meaningful patent protection. If others obtain patents with conflicting claims, we may need to obtain licenses to these patents or to develop or obtain alternative technology.

We may be unable to obtain any licenses or other rights to patents, technology or know-how from third parties necessary to conduct our business as described in this prospectus and such licenses, if available at all, may not be available on commercially reasonable terms. Any failure to obtain such licenses could delay or prevent us from developing or commercializing our proposed products and services, which would harm our business. Litigation or patent interference proceedings need to be brought against third parties, as discussed below, to enforce any of our patents or other proprietary rights, or to determine the scope and validity or enforceability of the proprietary rights of such third parties.

Litigation regarding patents, patent applications and other proprietary rights may be expensive and time consuming. If we are involved in such litigation, we could be delayed in bringing product or service candidates to market and our ability to operate could be harmed.

Our commercial success will depend in part on our ability to manufacture, use and sell products and services without infringing patents or other proprietary rights of third parties. Third parties may challenge or infringe upon our, or our licensors', existing or future patents. Although we are not currently aware of any pending or actual litigation, or other proceedings, or third-party claims of intellectual property infringement related to the MASCT System, the Mammary Ductal Microcatheter System or other product candidates, the medical device and diagnostic industry is characterized by extensive litigation regarding patents and other intellectual property rights. Other parties may obtain patents in the future and allege that the use of our technologies infringes these patent claims or that it is employing their proprietary technology without authorization.

Legal proceedings involving our patents or patent applications, or those of others, could result in adverse decisions regarding the patentability of our inventions relating to our products or the enforceability, validity or scope of protection offered by our patents.

Even if we are successful in proceedings involving our intellectual property rights or those of others, we may incur substantial costs and divert management time and attention in pursuing these proceedings. If we are unable to avoid infringing the patent rights of others, we may be required to seek a license, defend an infringement action, or challenge the validity of the patents in court. Patent litigation is costly and time-consuming and we may not have sufficient resources to bring enforcement actions to a successful conclusion. In addition, if we do not obtain a license, develop or obtain non-infringing technology, fail to defend an infringement action successfully or have infringed patents declared invalid, we may incur substantial monetary damages, encounter significant delays in bringing our product candidates to market, or be precluded from participating in the manufacture, use or sale of our products or product candidates or methods of treatment requiring licenses.

Risks Related to our Industry

Our inadvertent or unintentional failure to comply with the complex government regulations concerning privacy of medical records could subject us to fines and adversely affect our reputation.

The federal privacy regulations, among other things, restrict our ability to use or disclose protected health information in the form of patient-identifiable laboratory data, without written patient authorization, for purposes other than payment, treatment, or healthcare operations (as defined under the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act, or HIPAA) except for disclosures for various public policy purposes and other permitted purposes outlined in the privacy regulations. The privacy regulations provide for significant fines and other penalties for wrongful use or disclosure of protected health information, including potential civil and criminal fines and penalties. Although the HIPAA statute and regulations do not expressly provide for a private right of damages, we could incur damages under state laws to private parties for the wrongful use or disclosure of confidential health information or other private personal information.

We intend to implement policies and practices that we believe will make us compliant with the privacy regulations. However, the documentation and process requirements of the privacy regulations are complex and subject to interpretation. Failure to comply with the privacy regulations could subject us to sanctions or penalties, loss of business, and negative publicity.

The HIPAA privacy regulations establish a "floor" of minimum protection for patients as to their medical information and do not supersede state laws that are more stringent. Therefore, we are required to comply with both HIPAA privacy regulations and various state privacy laws. The failure to do so could subject us to regulatory actions, including significant fines or penalties, and to private actions by patients, as well as to adverse publicity and possible loss of business. In addition, federal and state laws and judicial decisions provide individuals with various rights for violation of the privacy of their medical information by healthcare providers such as us.

Changes in regulations, policies, or payor mix may adversely affect reimbursement for laboratory services and could have a material adverse impact on our revenues and profitability.

Most of our services will be billed to a party other than the physician who ordered the test. Reimbursement levels for healthcare services are subject to continuous and often unexpected changes in policies. Changes in governmental and third-party reimbursement rates and policies may result from statutory and regulatory changes, retroactive rate adjustments, administrative rulings, competitive bidding initiatives, and other policy changes. Uncertainty also exists as to the coverage and reimbursement status of new services. Government payors and insurance companies have increased their efforts to control the cost, utilization, and delivery of healthcare services. For example, at least yearly, Congress has considered and enacted changes in the Medicare fee schedule in conjunction with budgetary legislation. Further reductions of reimbursement for Medicare services or changes in policy regarding coverage of tests may be implemented from time to time. The payment amounts under the Medicare fee schedules are often used as a reference for the payment amounts set by other third-party payors. As a result, a reduction in Medicare reimbursement rates could result in a corresponding reduction in the reimbursements we may receive from such third-party payors. Changes in test coverage policies of other third-party payors may also occur. Such reimbursement and coverage changes in the past have resulted in reduced prices, added costs and reduced accession volume, and have imposed more complex regulatory and administrative burdens. Further changes in federal, state, and local third-party payor laws, regulations, or policies may have a material adverse impact on our business.

Failure to participate as a provider with payors, or operating as a non-contracting provider, could have a material adverse effect on revenues.

The healthcare industry has experienced a trend of consolidation among healthcare insurers, resulting in fewer but larger insurers with significant bargaining power in negotiating fee arrangements with healthcare providers, including laboratories. Managed care providers often restrict their contracts to a small number of laboratories that may be used for tests ordered by physicians in the managed care provider's network. We currently do not have any managed care provider contracts and there can be no assurance any contracts will be established. If we do not have a contract with a managed care provider, we may be unable to gain those physicians as clients. In cases in which it will contract with a specified insurance company as a participating provider, it will be considered "in-network," and the reimbursement of third-party payments is governed by contractual relationships. Our in-network services will be primarily negotiated on a fee-for-service basis at a discount from our patient fee schedule, which could result in price erosion that would adversely affect revenues. Our failure to obtain managed care contracts, or participate in new managed care networks, could adversely affect revenues and profitability. In cases in which we do not have a contractual relationship with an insurance company, or are not an approved provider for a government program, we will have no contractual right to collect for services and such payors may refuse to reimburse us for services, which could lead to a decrease in accession volume and a corresponding decrease in revenues. As an out-of-network provider, reductions in reimbursement rates for non-participating providers could also adversely affect us. Third-party payors, with whom we do not participate as a contracted provider, may also require that we enter into contracts, which may have pricing and other terms that are materially less favorable than the terms under which we intend to operate. While accession volume may increase as a result of these contracts, revenues per accessi

Use of our laboratory services as a non-participating provider is also expected to result in greater co-payments for the patient, unless we elect to treat patients as if we were a participating provider in accordance with applicable law. Treating such patients as if we were a participating provider may adversely impact results of operations because we may be unable to collect patient co-payments and deductibles. In some states, applicable law prohibits us from treating these patients as if we were a participating provider. As a result, referring physicians may avoid use of our services, which could result in a decrease in accession volume and adversely affect revenues.

Changes in FDA policies regarding the "home brew" exception from FDA review for laboratory-developed tests and reagents could adversely affect our business and results of operations.

Laboratory diagnostic tests developed and validated by a laboratory for its own use, also known as laboratory developed tests, which are referred to as LDTs or "home brew" tests, are subject to regulation under the federal Food, Drug and Cosmetic Act, or FDCA. To date, the FDA has decided, as a matter of enforcement discretion, not to exercise its authority with respect to most "home brew" tests performed by high complexity laboratories certified under CLIA, which is the type of laboratory that we have established. In addition, manufacturers and suppliers of analyte specific reagents, or ASRs, which we may utilize in our LDTs, are required to register with the FDA, conform manufacturing operations to the FDA's Quality System Regulation, or QSR, and comply with certain reporting and other record keeping requirements. The FDA regularly considers the application of additional regulatory controls over the development and use of LDTs by laboratories. It is possible that the FDA will require premarket notification or approval for LDT diagnostic tests that we may develop and perform in the future. The FDA held public hearings in the third quarter of 2010 to discuss how it will oversee LDTs. No definitive recommendations or findings have yet come from these hearings, but it is likely that the FDA will impose additional or new regulations affecting LDTs, including requiring premarket notification or approval for these tests. Any premarket notification or approval requirements could restrict or delay our ability to provide specialized diagnostic services and may adversely affect our business. FDA regulation of LDTs, or increased regulation of the various medical devices used in laboratory-developed testing, could increase the regulatory burden and generate additional costs and delays in introducing new tests.

The failure to comply with complex federal and state laws and regulations related to submission of claims for services could result in significant monetary damages and penalties and exclusion from the Medicare and Medicaid programs.

If we are successful in obtaining reimbursement from government healthcare programs, we will be subject to extensive federal and state laws and regulations relating to the submission of claims for payment for services, including those that relate to coverage of services under Medicare, Medicaid, and other governmental healthcare programs, the amounts that may be billed for services, and to whom claims for services may be submitted, such as billing Medicare as the secondary, rather than the primary, payor. The failure to comply with applicable laws and regulations, for example, enrollment in PECOS, the Medicare Provider Enrollment, Chain and Ownership System, could result in our inability to receive payment for our services or attempts by third-party payors, such as Medicare and Medicaid, to recover payments from us that we have already received. Submission of claims in violation of certain statutory or regulatory requirements can result in penalties, including civil money penalties of up to \$10,000 for each item or service billed to Medicare in violation of the legal requirement, and exclusion from participation in Medicare and Medicaid. Government authorities may also assert that violations of laws and regulations related to submission of claims violate the federal False Claims Act or other laws related to fraud and abuse, including submission of claims for services that were not medically necessary. The Company will be generally dependent on independent physicians to determine when its services are medically necessary for a particular patient. Nevertheless, we could be adversely affected if it was determined that the services we provided were not medically necessary and not reimbursable, particularly if it were asserted that we contributed to the physician's referrals of unnecessary services. It is also possible that the government could attempt to hold us liable under fraud and abuse laws for improper claims submitted by us if it were found that we knowingly participated in the arrangement that resulted in s

Our business is subject to rapid technological innovation, and the development by third parties of new or improved diagnostic testing technologies or information technology systems could have a material adverse effect on our business.

The anatomic pathology industry is characterized by rapid changes in technology, frequent introductions of new diagnostic tests, and evolving industry standards and client demands for new diagnostic technologies. Advances in technology may result in the development of more point-of-care testing equipment that can be operated by physicians or other healthcare providers in their offices, or by patients themselves, without the services of freestanding laboratories and pathologists, thereby reducing demand for our services. In addition, advances in technology may result in the creation of enhanced diagnostic tools that enable other laboratories, hospitals, physicians, patients, or third parties to provide specialized laboratory services superior to ours, or that are more patient-friendly, efficient, or cost-effective. Our success depends in part upon our ability to acquire or license on favorable terms or develop new and improved technologies for early diagnosis before its competitors and to obtain appropriate reimbursement for diagnostic tests using these technologies. Introduction of prophylactic treatments or cures for breast cancer could substantially reduce or eliminate demand for our services.

Risks Related to This Offering, the Securities Markets and Investment in our Securities

There has been no prior public market for our common stock and the lack of such a market may make resale of our stock difficult.

No prior public market has existed for our common stock and we cannot assure any investor that an active trading market will develop following this offering. We intend to apply for listing of our common stock on the NASDAQ Capital Market. However, we do not know whether an active trading market for our common stock will ever develop or continue, particularly in light of the relatively small size of this offering. If a public trading market does not develop, you may have difficulty selling your common stock.

The ownership of our common stock is concentrated among a small number of stockholders, and if our principal stockholders, directors and officers choose to act together, they may be able to significantly influence management and operations, which may prevent us from taking actions that may be favorable to you.

Our ownership is concentrated among a small number of stockholders, including our founders, directors, officers and entities related to these persons. Following the completion of this offering, our directors, officers and entities affiliated with them will beneficially own over 35% of our outstanding voting securities. Accordingly, these stockholders, acting together, will have the ability to exert substantial influence over all matters requiring approval by our stockholders, including the election and removal of directors and any proposed merger, consolidation or sale of all or substantially all of our assets. This concentration of ownership could have the effect of delaying, deferring or preventing a change in control of the Company or impeding a merger or consolidation, takeover or other business combination that could be favorable to you.

Anti-takeover provisions in our charter documents and Delaware law could delay or prevent a change in control which could limit the market price of the our common stock and could prevent or frustrate attempts by the our stockholders to replace or remove current management and the current Board of Directors.

Our amended and restated certificate of incorporation and amended and restated bylaws, which will become effective upon the completion of this offering, contain provisions that could delay or prevent a change in control or changes in our Board of Directors that our stockholders might consider favorable. These provisions include the establishment of a staggered Board of Directors, which divides the board into three classes, with directors in each class serving staggered three-year terms. The existence of a staggered board can make it more difficult for a third party to effect a takeover of our company if the incumbent board does not support the transaction. For more information about these anti-takeover provisions as well as anti-takeover provisions under the Delaware General Corporation Law, please see "Description of Securities—Anti-Takeover Devices." These and other provisions in our corporate documents and Delaware law might discourage, delay or prevent a change in control or changes in the Board of Directors of the Company. These provisions could also discourage proxy contests and make it more difficult for an investor and other stockholders to elect directors not nominated by our Board. Furthermore, the existence of these provisions, together with certain provisions of Delaware law, might hinder or delay an attempted takeover other than through negotiations with the Board of Directors.

We do not expect to pay dividends in the future, which means that investors may not be able to realize the value of their shares except through a sale.

We have never, and do not anticipate that we will, declare or pay a cash dividend. We expect to retain future earnings, if any, for our business and do not anticipate paying dividends on common stock at any time in the foreseeable future. Because we do not anticipate paying dividends in the future, the only opportunity for our stockholders to realize the creation of value in our common stock will likely be through a sale of those shares.

FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS

This prospectus contains, in addition to historical information, certain information, assumptions and discussions that may constitute forward-looking statements. These statements are subject to certain risks and uncertainties, which could cause actual results to differ materially from those projected or anticipated. Although we believe our assumptions underlying our forward-looking statements are reasonable as of the date of this prospectus, we cannot assure you that the forward-looking statements set out in this prospectus will prove to be accurate. We typically identify these forward-looking statements by the use of forward-looking words such as "expect," "potential," "continue," "may," "will," "should," "could," "would," "seek," "intend," "plan," "estimate," "anticipate" or the negative version of those words or other comparable words. Forward-looking statements contained in this prospectus include, but are not limited to, statements about:

- · our ability to successfully sell our products and services at currently expected prices or otherwise at prices acceptable to us;
- · our ability to successfully develop and commercialize new tests and technologies currently in development and in the time frames currently expected;
- · our ability to engage third-party suppliers to manufacture the MASCT or Microcatheter System and its components at quantities and costs acceptable to us;
- · our ability to satisfy ongoing FDA requirements for the MASCT and Microcatheter System and to obtain regulatory approvals for our other products and services in development;
- the benefits and clinical accuracy of the ForeCYTE and ArgusCYTE Tests and whether any product or service that we commercialize is safer or more effective than competing products and services;
- · our ability to establish and maintain intellectual property rights covering our products and services;
- · the willingness of health insurance companies and other third-party payors to approve our products and services for coverage and reimbursement;
- · our ability to establish and maintain an independent sales representative force to market our products and services that we may develop, both regionally and nationally;
- · our expectations regarding, and our ability to satisfy, federal, state and foreign regulatory requirements;
- the accuracy of our estimates of the size and characteristics of the markets that our products and services may address;
- · our expectations as to future financial performance, expense levels and liquidity sources; and
- · our ability to attract and retain key personnel.

This prospectus also contains estimates and other statistical data provided by independent parties and by us relating to market size and growth and other industry data. These and other forward-looking statements made in this prospectus are presented as of the date on which the statements are made. We have included important factors in the cautionary statements included in this prospectus, particularly in the section entitled "Risk Factors," that we believe could cause actual results or events to differ materially from the forward-looking statements that we make. Our forward-looking statements do not reflect the potential impact of any new information, future events or circumstances that may affect our business after the date of this prospectus. Except as required by law, we do not intend to update any forward-looking statements after the date on which the statement is made, whether as a result of new information, future events or circumstances or otherwise.

USE OF PROCEEDS

We estimate that the net proceeds of the sale of the shares that we are offering will be approximately \$4.9 million, or approximately \$5.7 million if the underwriters exercise their over-allotment option in full, assuming an initial public offering price of \$6.00 per share, which is the midpoint of the range listed on the cover page of this prospectus, and after deducting estimated underwriting discounts and commissions, underwriter non-accountable expense reimbursement fee, other underwriter expense reimbursement obligations and estimated offering expenses that we must pay.

A \$1.00 increase (decrease) in the assumed initial public offering price of \$6.00 per share would increase (decrease) the net proceeds to us from this offering by approximately \$900,000, assuming the number of shares offered by us, as set forth on the cover page of this prospectus, remains the same and after deducting estimated underwriting discounts and commissions and estimated offering expenses payable by us.

The principal purposes of this offering are to obtain additional working capital to fund anticipated operating expenses, establish a public market for our common stock and facilitate future access to the public capital markets. We estimate that we will use the net proceeds from this offering primarily for the following purposes:

- · up to approximately \$500,000 of these net proceeds to expand our cytology and molecular diagnostics laboratory;
- · up to approximately \$500,000 of these net proceeds to fund manufacture of a number of MASCT System units needed to launch the MASCT System across the United States as our initial national roll-out of the product;
- up to approximately \$1,500,000 of these net proceeds to hire and train sales and marketing personnel for initial regional marketing and subsequent national distribution;
- · up to approximately \$1,000,000 of these net proceeds to develop and commence manufacturing and commercialization of the FullCYTE Test;
- · up to approximately \$1,000,000 of these net proceeds to develop and commercialize the NextCYTE Test; and
- the remaining net proceeds for the research and development of Intraductal Treatment Programs and for general working capital purposes.

Although we currently anticipate that we will use the net proceeds as described above, there may be circumstances in which a reallocation of funds may be necessary, or the proceeds may not be sufficient to achieve our business goals as currently planned.

A portion of the net proceeds may be used to acquire or invest in complementary businesses, technologies, services or products in the event that we identify opportunities for such acquisitions, or investments that we believe are in the best interests of our stockholders. We have no current plans, agreements or commitments with respect to any such acquisition or investment, and we are not currently engaged in any negotiations with respect to any such transaction.

Management will retain broad discretion in the allocation of the net proceeds of this offering. An investor will not have the opportunity to evaluate the economic, financial or other information on which we base our decisions on how to use the proceeds.

DIVIDEND POLICY

The Company does not anticipate that it will declare dividends in the foreseeable future, but rather intends to retain any future earnings for the development of the business. Payment of future cash dividends, if any, will be at the discretion of the Board of Directors of the Company after taking into account various factors, including the Company's financial condition, operating results, current and anticipated cash needs, outstanding indebtedness and plans for expansion and restrictions imposed by lenders, if any.

CAPITALIZATION

The following table sets forth our capitalization as of September 30, 2011 on:

- · an actual basis; and
- an as-adjusted basis to reflect the receipt of the net proceeds from the sale of common stock in this offering at an assumed initial public offering price of \$6.00 per share, which is the midpoint of the range set forth on the cover page of this prospectus, after deducting the estimated underwriting discounts and commissions, the underwriters' non-accountable expense reimbursement fee and estimated offering expenses.

A potential investor should read this capitalization table together with the financial statements and the related notes appearing elsewhere in this prospectus, as well as "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations" and other financial information included in this prospectus.

	As of September 30, 2011			, 2011
	Actual As-Adjust			s-Adjusted
	(unaudited)			
Common Stock, \$0.001 par value, 75,000,000 shares authorized and 11,256,867 and 12,256,867 shares				
outstanding, actual and as-adjusted, respectively (1)	\$	11,257	\$	12,257
Additional paid-in capital		6,171,752		11,070,752
Accumulated deficit		(3,446,653)		(3,446,653)
Total stockholders' equity	\$	2,736,356	\$	7,636,356

(1) The number of shares of our common stock outstanding is based on 11,256,867 shares of common stock outstanding as of September 30, 2011, and excludes 814,000 shares issuable upon the exercise of options outstanding as of September 30, 2011 under our 2010 Plan, as well as 186,000 shares of common stock reserved for future issuance under our 2010 Plan, in addition to 6,833,840 shares of common stock underlying outstanding warrants with a weighted-average exercise price of \$1.56 per share.

DILUTION

Our net tangible book value as of September 30, 2011 was \$2,691,856, or \$0.24 per share of common stock. Net tangible book value per share represents the amount of our total tangible assets less our total liabilities, divided by the number of shares of common stock outstanding as of September 30, 2011. After giving effect to the sale by us of 1,000,000 shares of common stock being sold in this offering at an assumed initial public offering price of \$6.00 per share, which is the midpoint of the range listed on the cover page of this prospectus, and after deducting the 7% estimated underwriting discounts and commissions, the 3% non-accountable expense reimbursement fee, underwriter expense reimbursement obligations and estimated offering expenses payable by us, our pro forma net tangible book value as of September 30, 2011 would have been approximately \$7.6 million, or approximately \$0.62 per share. This amount represents an immediate increase in net tangible book value of \$0.38 per share to our existing stockholders and an immediate dilution in net tangible book value of approximately \$5.38 per share to new investors.

The following table illustrates this hypothetical per-share dilution:

Assumed initial public offering price		\$ 6.00
Net tangible book value per share as of September 30, 2011	\$ 0.24	
Increase in net tangible book value per share attributed to new investors purchasing shares in this offering	0.38	
As-adjusted net tangible book value per share after this offering		0.62
Dilution per share to new investors		\$ (5.38)

A \$1.00 increase (decrease) in the assumed initial public offering price of \$6.00 per share would increase (decrease) our adjusted net tangible book value per share after this offering by approximately \$0.07 and would increase (decrease) dilution per share to new investors by approximately \$0.93, assuming that the number of shares offered by us, as set forth on the cover page of this prospectus, remains the same and after deducting estimated underwriting discounts and commissions and estimated offering expenses payable by us. In addition, to the extent any outstanding options or warrants are exercised, you will experience further dilution.

The following table summarizes, as of September 30, 2011, the number of shares purchased from us, the total consideration paid or to be paid to us, and the average price per share paid or to be paid to us by existing stockholders and new investors purchasing a total of 1,000,000 shares of our common stock at an assumed offering price of \$6.00 per share, which is the midpoint of the price range listed on the cover page of this prospectus.

	Shares Pu	rchased	Total Consideration		Average	
	Number	Percent	Amount	Percent	Price Per Share	
Existing stockholders	11,256,867	91.8%	\$ 6,898,540	53.5%	\$ 0.61	
New investors	1,000,000	8.2%	6,000,000	46.5%	6.00	
Total	12,256,867	100%	\$ 12,898,540	100%	\$ 1.05	

A \$1.00 increase (decrease) in the assumed initial public offering price of \$6.00 per share would increase (decrease) the total consideration paid by new investors by \$900,000 and increase (decrease) the percent of total consideration paid by new investors by 3.90% assuming that the number of shares offered by us, as set forth on the cover of this prospectus, remains the same and after deducting estimated underwriting discounts and commissions, underwriter expense reimbursement obligations and estimated offering expenses payable by us.

Assuming the underwriters' over-allotment option is not exercised, sales by us in this offering will reduce the percentage of shares held by existing stockholders to approximately 91.8% and will increase the number of shares held by our new investors to approximately 1,000,000, or 8.2%.

The number of shares of our common stock to be outstanding after this offering is based on 11,256,867 shares of our common stock outstanding as of September 30, 2011 and excludes:

- · 814,000 shares issuable upon the exercise of options outstanding as of September 30, 2011 under our 2010 Plan;
- 186,000 shares of common stock reserved for future issuance under our 2010 Plan; and
- 6,833,840 shares of common stock underlying outstanding warrants with a weighted-average exercise price of \$1.56 per share.

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS OF FINANCIAL CONDITION AND RESULTS OF OPERATIONS

The following discussion of the financial condition and results of operations should be read in conjunction with the "Summary Financial Data" and the financial statements and the related notes included elsewhere in this prospectus. This discussion contains forward-looking statements, which are based on assumptions about the future of the Company's business. The actual results will likely differ materially from those contained in the forward-looking statements. Please read "Forward-Looking Statements" included elsewhere in this prospectus for additional information regarding forward-looking statements used in this prospectus.

Company Overview

We are a healthcare company focused on the prevention of breast cancer through the commercialization of diagnostic tests that can detect precursors to invasive breast cancer, and through the research, development, and ultimate commercialization of treatments for pre-cancerous lesions.

Our diagnostic tests consist of FDA-cleared and patented medical devices that can collect fluid and tissue samples from the breast milk ducts, where over 95% of breast cancers arise. These samples are processed at our CLIA-registered laboratory, the National Reference Laboratory for Breast Health, which screens the samples for the presence of normal, pre-malignant, or malignant changes as determined by cytopathology and biomarkers that distinguish "usual" ductal hyperplasia, a benign condition, from atypical ductal hyperplasia, which may lead to cancer. These screening results provide patients and physicians with information about the care path that should be followed, depending on the individual risk of future cancer as determined by the results.

Additionally, we are conducting research on the treatment of these pre-cancerous cells by using our patented and FDA-cleared microcatheters to deliver, directly into the milk ducts, anti-cancer drugs that can be used to treat these pre-cancerous lesions. By using this localized delivery method, patients receive high local concentrations of these drugs at the site of the pre-cancerous lesions, potentially promoting efficacy of the treatment while limiting systemic exposure, which has the potential to lower the overall toxicity of these treatments.

Current Operations

Our operations began in December 2008 around acquiring the MASCT System patent rights and assignments and the FDA clearance for marketing, which was completed in January 2009. We were incorporated in Delaware in April 2009. Our operations to date have consisted primarily of securing manufacturing for the MASCT and the Duct Microcatheter Systems, establishing our CLIA-registered laboratory, validating the Laboratory Developed Tests we use in the ForeCYTE and ArgusCYTE tests, conducting research and development on the FullCYTE and NextCYTE tests, and beginning the commercialization of our products, which commenced in December 2011.

Revenue Sources

The commercialization of the ForeCYTE Test provides us with two revenue sources: (i) sales-based revenue from the sale of the MASCT System device and patient kits to physicians, breast health clinics, and mammography clinics and (ii) service, or use-based, revenue from the preparation and interpretation of the NAF samples sent to our laboratory for analysis. The commercialization of the ArgusCYTE test provides only laboratory service revenue.

Commencing in December 2011, we began to market the ForeCYTE Test to physicians, primarily obstetric-gynecologists, as well as breast health and mammography clinics, for use in conjunction with other health screening examinations, including annual physical examinations and regularly scheduled cervical Pap smears and mammograms. We are establishing relationships with breast cancer centers to provide the ArgusCYTE Test to their patients. We plan to initially use regional specialty product distributors, with independent sale representatives specializing in Women's Health, to commercialize the ForeCYTE and ArgusCYTE Tests. As of December 31, 2011 we have four personnel involved in sales; however, we cannot be certain that we will be able to build distributor relationships adequately to address the national market. In addition to Dr. Quay, we intend to hire other board-certified pathologists to assist in the interpretation of the NAF samples.

We intend to use the net proceeds from this offering to continue the commercial launch of the ForeCYTE and ArgusCYTE Tests, continue the research and development of the FullCYTE and NextCYTE Tests, and commence the internal research and development of the Intraductal Treatment Program.

Commercial Lease Agreements

In December 2009, we entered into a commercial lease agreement with Ensisheim, an affiliated entity, for office space located in Seattle, Washington. From inception through December 31, 2009, we incurred only a nominal amount of rent expense for the lease. For the period of January 1, 2010 through June 30, 2010, we incurred \$6,600 of rent expense for the lease. We and Ensisheim terminated the lease, effective July 1, 2010 and we commenced use of the facility rent-free for the period from July 1, 2010 through March 31, 2011. In March 2011, we entered into a commercial lease agreement with Sanders Properties, LLC for the same office space located in Seattle, Washington. The lease provides for monthly rent of \$1,100 and a security deposit of \$1,500. The lease terms are from April 1, 2011 to March 31, 2013. For the period of April 1, 2011 through September 30, 2011, we incurred \$6,600 of rent expense for the lease.

In September 2010, we entered into a commercial lease agreement with CompleGen, Inc. for laboratory space located in Seattle, Washington. The lease provides for monthly rent of \$3,657. The initial lease term was from September 2010 through March 2011, at which time the lease converted into a month-to-month lease.

In July 2011, we entered into a commercial lease agreement with Sanders Properties, LLC for another office space located in Seattle, Washington. The lease provides for monthly rent of \$600 and a security deposit of \$1,200. The lease terms are from July 11, 2011 to July 31, 2012. For the period of July 11, 2011 through September 30, 2011, we incurred \$1,595 of rent expense for the lease.

In September 2011, we entered into a commercial lease agreement with Sanders Properties, LLC for additional office space located in Seattle, Washington. The lease provides for monthly rent of \$1,400 and a security deposit of \$1,000. The lease terms commenced from October 1, 2011 and ended March 31, 2012.

In December 2011, we entered into a commercial lease agreement with Fred Hutchison Cancer Research Center for laboratory space located in Seattle, Washington. The lease provides for monthly rent of \$16,395. The lease terms are from February 2012 through November 2014. We will initially rent temporary office and laboratory space of 6,342 sq. ft. and then move into permanent office and laboratory space in the same building of 7,504 sq. ft. in or around October 2012. We will be entitled to rent abatement for 6.25 months upon moving into the permanent space. We expect to move our CLIA laboratory facilities and executive offices into this space once the new space it CLIA-certified and we expect to terminate our month-to-month lease with CompleGen following completion of this move.

We expect that these new facilities will be sufficient to meet our needs for the foreseeable future and we do not expect to need additional office and laboratory space in the greater Seattle area for at least the next 24 months.

Critical Accounting Policies and Estimates

Our management's discussion and analysis of our financial condition and results of operations is based on our financial statements, which have been prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States, or GAAP. The preparation of these financial statements requires us to make estimates and judgments that affect the reported amounts of assets, liabilities and expenses. On an ongoing basis, we evaluate these estimates and judgments, including those described below. We base our estimates on our historical experience and on various other assumptions that we believe to be reasonable under the circumstances. These estimates and assumptions form the basis for making judgments about the carrying values of assets and liabilities that are not readily apparent from other sources. Actual results and experiences may differ materially from these estimates.

While our significant accounting policies are more fully described in Note 3 to our financial statements included at the end of this prospectus, we believe that the following accounting policies are the most critical to aid you in fully understanding and evaluating our reported financial results and affect the more significant judgments and estimates that we use in the preparation of our financial statements.

Revenue Recognition

Overview

We will recognize product and service revenue in accordance with GAAP when the following overall fundamental criteria are met: (i) persuasive evidence of an arrangement exists, (ii) delivery has occurred or the service has been performed, (iii) the Company's price to the customer is fixed or determinable, and (iv) collection is reasonably assured.

Product Revenue

We recognize revenue for sales of the MASCT kits and devices upon the occurrence of all of the following: (i) receipt of cash, (ii) confirmation of product delivery (shipping documents and the completion of any customer acceptance requirements, when applicable, will be used to verify product delivery), and (iii) assessment of whether a price is fixed or determinable based upon the payment terms associated with the transaction and whether the sales price is subject to refund or adjustment. Once a history of sales and collectability has been established, we expect to recognize revenue upon delivery of goods from the supplier's or our warehouse or upon arrival of goods at the customer's designated location, depending on the shipping terms, with an offsetting reserve for doubtful accounts estimated based on the relevant collections history.

Service Revenue

We recognize revenue for our diagnostic testing on an accrual basis at the Medicare allowed and invoiced amount and upon satisfaction of the above four fundamental criteria. Amounts invoiced above the Medicare allowed reimbursement amount are not recognized upon receipt of cash during the initial three- to six-month period as we have insufficient individual customer history on which to determine the collectability of amounts that are invoiced above the Medicare amount. Diagnostic testing revenue at the Medicare rate is recognized upon completion of the test, communication of results to the patient's physician, and when collectability is reasonably assured. Customer purchase orders and/or contracts will generally be used to determine whether persuasive evidence of an arrangement exists. Once the Company has an appropriate history of sales and can determine the proper amount to recognize as uncollectible, it will then begin to recognize the entire amount, both Medicare allowed and non-Medicare billing, when all criteria of revenue recognition are met, with an offsetting allowance for doubtful accounts estimated based on collections history. We estimate it will take between three to six months of sales and collection history to establish reasonable assurance of collection and estimate of doubtful accounts, which is subject to change based on the sufficiency of actual number of sales transaction for the period.

Cash and Cash Equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents include cash and all highly liquid instruments with original maturities of three months or less.

Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with GAAP requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Accordingly, actual results could differ from those estimates.

Research and Development Expenses

Research and development costs are generally expensed as incurred. Our research and development expenses consist of costs incurred for internal and external research and development.

Share-Based Payments

In December 2004, the Financial Accounting Standards Board, or the FASB, issued the Statement of Financial Accounting Standards, or SFAS, No. 123(R), "Share-Based Payment," which replaces SFAS No. 123 and supersedes APB Opinion No. 25. SFAS No. 123(R) is now included in the FASB's ASC Topic 718, "Compensation — Stock Compensation." Under SFAS No. 123(R), companies are required to measure the compensation costs of share-based compensation arrangements based on the grant-date fair value and recognize the costs in the financial statements over the period during which employees or independent contractors are required to provide services. Share-based compensation arrangements include stock options and warrants, restricted share plans, performance-based awards, share appreciation rights and employee share purchase plans. In March 2005, the SEC issued Staff Accounting Bulletin No. 107, or SAB 107, which expresses views of the staff regarding the interaction between SFAS No. 123(R) and certain SEC rules and regulations and provides the staff's views regarding the valuation of share-based payment arrangements for public companies. SFAS No. 123(R) permits public companies to adopt its requirements using one of two methods. On April 14, 2005, the SEC adopted a new rule amending the compliance dates for SFAS No. 123(R). Companies may elect to apply this statement either prospectively, or on a modified version of retrospective application under which financial statements for prior periods are adjusted on a basis consistent with the pro forma disclosures required for those periods under SFAS No. 123.

We have fully adopted the provisions of FASB ASC 718 and related interpretations as provided by SAB 107. As such, compensation cost is measured on the date of grant as the fair value of the share-based payments. Such compensation amounts, if any, are amortized over the respective vesting periods of the option grant.

Results of Operations

Discussion of the Period from April 30, 2009 (inception) through December 31, 2009

For the period from April 30, 2009 (inception) through December 31, 2009, we had no revenues and total expenses of \$122,858, consisting of \$21,250 in expenses for research and development, or R&D, and \$101,608 in general and administrative, or G&A, expenses. The R&D expenses included \$16,250 paid to Ensisheim in royalties pursuant to an exclusive license agreement for the patents and patent applications covering the MASCT System, as well as \$5,000 paid to an unrelated party for prototype development for the MASCT System. The G&A expenses included \$1,348 paid to Ensisheim for rent for our office space and \$96,583 for legal and professional fees related to company incorporation, initial set-up, patent prosecution and maintenance fees and financial accounting and auditing fees, and \$3,677 for all other G&A expenses. Our license agreement with Ensisheim was terminated in June 2010 and our lease with Ensisheim was terminated as of July 1, 2010.

Discussion of Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2010

For the year ended December 31, 2010, we had no revenues and total expenses of \$1,077,996, consisting of \$119,996 in expenses for R&D, \$478,276 in expenses for legal and professional fees, \$242,718 in expenses for compensation, \$108,664 in expenses for consulting and \$128,342 for all other G&A expenses. The R&D expenses consisted primarily of \$103,750 of compensation paid to R&D management and staff, and rent of \$10,971. The legal and professional expenses consisted primarily of \$478,276 for legal and accounting fees primarily related to corporate matters, including fees incurred in connection with the prior filing of a Registration Statement on Form S-1, which was withdrawn in favor of a private placement that we completed in 2011. The G&A expenses consisted of \$52,500 for website development and Internet expenses, \$12,204 for advertising and promotion expenses, and \$63,637 for other miscellaneous G&A expenses.

Comparison of the Nine Months Ended September 30, 2011 and September 30, 2010

For the nine months ended September 30, 2011, we had no revenues and total expenses of \$2,231,906, consisting of R&D expenses of \$1,065,133 and G&A expenses of \$1,166,773. This compares to R&D expenses of \$1,306 and G&A expenses of \$738,251 for the nine months ended September 30, 2010. Total expenses increased by \$1,492,349 or 202% from \$739,557 for the nine months ended September 30, 2010 to \$2,231,906 for the nine months ended September 30, 2011.

As discussed below, we expect that our R&D and G&A expenses will continue to increase in the foreseeable future, and that if we successfully complete this offering and launch the MASCT System and our related laboratory service offerings, we would also begin to incur sales and marketing expenses as we build a regional, and ultimately national, sales force. We may limit our fixed sales and marketing costs initially by employing temporary workers or those who are compensated on a commission basis. However, we expect our expenditures to increase significantly in future periods.

Research and Development Expenses. We had R&D expenses of \$1,065,133 for the nine months ended September 30, 2011, and \$1,306 for the nine months ended September 30, 2010. We expect that R&D expenses will increase as we continue to finalize the product design for the first-generation MASCT System and develop additional products, services and technologies.

General and Administrative Expenses. G&A expenses for the nine months ended September 30, 2011 were \$1,166,773, an increase of \$428,522 or 58% from \$738,251 for the nine months ended September 30, 2010. G&A expenses for the nine months ended September 30, 2011 primarily consisted of \$421,436 in legal and professional services in connection with general corporate matters, \$368,203 in salary expense, \$79,232 in outside consulting in connection with the launch of our MASCT product, \$19,098 for website development and internet services, and \$41,450 in advertising and promotion. G&A expenses for the nine months ended September 30, 2010 were \$738,251, and mainly consisted of \$331,863 in legal and professional expenses related to the prior filing of a Registration Statement on Form S-1, which was withdrawn in favor of a private placement that we completed in 2011, \$194,116 in compensation expenses, \$90,614 in consulting expenses, \$52,500 for website development and internet services, and \$12,204 in advertising and promotion expenses. The increase in expenses was attributed to the receipt of funding in the second quarter of 2011 from this private placement, which allowed the company to hire additional employees and begin efforts to build, market and sell the MASCT System. We expect that our G&A expenses will continue to increase if we successfully complete the offering under this prospectus as we add full-time accounting and finance personnel and incur additional costs as a publicly traded company. Additionally, G&A costs are expected to rise as we increase headcount to coordinate the production and manufacture of the MASCT System and build a larger sales force.

Liquidity and Capital Resources

We have a history of operating losses as the Company focused its efforts on raising capital and building the MASCT system. The report of our independent auditors issued on our financial statements as of and for the year ended December 31, 2010 expresses substantial doubt about our ability to continue as a going concern. In 2011, we were successful in raising net proceeds of \$5.7 million through a private placement in order to fund the growth of our operations and product development. Our ability to continue as a going concern is dependent on our obtaining additional adequate capital to fund additional operating losses until we become profitable. If we are unable to obtain adequate capital, we could be forced to cease operations.

Cash Flows

For the nine months ended September 30, 2011, we incurred a net loss of \$2,236,866. Net cash used in operating activities was \$2,453,767. Net cash provided by financing activities was approximately \$5,534,785 and consisted of amounts received from private placements of our common stock and warrants, through which we received net proceeds of \$5,713,785. For the year ended December 31, 2010, we incurred a net loss of \$1,086,930, and net cash used in operating activities was \$358,111. During the year ended December 31, 2010, net cash provided by financing activities was approximately \$284,000, of which \$102,000 was raised through private placements of our common stock, and \$182,000 was raised through loans from related parties, which were repaid in 2011.

Funding Requirements

We expect to incur substantial expenses and generate ongoing operating losses for the foreseeable future as we prepare for the scale-up manufacturing and ongoing launch of the MASCT System, complete the development of and launch the FullCYTE and NextCYTE Tests, and build and operate our planned diagnostics laboratory in the Fred Hutchison Cancer Research Center. To fund our operations for at least the next 12 months under our current business plan, we estimate that we would need between \$5 million and \$7 million of additional capital. If we are unable to raise this amount of capital, we could be forced to curtail or cease operations. Our future capital uses and requirements depend on numerous forward-looking factors. These factors include the following:

- · the amount of capital raised in this offering;
- · the time and expense needed to complete the manufacturing of the MASCT and Microcatheter Systems;
- the expense associated with building a network of independent sales representatives to market the MASCT System, ForeCYTE Test and ArgusCYTE Test; and
- the degree of patient and physician acceptance of our products and the degree to which third-party payors approve the ForeCYTE and ArgusCYTE Tests for reimbursement.

To date, we have generated only minimal revenues. We do not expect to generate significant revenue until we are able to manufacture and launch the MASCT System more broadly. We expect our continuing operating losses to result in increases in cash used in operations over at least the next year. We expect the proceeds of this offering, together with our existing resources as of the date of this prospectus, to be sufficient to fund our planned operations for at least the next 12 months. However, we may require additional funds earlier than we currently expect to successfully commercialize the MASCT System. Because of the numerous risks and uncertainties associated with the development and commercialization of the MASCT System and our services, we are unable to estimate the amounts of increased capital outlays and operating expenditures associated with our current and anticipated research and development activities and commercialization efforts.

Additional funding may not be available to us on acceptable terms or at all. In addition, the terms of any financing may adversely affect the holdings or the rights of our stockholders. For example, if we raise additional funds by issuing equity securities or by selling debt securities, if convertible, further dilution to our existing stockholders would result. To the extent our capital resources are insufficient to meet our future capital requirements, we will need to finance our future cash needs through public or private equity offerings, collaboration agreements, debt financings or licensing arrangements.

If adequate funds are not available, we may be required to terminate, significantly modify or delay our development programs, reduce our planned commercialization efforts, or obtain funds through collaborators that may require us to relinquish rights to our technologies or product candidates that we might otherwise seek to develop or commercialize independently. Further, we may elect to raise additional funds even before we need them if we believe the conditions for raising capital are favorable.

Off-Balance Sheet Arrangements

We do not currently have, nor have we ever had, any relationships with unconsolidated entities or financial partnerships, such as entities often referred to as structured finance or special purpose entities, established for the purpose of facilitating off-balance sheet arrangements or other contractually narrow or limited purposes. In addition, we do not engage in trading activities involving non-exchange traded contracts.

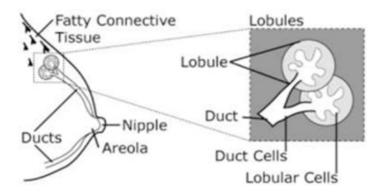
Recent Accounting Pronouncements

The Company has adopted all recently issued accounting pronouncements that management believes to be applicable to the Company. The adoption of these accounting pronouncements, including those not yet effective, is not anticipated to have a material effect on the financial position or results of operations of the Company.

SCIENTIFIC AND INDUSTRY BACKGROUND

Breast Anatomy and Nipple Aspirate Fluid Collection

The female breast has two main components: milk-producing, or glandular, tissue (lobes and ducts) and connective/fatty tissue. The breast is divided into 5 to 7 lobes that extend outward from the nipple and contain clusters of milk-producing glands. The lobes are further divided into smaller compartments called lobules. Each cluster drains into a duct, which connects the lobules and the nipple. In the ducts, cells closest to the outer portions of the lobules are called luminal cells and those deeper in the duct wall are called basal cells. The molecular-based determination of whether cells are luminal or basal in origin aids in the sub-typing of pre-cancerous changes and cancers. The breast is held together by fatty connective tissue, which provides support and contains nerves as well as blood and lymphatic vessels.



Since the early studies conducted in the 1950s by Dr. George Papanicolaou, the inventor of the "Pap smear" for cervical cancer, it has been understood that adult non-pregnant, non-lactating women continuously secrete fluid into the milk ducts of the breast. This fluid does not normally escape because the nipple orifices are occluded by smooth muscle contraction and dried secretions. This fluid contains several cell types, including breast duct cells that are shed, which may be normal, hyperplastic, atypical, or even malignant. The fluid also contains molecular diagnostic biomarkers, including associated proteins, complex lipids, ribonucleic acid, or RNA, and deoxyribonucleic acid, or DNA.

A number of medical devices have been designed over the years that apply negative pressure to the nipple to induce the expression of NAF, which is then collected by carefully touching a capillary tube to any apparent drops of NAF. The medical literature reports that in general, these devices are successful in obtaining NAF from 39% to 66% of all patients and that this sample collection variability has prevented the routine adoption of NAF cytology for breast cancer screening.

The MASCT System was designed to overcome this shortcoming by placing a hydrophilic, or water seeking, membrane in contact with the nipple during the cycles of negative pressure to "wick" fluid from the orifice of the ducts by capillary action, thereby increasing the frequency of obtaining NAF in women.

The Role of Atypical Ductal Hyperplasia as a Precursor to Breast Cancer

Atypical ductal hyperplasia, or ADH, is a condition in which the cells lining the breast duct grow excessively and abnormally. Without other risk factors, it produces up to a five-fold increased risk of breast cancer. With a family history of breast cancer, a diagnosis of ADH increases the risk of breast cancer 11- to 22-fold, and in one study, one-third of the women with a biopsy of ADH had a clinically inapparent malignancy, or occult cancer, growing nearby. Another study examined changes in chromosome markers in ADH that are typical for invasive ductal cancer to determine if ADH was monoclonal for these changes, as expected of cancer, or polyclonal, as expected of hyperplasia, or excessive cell proliferation. The results of this study showed that 40% of ADH was monoclonal and had the hallmarks of a cancerous growth.

The analysis of NAF for these chromosomal changes and the changes in expression of related proteins may help determine the malignant or non-malignant properties of ADH in a particular patient and thus provide information allowing a personalized medicine therapeutic approach.

The Role of Immunohistochemistry (IHC) in the Molecular Classification of Breast Cancer and Pre-Cancerous Lesions

Standard pathology and cytology criteria to classify breast cancer and pre-cancerous changes have limitations in predicting tumor behavior, sensitivity to molecular targeted treatments, such as Herceptin (trastuzumab), or the development of drug resistance. A method of predicting tumor behavior and treatment response that involves identifying molecular biomarkers in breast tissue is immunohistochemistry, or IHC. IHC is the process of localizing antigens (e.g. proteins) in cells of a tissue section exploiting the principle of antibodies binding specifically to antigens in cells. Specific molecular markers are characteristic of particular cellular events such as proliferation or cell death. Visualizing an antibody-antigen interaction can be accomplished in a number of ways. In the most common instance, an antibody is conjugated to an enzyme, such as peroxidase, that can catalyze a color-producing reaction. The use of IHC has become standard of care in many clinical settings, for example, the measurement of estrogen or progesterone receptors or HER2 antigens in breast cancer.

In May 2010, an international study from 21 academic institutions involving 42 investigators was published, describing the IHC-based molecular sub-typing of breast cancers from 10,159 women and the correlation with survival over 15 years. Five IHC biomarkers were used to identify six molecular sub-types. The five IHC markers were: the estrogen receptor and the progesterone receptors (two hormone receptors expressed by luminal cells), the human epidermal growth factors receptor-2 (HER2, a protein marker used to select specific adjuvant therapies), and cytokeratin 5/6 (CK5/6) and EGFR (proteins expressed by basal cells). The incidence of each sub-type, and the treatment options available, are shown in the following table:

Molecular Subtype	Incidence	Treatment Options
Luminal 1, Basal Negative	60%	Tamoxifen, Raloxifene
Luminal 1, Basal Positive	6%	Tamoxifen, Raloxifene, EGFR inhibitors
Luminal 2, Basal Negative	6%	Tamoxifen, Raloxifene, Trastuzumab
Non-Luminal HER2+	6%	Trastuzumab
Core Basal Subgroup	9%	EGFR inhibitors
Five Negative Phenotype	7%	Non-receptor targeted chemotherapy

The six IHC molecular subtypes had very different five and 15 year survival rates.

These and other findings indicate that the six subtypes of breast cancer defined by the expression of five immunohistochemical markers have distinct biological characteristics that are associated with important differences in short-term and long-term outcomes. The application of these markers in the clinical setting could improve the targeting of adjuvant therapies to those women most likely to benefit.

These same markers have been studied in pre-cancerous changes and have been found useful in distinguishing future biological behavior of otherwise cytologically indistinct samples. For example, CK5/6 expression in usual ductal hyperplasia is associated with an increased risk of later development of cancer. Similarly, estrogen or progesterone receptor, HER2, and EGFR expression in a setting of hyperplasia are found in lesions that more frequently progress to breast cancer. In fact, ADH and usual ductal hyperplasia can be distinguished by IHC staining in cases where the cytology is indistinguishable. Thus, IHC testing on NAF samples with pre-cancerous changes can provide information about the possibility of future progression to breast cancer.

The Role of NAF Cytology and IHC in the Diagnosis and Treatment of Atypical Ductal Hyperplasia

In a study of women with normal mammograms who were undergoing breast reduction surgery, which was conducted at the Virginia Mason Medical Center in Seattle, Washington and published in *Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery* in October 2009, the incidence of ADH was found to be 4.4%. A separate study conducted in 2007 of 4,970 women found an incidence of ADH of 4.0% by biopsy. ADH can be definitively diagnosed only by NAF analysis or a breast tissue biopsy. In a study of approximately 2.5 million screening mammograms done between 1996 and 2005 and collected from mammography registries participating in the Breast Cancer Surveillance Consortium, the incidence of biopsy-proven ADH was 0.4%, suggesting that the use of biopsies in conjunction with screening mammography fails to detect ADH in over 90% of patients.

A comprehensive study of the predictive value of NAF cytology for identifying women at risk for breast cancer was conducted at the University of California at San Francisco over a 19-year period. This study, conducted by Margaret Wrensch and others at the University of California San Francisco, showed in two studies, the first with a sample size of 4,046 women and the second with a sample size of 3,627, that women with abnormal cytology in breast fluid obtained by nipple aspiration had an increased relative risk of breast cancer compared with women from whom fluid was not obtained and with women whose fluid had normal cytology. The nipple aspirate fluids were collected from women in the San Francisco Bay Area during the period from 1972 through 1991, the women were classified according to the most severe epithelial cytology observed in fluid specimens, and breast cancer incidence through March 1999 was determined. The groups were stratified into women with acellular, normal, hyperplasia, or atypical NAF cytology and the incidence of breast cancer determined in the two groups over an average of 21 and nine years follow-up, respectively. The incidence of hyperplasia by NAF cytology was 13.6% and the incidence of ADH was 1.6%. Breast cancer occurred in 3.7% of the women with acellular cytology and in 8.2% and 11.0% of the women with hyperplasia and atypia, respectively.

Drug therapy clinical trials for preventing breast cancer in high risk women are called chemoprevention trials. In a five-year chemoprevention study of over 19,700 women with ADH or other factors that placed them at a high risk for invasive breast cancer, the use of either tamoxifen or raloxifene, drugs that block or interfere with the actions of estrogen receptors, reduced the incidence of breast cancer by approximately 50%. A separate study of raloxifene versus placebo showed a 72% reduction in cancer incidence at four years and a 66% reduction at eight years in women at high risk for invasive breast cancer.

In a study of NAF specimens in 33 women at the start and six months after taking either tamoxifen or raloxifene, NAF cytology was unchanged in 85%, worsened in 4%, and improved in 11% while the biomarker PSA, which has been shown to be controlled by sex hormones and inversely associated with breast cancer, increased from abnormally low (37 ng/L) to within the normal range (112 ng/L) during treatment. United States patent 7,128,877, owned by the Company, covers the testing of NAF for the biomarker PSA. Other classes of drugs, including inhibitors of aromatase, an enzyme involved in making estrogen, are being tested or considered for testing in breast cancer chemoprevention trials. The Company believes that increased use of pharmaceutical treatments with chemopreventive agents in high risk women will lead to more NAF cytology studies to both diagnose ADH and follow the effects of treatment.

Finally, changes in diet and/or the use of dietary supplements are considered to have a possible impact on breast cancer occurrence and can potentially change the cytology or the presence of biomarkers in NAF. A study of the effect of dietary intervention in 71 women over a one-year period was conducted. The probability of obtaining a cellular NAF cytology increased with dietary fat intake, reaching over seven-fold increase for the highest to lowest quartile of fat intake. Furthermore, cellular NAF decreased with increasing plasma levels of dietary supplement antioxidants, lutein and alpha-carotene. The National Cancer Institute, or NCI, is currently sponsoring seven studies of the use of NAF sample collection and analysis of cytology and molecular biomarkers as study endpoints to monitor the efficacy of chemoprevention clinical trials using pharmaceuticals or dietary supplements. The Company believes the successful outcome of one or more of these studies could increase the use of NAF analysis.

Risk Stratification with Duct Cytology

Breast cancer risk stratification is becoming increasingly important as additional screening and prevention options are now available for women at different levels of risk. For example, use of screening breast MRI, tamoxifen chemoprevention, and genetic counseling and testing for hereditary breast cancer are appropriate for some women at increased susceptibility. The National Comprehensive Cancer Network, or NCCN, sets risk thresholds as: "Normal Risk," defined as less than 15% lifetime risk; "Intermediate Risk," as 15-20% lifetime risk; and "High Risk," as greater than 20% lifetime risk.

The ForeCYTE Breast Health Test uses an established algorithm based on family history (including cousins with breast cancer and unaffected female relatives), personal medical data (including height (premenopausal) and BMI (postmenopausal) and use of hormone replacement therapy, and ductal cytology to provide estimates of BRCA1/2 mutation probability in addition to empiric age adjusted 10-year and lifetime breast cancer risk. In contrast, other algorithms use only atypia, hyperplasia, or lobular carcinoma in situ to increase the risk estimate in the model. Our model was developed using previously published data on the effects of familial and personal risk factors. Genetic risk is predicted assuming two autosomal-dominant loci—BRCA1/2 and a hypothetical low-penetrance dominant gene. The relative risk based on personal factors is used to adjust the calculated genetic absolute risk via a proportional hazard model. According to a peer-reviewed study published in *Oncology Genetics* in August 2009, this algorithm appeared the most consistently accurate for the prediction of breast cancer.

The Role of Ductal Lavage in Assessing Women at High Risk of Breast Cancer

Ductal lavage is a washing procedure that can remove fluid found in the individual breast ducts. The procedure involves inserting a small catheter into the ductal openings in the nipple and washing out cells from inside the duct. The cells are then analyzed to assess if they are normal or abnormal and the fluid can be tested for biomarkers of pre-cancerous and cancerous changes. We are conducting research using next-generation sequencing techniques to examine the genomic changes that occur in pre-cancerous hyperplasia and DCIS in the cells obtained from lavage fluid. Based on the generally accepted hypothesis that each of the five to seven breast ducts arises from a single cell during fetal development and is thus clonally distinct, breast cancer can be thought of as a "sick duct" disease. Knowing which duct is affected by precursors to breast cancer is the requisite diagnostic information to treating the condition with intraductal therapy. An October 2011 report from the Johns Hopkins Medical School demonstrated prevention of breast cancer in rats with intraductal but not systemic chemotherapy and the successful treatment of 17 women with breast cancer who subsequently received surgery.

Predicting Treatment and Recurrence Using Tumor Tissue Transcriptome Data

Gene expression is a measure of a gene's activity, which is determined by the number of times it is transcribed into mRNA and finally by the protein it encodes. A snapshot of a tissue's global gene activity (or expression) is captured by DNA microarray technology, by reverse transcription polymerase chain reaction, or RT-PCR, or by RNASeq, also called Whole Transcriptome Shotgun Sequencing, and is called a transcriptome. Lists of genes associated with prognoses, responses to various treatments or phenotypes, are called "gene profiles" or "gene signatures." The four major test platforms used for detecting gene profiles are immunohistochemistry (IHC), fluorescent in situ hybridization (FISH), quantitative reverse transcriptase polymerase chain reaction (qRT-PCR), and cDNA microarray (quantitative cDNA detection). While the former two platforms are semiquantitative and well established for detection of ER and HER2 status at low costs, the latter two are quantitative methods that require complex statistical methods to avoid false discovery. These two methodologies provide highly standardized and reproducible outcomes of uncertain prognostic value at this point. In addition, IHC has the advantage of directly measuring protein expression, not just mRNA copy numbers, and it provides a visualization of the difference of protein localization and modification, which gene profiling cannot.

Breast cancer is a complex disease characterized by a number of genetic and epigenetic abnormalities. Patients associated with similar clinical and pathological parameters may have very different tumor profiles at the molecular level and may respond differently to treatment. Genome-wide expression profiling of tumors has become an important tool to identify gene sets and gene signatures that can be used to predict clinical endpoints, such as survival and therapy response. A number of tumor classification algorithms based on gene expression profiles have been proposed using clinical data or known biological class labels to build predictive models for outcome: the 70-gene signature MammaPrint, the 16-gene signature of Oncotype Dx, and the Genomic Grade Index.

In a peer-reviewed publication in *PLoS One* in March 2011, a statistical framework to explore whether combination of the information from such sets may improve prediction of recurrence and breast cancer specific death in early-stage breast cancers was established. Microarray data from two clinically similar cohorts of breast cancer patients are used as training (n = 123) and test set (n = 81), respectively. Gene sets from eleven previously published gene signatures are included in the study.

Combining the predictive strength of multiple gene signatures improved prediction of breast cancer survival.

Monitoring Recurrence and Assisting Treatment Decisions from Analysis of Circulating Tumor Cells

Among women with early breast cancer, the presence of circulating tumor cells (cancer cells in the bloodstream, which are also called CTCs) increased the risk of cancer recurrence and shortened survival. Among women with metastatic breast cancer (cancer that has spread to other sites in the body), detection of cancer cells in the bloodstream has been linked with shorter time to cancer progression and shorter survival.

To evaluate the impact of CTCs among women with early breast cancer, researchers evaluated more than 2,000 patients. The test to detect CTCs was performed after surgery and before the start of chemotherapy. CTCs were detected in 21.5% of patients. Women with CTCs were more likely to have node-positive breast cancer than women without CTCs. Compared with women with no CTCs, women with one to four CTCs were almost twice as likely to experience cancer recurrence and death. The presence of five or more CTCs was linked with a fourfold increase in recurrence risk and a threefold increase in risk of death. These results suggest that detection of CTCs may provide information about recurrence risk and prognosis among women with early breast cancer.

CTC may also be an indicator for therapeutic efficacy. During chemotherapy the continuous appearance of CTC in blood would only occur if there was a persistent proliferation process. This may be halted with a successful therapy (stable disease) or might even be reduced (remission). There, the source of CTC and their dissemination would have been removed, which is then associated with the disappearance of CTC from blood.

BUSINESS

Overview

We are a healthcare company focused on the prevention of breast cancer through the commercialization of diagnostic tests that can detect precursors to invasive breast cancer, and through the research, development, and ultimate commercialization of treatments for pre-cancerous lesions.

Our diagnostic tests consist of FDA-cleared and patented medical devices that can collect fluid and tissue samples from the breast milk ducts, where over 95% of breast cancers arise. These samples are processed at our CLIA-registered laboratory, the National Reference Laboratory for Breast Health, which screens the samples for the presence of normal, pre-malignant, or malignant changes as determined by cytopathology and biomarkers that distinguish "usual" ductal hyperplasia, a benign condition, from atypical ductal hyperplasia, which may lead to cancer. These screening results provide patients and physicians with information about the care path that should be followed, depending on the individual risk of future cancer as determined by the results.

Additionally, we are conducting research on the treatment of these pre-cancerous cells by using our patented and FDA-cleared microcatheters to deliver, directly into the milk ducts, anti-cancer drugs that can be used to treat these pre-cancerous lesions. By using this localized delivery method, patients receive high local concentrations of these drugs at the site of the pre-cancerous lesions, potentially promoting efficacy of the treatment while limiting systemic exposure, which has the potential to lower the overall toxicity of these treatments.

Our Diagnostic Tests

We currently offer two screening tests and plan to offer two additional tests by the end of 2012 or beginning of 2013. The tests that we currently offer and that are in development consist of the following:

ForeCYTE

The ForeCYTE Breast Health Test, launched in December 2011, provides personalized information about the 10-year and lifetime risk of breast cancer for women between ages 18 and 65. It involves collecting a sample of nipple aspirate fluid, or NAF, using our patented, FDA-cleared *Mammary Aspirate Specimen Cytology Test*, or MASCT, System, analyzing the NAF using a proprietary molecular and cellular biomarker test, and then processing the test results, together with the patient's medical and family history, through a clinically-validated risk assessment algorithm that calculates 10-year and lifetime risk of breast cancer and presents these results in one of three risk tiers developed by The National Comprehensive Cancer Network: Normal (<15% lifetime risk), Intermediate (15-20% lifetime risk), or High (>20% lifetime risk). The ForeCYTE Test results contain recommendations for care paths in each risk group and personalized information so that patients and healthcare providers can make more informed treatment decisions.

ArgusCYTE

The ArgusCYTE Breast Health Test, launched in December 2011, provides information to help inform breast cancer treatment options and to help monitor potential recurrence. It can monitor breast cancer distant recurrence by obtaining a "liquid biopsy" or blood sample, and analyzing it for the presence of circulating tumor cells, which can then be analyzed to determine the expression of ER/PR and Her2 in those cells, a predictor of the cancer's sensitivity to existing treatment options. The presence of circulating tumor cells in the blood sample may serve as an early indicator of the recurrence of breast cancer and the data obtained from the ArgusCYTE sensitivity analysis may help physicians better select which treatment options to use with a particular patient.

FullCYTE

The FullCYTE Breast Health Test, which we intend to launch in late 2012 or early 2013, is designed to assess the individual breast ducts for precancerous changes in women previously identified to be at high risk for breast cancer. It involves collecting ductal lavage samples from each of the 5 to 7 individual breast milk ducts using our patented and FDA-cleared Mammary Ductal Microcatheter System and analyzing the samples by genomic interrogation and proprietary laboratory developed tests.

NextCYTE

The NextCYTE Breast Cancer Test, which we intend to launch in late 2012 or early 2013, is designed to profile breast cancer specimens for prediction of treatment outcomes and distant recurrence in women newly diagnosed with breast cancer. It involves using surgery specimens and advanced genome sequencing techniques to quantify and analyze the entire tumor genetic transcriptome, which represents all genes that are being actively expressed within the tumor. We expect that physicians will be able to use the information provided by the NextCYTE test to better customize treatment options for women, based on the genetic composition of the individual tumor.

Intraductal Treatment Research

Our Intraductal Treatment Research Program comprises our patented microcatheter-delivery technology and our patented pharmaceutical formulations for the intraductal treatment of breast pre-cancerous changes, DCIS, and breast cancers. The method uses our Mammary Ductal Microcatheter System, invented by Dr. Susan Love, President of the Dr. Susan Love Research Foundation, and her colleagues, to administer proprietary pharmaceutical formulations into milk ducts that display pre-cancerous changes, with high local concentrations of the drugs in order to promote greater efficacy and limited systemic exposure, potentially lowering the overall toxicity of the treatment.

An October 2011 peer-reviewed paper published in *Science Translational Medicine* documented a study conducted at the Johns Hopkins Medical School demonstrating the prevention of breast cancer in rats with intraductal non-systemic chemotherapy, and a proof-of-principle Phase 1 clinical trial involving 17 women with breast cancer who subsequently received surgery. An accompanying editorial commented that "intraductal treatment could be especially useful for women with premalignant lesions or those at high risk of developing breast cancer, thus drastically improving upon their other, less attractive options of breast-removal surgery or surveillance (termed 'watch and wait')". We intend to build on these academic studies with a research program targeted initially at neoadjuvant therapy in DCIS and to begin preclinical studies during 2012.

Intellectual Property and FDA Marketing Clearances

As of February 8, 2012, we own more than 120 issued patents (31 in the United States and at least 90 in foreign countries), and 6 pending patent applications (4 in the United States, 1 pending foreign application and 1 pending International Patent Cooperation Treaty (PCT) application) directed to our products, services, and technologies.

Clinical Development and FDA-clearance of the MASCT System

Under the direction of Steven Quay, a clinical trial of the MASCT System was conducted at the State University of New York, Stony Brook, New York in 2003 to test the efficiency of NAF collection in normal women. Thirty-one healthy, non-pregnant, pre-menopausal female volunteer subjects were tested with the MASCT System device for the ability to collect NAF samples and to observe the morphology of breast gland cells in the NAF (cytological examination), using the NAF cytology classification system of the College of American Pathologists, or CAP, as described in the table below.

Category	Interpretation	Cytology Characteristics
Category 0	Scant ductal epithelial cells and negative for atypical or malignant cells	No or <10 ductal cells.
Category I	Normal ductal cytology	Normal ductal epithelial cells.
Category II	Usual ductal hyperplasia	Cell groups with >10-50 cells.
Category III	Atypical ductal hyperplasia	Distinct large nuclei with irregular nuclear borders.
Category IV	Suspicious for malignancy	Single cells and groups of cells suspicious for cancer.

Of the 31 subjects, 30, or 97%, had measurable NAF; 24 from both breasts and six from only one breast. NAF samples ranged from less than one to 37 microliters, with an average of seven microliters, and all samples collected were deemed to be clinically useful. 58 of 60 NAF samples were reported as cytology Category I, and two of 60 were reported as cytology Category II under the CAP's classification system for NAF cytology. No adverse events were reported in the study. Based on the results of the study, a premarket notification for the intended use of the MASCT System for the collection of NAF for cytological testing was submitted to the FDA and subsequently cleared by the FDA, indicating that the NAF collected using the MASCT System can be used in the determination and/or differentiation of normal versus premalignant versus malignant cells.

The ForeCYTE Breast Health Test

The ForeCYTE Test uses the patented, FDA-cleared MASCT System medical device for the collection, shipment and clinical laboratory analysis of NAF. The product components of the MASCT System consist of a reusable hand-held pump for the collection of NAF, single-use patient kits that include two NAF sample collection tools per kit, and shipment boxes for the transportation of NAF samples to the National Reference Laboratory for Breast Health, our wholly-owned, CLIA-registered specialized cytology and molecular diagnostics laboratory in Seattle, Washington. Through our laboratory we provide the ForeCYTE Test, which consists of receiving and accessioning the two NAF samples from each patient, preparing routine and immunohistochemistry, or IHC, staining of slides from the NAF samples, and generating a report of the findings. The NAF is analyzed by microscopy for cytological abnormalities and by a patent-pending IHC staining technique for five biomarkers of hyperplasia and a sample integrity marker.

We offer each component of the MASCT System for sale separately. We currently price our NAF sample collection device at approximately \$250 per device, our patient kits at approximately \$30 per kit, and the cytology and molecular diagnostics testing and analysis services billed to federal and/or state health plans at the 2012 Medicare reimbursement rates of between \$384 and \$1,275 per patient, depending on the complexity of the analysis performed. We bill third-party payors at higher rates, as is customary for our industry.

The ArgusCYTE Breast Health Test

The ArgusCYTE Test provides information to help inform breast cancer treatment options and to help monitor potential recurrence. It uses a proprietary blood collection tube to obtain a blood sample for shipment and analysis at the NRLBH. The test consists of a two-step "Combination-of-Combinations-Principle" involving (1) cell isolation, whereby tumor cells are enriched by a three antibody-mix linked to magnetic particles and mRNA is isolated from the selected tumor cells, and (2) molecular biological detection and analysis, whereby the isolated mRNA is transcribed into cDNA and a multiplex PCR is carried out for the analysis of epithelial cell related transcripts and tumor associated gene expression. Due to the combination of different selection and tumor markers, both the heterogeneity of the tumor cells and possible individual or therapy-induced deviations in the expression patterns are taken into account.

As far as we know, the ArgusCYTE is the only CLIA-certified circulating breast tumor cell test available that identifies mRNA expression levels for estrogen receptors (ER), progesterone receptors (PR), and HER-2 antigen in a single blood draw to help guide treatment selection by determining which of the most commonly used therapies may be effective for the individual patient. The test can identify circulating tumor cells immediately after a woman begins breast cancer therapy or at the time of diagnosis or biopsy so that she and her healthcare provider can make better-informed decisions about effective treatment options. Analytical validation studies demonstrated a sensitivity of 94% and specificity of 98% at the 5 cancer cell/5 mL blood sample level (n=106). Clinical validation has been performed by unaffiliated research institutions in breast cancer patients in trials in Europe and the United States over the last eight years.

We provide the proprietary, blood collection tube free of charge and currently charge approximately \$1,500 for the ArgusCYTE Test.

The FullCYTE Breast Health Test

The FullCYTE Breast Health Test uses our patented, FDA-cleared Mammary Duct Microcatheter System, invented by Dr. Susan Love, author, breast surgeon, and founder of the Dr. Susan Love Research Foundation, Santa Monica, California to lavage, or irrigate, each of the five to seven breast ducts and to collect the lavage fluid for analysis of biomarkers of hyperplasia by immunohistochemistry for protein biomarkers, Next Generation Sequencing for somatic DNA mutations, and transcriptome microarray analysis for mRNA expression patterns.

In April 2011 we acquired from Hologic, Inc. all of the ownership rights to issued patents covering the manufacture, use, and sale of the Microcatheter System for ductal lavage, the related manufacturing documentation, and the related regulatory documentation, including the three 501(k) FDA marketing authorization for these medical devices. Atossa paid an up-front fee and is obliged to pay patent-based royalties on aggregate net sales in the countries with issued patents. This project is in the research and development phase with the intent to launch this test in late 2012 or early 2013.

The NextCYTE Breast Cancer Test

The NextCYTE Breast Cancer Test uses surgical biopsy specimens that have been routinely processed into formalin-fixed, paraffin embedded tissue blocks to extract RNA and analyze the whole-genome mRNA expression profiles of the extracted RNA to predict breast cancer 10-year survival. The method combines eleven published gene signatures, including over 900 breast cancer-related genes. In a March 2011 publication of the technology, training (n=123) and test (n=81) cohorts of breast cancer patients were analyzed by the method and the resulting algorithm outperformed all individual gene signatures, including a 16-gene test and a 70-gene test, in predicting 10-year recurrence. We are conducting research to verify the superiority of the technology and have a one-year option to license this technology from the University of Oslo in Norway. If we exercise this option and license the technology, we would be required to pay the University of Oslo an up front fee and an annual royalty based on revenues.

Our operations began in December 2008 around acquiring the MASCT System patent rights and assignments and the FDA clearance for marketing, which was completed in January 2009. We were incorporated in Delaware in April 2009. Our operations to date have consisted primarily of securing manufacturing for the MASCT and the Mammary Duct Microcatheter Systems, establishing our CLIA-registered laboratory, validating the Laboratory Developed Tests we use in the ForeCYTE and ArgusCYTE tests, conducting research and development on the FullCYTE and NextCYTE tests, and preparing for the commercialization of our products.

The Market

United States Market for ForeCYTE Test

Testing in Women at High Risk for Breast Cancer

The Company expects that the MASCT System will initially be adopted by physicians and other healthcare professionals for use in women at high risk for breast cancer.

Women Undergoing Diagnostic Mammograms. Breast cancer screening by mammography involves performing a screening mammogram and typically reviewing the mammogram while the patient is still present in the clinic. If the screening mammogram shows suspicious changes, a more extensive diagnostic mammogram is performed, usually on the same day. In an audit of 46,857 consecutive mammograms performed in the radiology department at the University of California, San Francisco between 1997 and 2000, 10,007, or 21%, were diagnostic mammograms. The audit also documented an increased incidence of future cancer in those women who underwent a diagnostic mammogram, regardless of the diagnosis at the time. Applying this frequency to the estimated 39.0 million total mammograms performed each year in the United States yields approximately 8.1 million diagnostic mammograms. The Company believes all women undergoing a diagnostic mammogram, who may be at higher risk of developing breast cancer in the future, would be candidates for MASCT System testing.

Breast Cancer Survivors. Women who have had breast cancer are at a higher risk for the recurrence of cancer or for a new malignancy. The ACS has estimated that in 2010, there were more than 2.5 million breast cancer survivors in the United States. The Company believes these women would be candidates for regular MASCT System screening.

High Risk Women. The Breast Cancer Risk Assessment Tool (based on the Gail model) has been established by the NCI and the National Surgical Adjuvant Breast and Bowel Project, or NSABP, to identify women with an increased risk of breast cancer. The risk factors included in the test are: personal history of breast abnormalities, age, age at first menarche, age at first live birth, breast cancer among first-degree relatives (sisters, mother, or daughters), breast biopsies, obesity and race. Approximately 12 million women in the United States are in the high risk group. A study of 6,904 women for an average follow up of 14.6 years demonstrated that NAF cytology may be most useful for women at highest absolute risk by the Risk Assessment Tool because modest differences in relative risk are amplified. In this group, the incidence of breast cancer detected by NAF cytology ranged from 5.3 to 10.3 per 1,000 women (non-yielder to hyperplasia/atypia).

Breast cancer risk stratification

The Company believes that if it is able to develop, produce and successfully market the MASCT System for use as an additional test in conjunction with all mammography and all cervical cancer screenings (Pap smear), the potential annual U.S. market size for breast cancer risk stratification would be between 39.3 million and 55 million women. This conclusion is based on the following data:

MASCT System in conjunction with mammography, all ages. According to the Mammography Quality Standards Act (MQSA) National Statistics, the total annual mammography procedures in the United States, as of January 1, 2012, was 39,311,535.

MASCT System in conjunction with cervical cancer screening (Pap smear), all ages. According to the National Cancer Institute as of December 2011, approximately 55 million Pap smear examinations are performed annually in the United States.

United States Market for ArgusCYTE Test

Breast Cancer Survivors. There are 2.5 million women who have had breast cancer or are survivors and would be potential candidates for a blood test for circulating tumor cells.

Newly diagnosed breast cancer patients. Each year 210,000 women are diagnosed with breast cancer. These women would be candidates for a blood test for circulating tumor cells during the staging of their tumor and as a method to monitor treatment effects.

United States Laboratory Testing Market

Anatomic Pathology. Anatomic pathology involves the diagnosis of cancer and other medical conditions through the examination of tissues (biopsies) and the analysis of cells (cytology) taken from patients. Generally, the anatomic pathology process involves the preparation of slides by trained histo-technologists or cytologists and the review of those slides by anatomic pathologists. Although anatomic pathologists do not treat patients, they establish a definitive diagnosis and may also consult with the referring physician. As a result of the greater degree of complexity and sophistication in anatomic pathology services, 2012 Medicare reimbursement rates for the anatomic pathology services of the type that the Company expects to perform are between \$384 and \$1,275 per patient. The patient fee schedule for self-pay or private payors for these tests is typically higher.

Molecular Diagnostics. Molecular diagnostics typically involve unique and complex genetic and molecular tests performed by skilled personnel using sophisticated instruments. As a result, molecular diagnostics are typically offered by a limited number of commercial laboratories. According to PriceWaterhouseCoopers, molecular diagnostics represents one of the fastest growing segments of the \$37 billion market for *in vitro* diagnostics, which includes test tube diagnostics such as glucose monitoring for diabetes care but excludes diagnostics for research use. The Medicare reimbursement rate in 2011 for microarray-based molecular diagnostics tests is \$1,250, while the reimbursement rate for fluorescent cellular probe-based tests is \$479 per probe. This market segment is expected to grow 14% annually between 2007 and 2012, from \$2.6 billion to \$5.0 billion.

Commercialization Strategy

The Company's commercialization strategy is based on creating two main revenue sources: (i) product sales-based revenue from the sale of the MASCT System, including the NAF specimen collection kits, to physicians, breast health clinics, and mammography clinics and (ii) service-based revenue for the preparation and interpretation of the NAF samples sent to the Company's laboratory. This is intended to result in revenues from both the sale and the use of the MASCT System.

In order to achieve its two-pronged revenue base, the Company manufactures, through medical device suppliers, the MASCT System components (i.e., the collection device and patient NAF specimen kits) and will establish a network of independent sales representatives to call on physicians and breast health and mammography clinics to market and sell the MASCT System. The collection device is reusable when sanitized between patients. The kit contains the patient contact materials, preservative fluid for the collected samples, and bar-coded patient identification labeling. The kit components are designed to work properly with the collection device and the Company is not aware of any commercially available parts or components which could be substituted for the Company's kits.

The Company's product- and service-based income plan is intended to provide revenues from multiple, different sources with different timing in the procedure cycle. The Company expects to generate product revenues from the sale of kits in bulk to clinics and physicians for the testing of their patients, and laboratory service revenue after its laboratory analyzes the results of these tests and renders a diagnosis.

Specialty Sales Team

To market the MASCT System and its related laboratory diagnostic services, the Company will need to hire independent sales representatives with technical knowledge in, for example, molecular diagnostics, mammography, obstetrics/gynecology office practices, and women's health clinics. As a result, the Company will expect its sales representatives to develop long-lasting, consultative relationships with the referring physicians they serve.

The Company will focus its marketing and sales efforts on encouraging physicians and breast health and mammography clinics to use the MASCT System in conjunction with other health screening examinations, including annual physical examinations and regularly scheduled cervical Pap smears and mammograms. The sales representatives will concentrate on a geographic area based on the number of physician clients and prospects, which will be identified using several national physician databases that provide physician address information, patient demographic information, and other data. The Company also expects to use the FDA website containing contact information on the approximately 8,600 MQSA-certified clinics to identify potential clients.

The National Reference Laboratory for Breast Health

The Company has established the National Reference Laboratory for Breast Health, a wholly-owned CLIA-registered clinical laboratory for the cytology and molecular diagnostics testing and reading of results of collected NAF samples and ArgusCYTE blood samples. The Company believes that by maintaining its own clinical laboratory, it will be positioned to generate substantial additional service revenues through cytology and molecular diagnostic testing, in addition to the sale of the MASCT System pumps and specimen collection kits.

The Company has established a comprehensive quality assurance program for its laboratory, designed to drive accurate and timely test results and to ensure the consistent high quality of its testing services. In addition to the compulsory proficiency programs and external inspections required by CMS and other regulatory agencies, the Company intends to develop a variety of internal systems and procedures to emphasize, monitor, and continuously improve the quality of its operations. The Company also participates in externally administered quality surveillance programs.

Growth Strategy

The Company launched the ForeCYTE and ArgusCYTE Tests at the end of the fourth quarter of 2011. The Company markets to both mammography clinics and physicians' offices. The Company is conducting a field experience trial to collect information about the ease or difficulty of adoption of the products in each location, the number of sales calls needed to receive the first orders, and the growth of sales of specimen collection kits on a monthly basis. The outcome of the Company's initial marketing efforts in this region will impact the Company's national marketing strategies, for example, we may decide to emphasize physicians' offices over mammography clinics.

The Company plans to market the MASCT System nationally after its field experience trial, which provides the Company with feedback on the patient and physician experiences, as well as with information relating to the issues and problems that may arise as the Company continues to market its products.

Research and Development

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Billing and Reimbursement

Billing for the MASCT System Medical Device and Patient Kits and the NAF Collection Procedure

Medicare and certain insurance carriers do not currently cover the cost of collecting the NAF sample. The Company intends to work with physicians and other interest groups to attempt to obtain coverage for the procedures but this process can be lengthy, costly, and might not be successful. Failure to receive reimbursement could limit the adoption and utilization of the MASCT System. Because the process can be done by a nurse or physician's assistant, takes less than five minutes, and the MASCT System supplies will contain everything to obtain, label, and ship the NAF samples, the charge for collecting NAF samples should be below the average cost of a mammogram.

Billing for Diagnostic Services

Billing for diagnostic services is generally complex. As a result, the Company relies on a third-party billing company to perform all of its billing and collection services. Laboratories must bill various payors, such as private insurance companies, managed care companies, governmental payors such as Medicare and Medicaid, physicians, hospitals, and employer groups, each of whom may have different billing requirements. The Company expects to be obligated to bill in the specific manner prescribed by the various payors. Additionally, the audit requirements that must be met to ensure compliance with applicable laws and regulations, as well as internal compliance policies and procedures, add further complexity to the billing process. Other factors that complicate billing include:

- · additional billing procedures required by government payor programs;
- · variability in coverage and information requirements among various payors;
- · missing, incomplete or inaccurate billing information provided by referring physicians;
- · billings to payors with whom the Company does not have contracts;
- · disputes with payors as to who is responsible for payment;
- · disputes with payors as to the appropriate level of reimbursement;
- · training and education of employees and clients;
- · compliance and legal costs; and
- · cost related to, among other factors, medical necessity denials and the absence of advance beneficiaries' notices.

In general, the Company performs the requested tests and reports test results even if the billing information is incorrect or missing. The Company will subsequently attempt to obtain any missing information and correct incomplete or erroneous billing information received from the healthcare provider. Missing or incorrect information on requisitions adds complexity to and slows the billing process, creates backlogs of unbilled requisitions, and generally increases the aging of accounts receivable and the length of time to recognize revenues. When all issues relating to the missing or incorrect information are not resolved in a timely manner, the related receivables will be written off to the allowance for doubtful accounts.

Reimbursement

Depending on the billing arrangement and applicable law, the party that reimburses the Company for its services will be (i) a third party who provides coverage to the patient, such as an insurance company, managed care organization, or a governmental payor program; (ii) the physician or other authorized party (such as another laboratory) who ordered the test or otherwise referred the test to us; or (iii) the patient.

Reimbursement for services under the Medicare program is based principally on two sets of fee schedules. Generally, anatomic pathology services, including most of the services the Company provides, are paid based on the Medicare physician fee schedule. The physician fee schedule is designed to set compensation rates for those medical services provided to Medicare beneficiaries that require a degree of physician supervision. Outpatient diagnostic laboratory tests are typically paid according to the laboratory fee schedule.

For the anatomic pathology services that the Company will provide, it will be reimbursed under the Medicare physician fee schedule, and beneficiaries are responsible for applicable coinsurance and deductible amounts. The physician fee schedule is based on assigned relative value shares for each procedure or service, and an annually determined conversion factor is applied to the relative value shares to calculate the reimbursement. The formula used to calculate the fee schedule conversion factor has resulted in significant decreases in payment levels in recent years.

Future decreases in the Medicare physician fee schedule are expected unless Congress acts to change the fee schedule methodology or mandates freezes or increases each year. Because the vast majority of the Company's laboratory services will be reimbursed based on the physician fee schedule, changes to the physician fee schedule could result in a greater impact on the Company's revenues than changes to the Medicare laboratory fee schedule.

The Company expects to bill the Medicare program directly. Generally, it will be permitted to directly bill the Medicare beneficiary for clinical laboratory tests only when the service is considered not medically necessary and the patient has signed an Advanced Beneficiary Notice, or ABN, reflecting acknowledgment that Medicare is likely to deny payment for the service. In most situations, the Company is required to rely on physicians to obtain an ABN from the patient. When the Company is not provided an ABN, it is generally unable to recover payment for a service for which Medicare has denied payment for lack of medical necessity.

In billing Medicare, the Company is required to accept the lowest of: its actual charge, the fee schedule amount for the state or local geographical area, or a national limitation amount, as payment in full for covered tests performed on behalf of Medicare beneficiaries. Payment under the laboratory fee schedule has been limited by Congressional action such as freezes on the otherwise applicable annual Consumer Price Index, or CPI, update to the fee schedule amount. The CPI update of the laboratory fee schedule for 2010 was minus 1.9%.

The Medicare statute permits Federal Health and Human Services Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, or CMS, to adjust statutorily prescribed fees for some medical services, including clinical laboratory services, if the fees are "grossly excessive." Medicare regulations provide that if CMS or a carrier determines that an overall payment adjustment of less than 15% is needed to produce a realistic and equitable payment amount, then the payment amount is not considered "grossly excessive or deficient." However, if a determination is made that a payment adjustment of 15% or more is justified, CMS could provide an adjustment of 15% or less, but not more than 15%, in any given year. The Company cannot provide any assurance that fees payable by Medicare for clinical laboratory services could not be reduced as a result of the application of this rule or that the government might not assert claims for recoupment of previously paid amounts by retroactively applying these principles.

The payment amounts under the Medicare fee schedules are important not only for reimbursement under Medicare, but also because the schedule is often used as a reference for the payment amounts set by other third-party payors. For example, state Medicaid programs are prohibited from paying more than the Medicare fee schedule limit for laboratory services furnished to Medicaid recipients, and insurance companies and managed care organizations typically reimburse at a percentage of the Medicare fee schedule.

The Company's reimbursement rates also vary depending on whether it is considered an "in-network," or participating, provider. If it enters into a contract with an insurance company, the Company's reimbursement will be governed by its contractual relationship, and it will typically be reimbursed on a fee-for-service basis at a discount from the patient fee schedule. If the Company does not have a contract with an insurance company, it will be classified as "out-of-network," or as a non-participating provider. In such instances, it would have no contractual right to reimbursement for services.

Reimbursement Strategy

CPT Code for MASCT System NAF Collection Procedure

The NAF collection procedure of the MASCT System does not currently have a procedure-specific Category I CPT code, which is important for reimbursement by Medicare for eligible patients, and which is part of the basis by which insurance companies make reimbursement decisions. A non-specific Category I CPT code, 19499 (unlisted procedure, breast), can be used initially by physicians and insurance carriers will often pay for such procedures with proper documentation. Medicare does not typically reimburse for CPT 19499 procedures.

CPT Code for ForeCYTE Cytology and IHC Biomarker Testing

Category I laboratory procedure codes for cytology and IHC biomarker tests currently exist and reimbursement for these codes by Medicare has been established for 2012 at between \$384 and about \$1500, depending on the complexity of the test.

Laboratories typically set patient fee schedules at higher rates for the same procedure.

Intellectual Property

As of February 8, 2012, we own more than 120 issued patents (31 in the United States and at least 90 in foreign countries), and 6 pending patent applications (4 in the United States, 1 pending foreign application and 1 pending International Patent Cooperation Treaty (PCT) application) directed to our products, services, and technologies.

	United States			Foreign / PCT		
Description	Issued (1)	Expiration	Pending (1)	Issued (1)	Expiration	Pending
MASCT (ForeCYTE) Test	6	2016-2031	1	11	2016-2031	1
Microcatheter (FullCYTE) Test	19	2019-2031	2	56	2019-2031	0
NextCYTE Test	0	2031	0	0	2031	1
ArgusCYTE Test	1	2020	0	1	2031	0
Intraductal Treatment Program	11	2030	1	35	2030	1
Carbohydrate biomarkers	1	2022	2	3	2022	0

The total patents issued or pending, as applicable, exceed the totals in the respective columns because some patents and applications contain claims directed to more than one technology.

We have applied with the United States Patent and Trademark Office for registration of the use of the marks Atossa (word and design), ForeCYTE, FullCYTE, NextCYTE, ArgusCYTE, MASCT, and Oxy-MASCT.

Competition

We believe that the MASCT System for NAF collection will compete in the medical device product industry with Neomatrix and with academic scientists and physicians who use "homemade" NAF fluid collection systems for research purposes. The Neomatrix device is automated and provides warmth and nipple aspiration simultaneously and is the only non-"homemade" NAF collection system of which we are currently aware. The advantages of the MASCT System compared to the Neomatrix device include a lower acquisition cost and portability. The disadvantages of the MASCT System compared to the Neomatrix device include the requirement that a nurse or other healthcare provider manually operate the device, which may result in increased risks of human error and improper sample collection, and the reduced availability of experience with the device among the medical community.

We believe we will compete in the anatomic pathology laboratory industry based on the patent portfolio for the MASCT System, the technical expertise provided by our focus on diagnoses utilizing NAF, service-focused relationships with referring physicians, and our advanced technology. Based on the scope of our patent claims and the terms of use accompanying the MASCT System, we do not believe that our competitors can transport or process NAF samples collected with the MASCT System without infringing our patent estate and the contractual terms of use.

Laboratories that could process NAF samples not collected with the MASCT System include thousands of local and regional pathology groups, national laboratories, hospital pathologists, and academic laboratories. The largest such competitors include Laboratory Corporation of America and Quest Diagnostics Incorporated.

Characteristics of each source of competition include:

Local and Regional Pathology Groups. Local and regional pathology groups focus on servicing hospitals, often maintaining a staff of pathologists on site that can provide support in the interpretation of certain results. The business models of these laboratories tend to be focused on the efficient delivery of individual tests for a multitude of diseases rather than the comprehensive assessment of only NAF samples, and their target groups tend to be hospital pathologists as opposed to community physicians.

National Laboratories. National laboratories typically offer a full suite of tests for a variety of medical professionals, including general practitioners, hospitals, and pathologists. Their emphasis on providing a broad product portfolio of commoditized tests at the lowest possible price often limits such laboratories' ability to handle difficult or complex specimens requiring special attention, such as NAF samples. In addition, national laboratories typically do not provide ready access to a specialized pathologist for interpretation of test results.

Hospital Pathologists. Pathologists working in a hospital traditionally provide most of the diagnostic services required for hospital patients and sometimes also serve non-hospital patients. Hospital pathologists typically have close interaction with treating physicians, including face-to-face contact. However, hospital pathologists often do not have the depth of experience, specialization, and expertise necessary to perform the specialized services needed for NAF samples.

Academic Laboratories. Academic laboratories generally offer advanced technology and know-how. In fact, the vast majority of NAF sample processing over the last several years has been in academic laboratories primarily for research purposes. These laboratories typically pursue multiple activities and goals, such as research and education, or are generally committed to their own hospitals. Turn-around time for specimen results reporting from academic laboratories is often slow. This limits the attractiveness of academic laboratories to outside physicians who tend to have focused specialized needs and require results to be reported in a timely manner.

Alternative Diagnostic Tools. We also anticipate that the MASCT System will face challenges in market adoption due to the reliance of physicians and other medical professionals on existing diagnostic tools for breast cancer, including mammograms, ultrasound examinations, magnetic resonance imaging, or MRI, fine needle aspiration and core biopsies, among others. These methods are currently more widely used and accepted by physicians, and may continue to be more widely used than our proposed products and services because they are currently reimbursed by third-party payors. In addition, physicians and other medical professionals may view the MASCT System as a screening tool for existing breast cancer, like mammography, rather than as an adjunctive procedure to mammography. As a result, the MASCT System could be deemed to compete directly with mammography, an established procedure, which could impair market adoption of the MASCT System. The advantages of the MASCT System compared to ultrasound, mammography, or magnetic resonance imaging include obtaining cytology and molecular information, the ease and simplicity of the procedure, and the cost, especially compared to MRI. The disadvantages of the MASCT System compared to ultrasound, mammography, and MRI include a lower sensitivity to detection of cancer. The advantage of the MASCT System compared to fine needle aspiration and core biopsies include the ease and simplicity of the procedure, the cost, and the patient comfort. The disadvantages of the MASCT System compared to fine needle aspiration and core biopsies include the reduced sample size and the consequent limitation of the range of molecular studies that can be conducted.

Information Systems

We have acquired and implemented a third-party pathology laboratory report management system that supports our operations and physician services. Our information systems, to the extent such systems hold or transmit patient medical information, are believed to operate in compliance with state and federal laws and regulations relating to the privacy and security of patient medical information, including a comprehensive federal law and regulations referred to as HIPAA. While we have endeavored to establish our information systems to be compliant with such laws, including HIPAA, such laws are complex and subject to interpretation.

Government Regulation

United States Medical Device Regulation

The Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act, or FDCA, and the FDA's implementing regulations, govern registration and listing, manufacturing, labeling, storage, advertising and promotion, sales and distribution, and post-market surveillance. Medical devices and their manufacturers are also subject to inspection by the FDA. The FDCA, supplemented by other federal and state laws, also provides civil and criminal penalties for violations of its provisions. We manufacture and market a medical device that is regulated by the FDA, comparable state agencies and regulatory bodies in other countries. We also operate a clinical and diagnostic laboratory which uses reagents and test kits some of which are regulated medical devices.

The FDA classifies medical devices into one of three classes (Class I, II or III) based on the degree of risk the FDA determines to be associated with a device and the extent of control deemed necessary to ensure the device's safety and effectiveness. Devices requiring fewer controls because they are deemed to pose lower risk are placed in Class I or II. Class I devices are deemed to pose the least risk and are subject only to general controls applicable to all devices, such as requirements for device labeling, premarket notification, and adherence to the FDA's current good manufacturing practice requirements, as reflected in its QSR. Most pathology staining kits, reagents, and routine antibody-based immunohistochemistry protocols which the Company intends to use initially are Class I devices. Class II devices are intermediate risk devices that are subject to general controls and may also be subject to special controls such as performance standards, product-specific guidance documents, special labeling requirements, patient registries or postmarket surveillance. The MASCT System is a Class II device. Class III devices are those for which insufficient information exists to assure safety and effectiveness solely through general or special controls, and include life-supporting, or implantable devices, and devices not "substantially equivalent" to a device that is already legally marketed.

Most Class I devices, including the laboratory staining kits and reagents the Company uses, and some Class II devices are exempted by regulation from the 510(k) clearance requirement and can be marketed without prior authorization from FDA. Class I and Class II devices that have not been so exempted are eligible for marketing through the 510(k) clearance pathway. By contrast, devices placed in Class III generally require premarket approval, or PMA, approval prior to commercial marketing. To obtain 510(k) clearance for a medical device, an applicant must submit a premarket notification to the FDA demonstrating that the device is "substantially equivalent" to a predicate device legally marketed in the United States. A device is substantially equivalent if, with respect to the predicate device, it has the same intended use and (i) the same technological characteristics, or (ii) has different technological characteristics and the information submitted demonstrates that the device is as safe and effective as a legally marketed device and does not raise different questions of safety or effectiveness. A showing of substantial equivalence sometimes, but not always, requires clinical data. In the case of the MASCT System, a clinical trial was conducted. Generally, the 510(k) clearance process can exceed 90 days and may extend to a year or more. After a device has received 510(k) clearance for a specific intended use, any modification that could significantly affect its safety or effectiveness, such as a significant change in the design, materials, method of manufacture or intended use, will require a new 510(k) clearance or (if the device as modified is not substantially equivalent to a legally marketed predicate device) PMA approval. While the determination as to whether new authorization is needed is initially left to the manufacturer, the FDA may review this determination and evaluate the regulatory status of the modified product at any time and may require the manufacturer to cease marketing and recall the modified

All clinical trials must be conducted in accordance with regulations and requirements collectively known as Good Clinical Practice, or GCP. GCPs include the FDA's Investigational Device Exemption, or IDE, regulations, which describe the conduct of clinical trials with medical devices, including the recordkeeping, reporting and monitoring responsibilities of sponsors and investigators, and labeling of investigation devices. They also prohibit promotion, test marketing, or commercialization of an investigational device, and any representation that such a device is safe or effective for the purposes being investigated. GCPs also include FDA's regulations for institutional review board approval and for protection of human subjects (informed consent), as well as disclosure of financial interests by clinical investigators.

Required records and reports are subject to inspection by the FDA. The results of clinical testing may be unfavorable or, even if the intended safety and effectiveness success criteria are achieved, may not be considered sufficient for the FDA to grant approval or clearance of a product. The commencement or completion of clinical trials, if any, that the Company may sponsor, may be delayed or halted, or be inadequate to support approval of a PMA application or clearance of a premarket notification for numerous reasons, including, but not limited to, the following:

- the FDA or other regulatory authorities do not approve a clinical trial protocol or a clinical trial (or a change to a previously approved protocol or trial that requires approval), or place a clinical trial on hold;
- · patients do not enroll in clinical trials or follow up at the rate expected;
- · institutional review boards and third-party clinical investigators may delay or reject the Company's trial protocol or changes to its trial protocol;
- third-party clinical investigators decline to participate in a trial or do not perform a trial on the Company's anticipated schedule or consistent with the clinical trial protocol, investigator agreements, good clinical practices or other FDA requirements;
- · third-party organizations do not perform data collection and analysis in a timely or accurate manner;
- · regulatory inspections of clinical trials or manufacturing facilities, which may, among other things, require the Company to undertake corrective action or suspend or terminate its clinical trials;
- · changes in governmental regulations or administrative actions;
- · the interim or final results of the clinical trial are inconclusive or unfavorable as to safety or effectiveness; and
- the FDA concludes that the Company's trial design is inadequate to demonstrate safety and effectiveness.

After a device is approved and placed in commercial distribution, numerous regulatory requirements apply. These include:

- · establishment registration and device listing;
- · the QSR, which requires manufacturers to follow design, testing, control, documentation and other quality assurance procedures;
- · labeling regulations, which prohibit the promotion of products for unapproved or "off-label" uses and impose other restrictions on labeling;
- · medical device reporting regulations, which require that manufacturers report to the FDA if a device may have caused or contributed to a death or serious injury or malfunctioned in a way that would likely cause or contribute to a death or serious injury if malfunctions were to recur; and
- · corrections and removal reporting regulations, which require that manufacturers report to the FDA field corrections and product recalls or removals if undertaken to reduce a risk to health posed by the device or to remedy a violation of the FDCA caused by the device that may present a risk to health.

The FDA enforces regulatory requirements by conducting periodic, announced and unannounced inspections and market surveillance. Inspections may include the manufacturing facilities of our subcontractors. Failure to comply with applicable regulatory requirements, including those applicable to the conduct of our clinical trials, can result in enforcement action by the FDA, which may lead to any of the following sanctions:

· warning letters or untitled letters;

- · fines and civil penalties;
- · unanticipated expenditures;
- · delays in clearing or approving or refusal to clear or approve products;
- · withdrawal or suspension of FDA clearance;
- · product recall or seizure;
- · orders for physician notification or device repair, replacement, or refund;
- · production interruptions;
- · operating restrictions;
- · injunctions; and
- · criminal prosecution.

The Company and its contract manufacturers, specification developers and suppliers are also required to manufacture the MASCT and Microcatheter Systems in compliance with current Good Manufacturing Practice requirements set forth in the QSR. The QSR requires a quality system for the design, manufacture, packaging, labeling, storage, installation and servicing of marketed devices, and includes extensive requirements with respect to quality management and organization, device design, buildings, equipment, purchase and handling of components, production and process controls, packaging and labeling controls, device evaluation, distribution, installation, complaint handling, servicing and record keeping. The FDA enforces the QSR through periodic announced and unannounced inspections that may include the manufacturing facilities of our subcontractors. If the FDA believes the Company or any of its contract manufacturers or regulated suppliers is not in compliance with these requirements, it can shut down the Company's manufacturing operations, require recall of the MASCT System, refuse to clear or approve new marketing applications, institute legal proceedings to detain or seize products, enjoin future violations, or assess civil and criminal penalties against the Company or its officers or other employees. Any such action by the FDA would have a material adverse effect on the Company's business.

CLIA and State Regulation

As a provider of cytology and molecular diagnostic services, the Company is required to hold certain federal, state and local licenses, certifications, and permits. Under CLIA, it is required to hold a certificate applicable to the type of work it performs and to comply with certain CLIA-imposed standards. CLIA regulates all laboratories by requiring they be certified by the federal government and comply with various operational, personnel, facilities administration, quality, and proficiency requirements intended to ensure that laboratory testing services are accurate, reliable, and timely. CLIA does not preempt state laws that are more stringent than federal law.

To obtain and renew its CLIA certificates, which it is required to renew every two years, the Company will be regularly subject to survey and inspection to assess compliance with program standards and may be subject to additional random inspections. Standards for testing under CLIA are based on the level of complexity of the tests performed by the laboratory. Laboratories performing high complexity testing are required to meet more stringent requirements than laboratories performing less complex tests where a CLIA certificate is required. Both NAF cytology and molecular diagnostic testing are high complexity tests. CLIA certification is a prerequisite to be eligible for reimbursement under Medicare and Medicaid.

In addition to CLIA requirements, the Company is subject to various state laws. CLIA provides that a state may adopt laboratory regulations that are more stringent than those under federal law, and a number of states, including Washington, where the Company is located, have done so. The Washington State Medical Test Site, or MTS, Licensure law was passed in May 1989 to allow the state to regulate clinical laboratory testing. In October 1993, Washington became the first state to have its clinical laboratory licensure program judged by the CMS as equivalent to CLIA and was granted an exemption. In addition, New York, Maryland, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, and California have implemented their own laboratory regulatory schemes. State laws may require that laboratory personnel meet certain qualifications, specify certain quality controls, or prescribe record maintenance requirements.

Privacy and Security of Health Information and Personal Information; Standard Transactions

The Company is subject to state and federal laws and implementing regulations relating to the privacy and security of the medical information of the patients it treats. The principal federal legislation is part of HIPAA. Pursuant to HIPAA, the Secretary of the Department of Health and Human Services, or HHS, has issued final regulations designed to improve the efficiency and effectiveness of the healthcare system by facilitating the electronic exchange of information in certain financial and administrative transactions, while protecting the privacy and security of the patient information exchanged. These regulations also confer certain rights on patients regarding their access to and control of their medical records in the hands of healthcare providers such as the Company.

Four principal regulations have been issued in final form: privacy regulations, security regulations, standards for electronic transactions, and the National Provider Identifier regulations. The HIPAA privacy regulations, which fully came into effect in April 2003, establish comprehensive federal standards with respect to the uses and disclosures of an individual's personal health information, referred to in the privacy regulations as "protected health information," by health plans, healthcare providers, and healthcare clearinghouses. The Company is a healthcare provider within the meaning of HIPAA. The regulations establish a complex regulatory framework on a variety of subjects, including:

- the circumstances under which uses and disclosures of protected health information are permitted or required without a specific authorization by the patient, including but not limited to treatment purposes, activities to obtain payment for services, and healthcare operations activities;
- · a patient's rights to access, amend, and receive an accounting of certain disclosures of protected health information;
- the content of notices of privacy practices for protected health information; and
- · administrative, technical and physical safeguards required of entities that use or receive protected health information.

The federal privacy regulations, among other things, restrict the Company's ability to use or disclose protected health information in the form of patient-identifiable laboratory data, without written patient authorization, for purposes other than payment, treatment, or healthcare operations (as defined by HIPAA) except for disclosures for various public policy purposes and other permitted purposes outlined in the privacy regulations. The privacy regulations provide for significant fines and other penalties for wrongful use or disclosure of protected health information, including potential civil and criminal fines and penalties. Although the HIPAA statute and regulations do not expressly provide for a private right of damages, the Company could incur damages under state laws to private parties for the wrongful use or disclosure of confidential health information or other private personal information.

The Company has implemented policies and practices that it believes brings it into compliance with the privacy regulations. However, the documentation and process requirements of the privacy regulations are complex and subject to interpretation. Failure to comply with the privacy regulations could subject the Company to sanctions or penalties, loss of business, and negative publicity.

The HIPAA privacy regulations establish a "floor" of minimum protection for patients as to their medical information and do not supersede state laws that are more stringent. Therefore, the Company is required to comply with both HIPAA privacy regulations and various state privacy laws. The failure to do so could subject it to regulatory actions, including significant fines or penalties, and to private actions by patients, as well as to adverse publicity and possible loss of business. In addition, federal and state laws and judicial decisions provide individuals with various rights for violation of the privacy of their medical information by healthcare providers such as the Company.

The final HIPAA security regulations, which establish detailed requirements for physical, administrative, and technical measures for safeguarding protected health information in electronic form, became effective on April 21, 2005. The Company has employed what it considers to be a reasonable and appropriate level of physical, administrative and technical safeguards for patient information. Failure to comply with the security regulations could subject the Company to sanctions or penalties and negative publicity.

The final HIPAA regulations for electronic transactions, referred to as the transaction standards, establish uniform standards for certain specific electronic transactions and code sets and mandatory requirements as to data form and data content to be used in connection with common electronic transactions, such as billing claims, remittance advices, enrollment, and eligibility. The Company has outsourced to a third-party vendor the handling of its billing and collection transactions, to which the transaction standards apply. Failure of the vendor to properly conform to the requirements of the transaction standards could, in addition to possible sanctions and penalties, result in payors not processing transactions submitted on our behalf, including claims for payment.

The HIPAA regulations on adoption of national provider identifiers, or NPI, required healthcare providers to adopt new, unique identifiers for reporting on claims transactions submitted after May 23, 2007. The Company intends to obtain NPIs for its laboratory facilities and pathologists so that it can report NPIs to Medicare, Medicaid, and other health plans.

The healthcare information of the Company's patients includes social security numbers and other personal information that are not of an exclusively medical nature. The consumer protection laws of a majority of states now require organizations that maintain such personal information to notify each individual if their personal information is accessed by unauthorized persons or organizations, so that the individuals can, among other things, take steps to protect themselves from identity theft. The costs of notification and the adverse publicity can both be significant. Failure to comply with these state consumer protection laws can subject a company to penalties that vary from state to state, but may include significant civil monetary penalties, as well as to private litigation and adverse publicity. California recently enacted legislation that expanded its version of a notification law to cover improper access to medical information generally, and other states may follow suit.

Federal and State Fraud and Abuse Laws

The federal healthcare Anti-Kickback Statute prohibits, among other things, knowingly and willfully offering, paying, soliciting, or receiving remuneration to induce referrals or in return for purchasing, leasing, ordering, or arranging for the purchase, lease, or order of any healthcare item or service reimbursable under a governmental payor program. The definition of "remuneration" has been broadly interpreted to include anything of value, including gifts, discounts, the furnishing of supplies or equipment, credit arrangements, payments of cash, waivers of payments, ownership interests, opportunity to earn income, and providing anything at less than its fair market value. The Anti-Kickback Statute is broad, and it prohibits many arrangements and practices that are lawful in businesses outside of the healthcare industry. Recognizing that the Anti-Kickback Statute is broad and may technically prohibit many innocuous or beneficial arrangements within the healthcare industry, HHS has issued a series of regulatory "safe harbors." These safe harbor regulations set forth certain provisions that, if met, will provide healthcare providers and other parties with an affirmative defense against prosecution under the federal Anti-Kickback Statute. Although full compliance with these provisions ensures against prosecution under the federal Anti-Kickback Statute will be pursued.

From time to time, the Office of Inspector General, or OIG, issues alerts and other guidance on certain practices in the healthcare industry. In October 1994, the OIG issued a Special Fraud Alert on arrangements for the provision of clinical laboratory services. The Fraud Alert set forth a number of practices allegedly engaged in by some clinical laboratories and healthcare providers that raise issues under the "fraud and abuse" laws, including the Anti-Kickback Statute. These practices include: (i) laboratories providing employees to furnish valuable services for physicians (other than collecting patient specimens for testing for the laboratory) that are typically the responsibility of the physicians' staff; (ii) providing free testing to a physician's managed care patients in situations where the referring physicians benefit from such reduced laboratory utilization; (iii) providing free pick-up and disposal of bio-hazardous waste for physicians for items unrelated to a laboratory's testing services; (iv) providing general-use facsimile machines or computers to physicians that are not exclusively used in connection with the laboratory services; and (v) providing free testing for healthcare providers, their families, and their employees (professional courtesy testing).

The OIG emphasized in the Special Fraud Alert that when one purpose of an arrangement is to induce referrals of program-reimbursed laboratory testing, both the clinical laboratory and the healthcare provider, or physician, may be liable under the Anti-Kickback Statute, and may be subject to criminal prosecution and exclusion from participation in the Medicare and Medicaid programs.

Another issue about which the OIG has expressed concern involves the provision of discounts on laboratory services billed to customers in return for the referral of more lucrative federal healthcare program business. In a 1999 Advisory Opinion, the OIG concluded that a proposed arrangement whereby a laboratory would offer physicians significant discounts on non-federal healthcare program laboratory tests might violate the Anti-Kickback Statute. The OIG reasoned that the laboratory could be viewed as providing such discounts to the physician in exchange for referrals by the physician of business to be billed by the laboratory to Medicare at non-discounted rates. The OIG indicated that the arrangement would not qualify for protection under the discount safe harbor because Medicare and Medicaid would not get the benefit of the discount. Subsequently, in a year 2000 correspondence, the OIG stated that the Anti-Kickback Statute may be violated if there were linkage between the discount offered to the physician and the physician's referrals of tests covered under a federal healthcare program that would be billed by the laboratory directly. Where there was evidence of such linkage, the arrangement would be considered "suspect" if the charge to the physician was below the laboratory's "average fully loaded costs" of the test.

Generally, arrangements that would be considered suspect, and possible violations under the Anti-Kickback Statute, include arrangements between a clinical laboratory and a physician (or related organizations or individuals) in which the laboratory would (1) provide items or services to the physician or other referral source without charge, or for amounts that are less than their fair market value; (2) pay the physician or other referral source amounts that are in excess of the fair market value of items or services that were provided; or (3) enter into an arrangement with a physician or other entity because it is a current or potential referral source. HIPAA also applies to fraud and false statements. HIPAA created two new federal crimes: healthcare fraud and false statements relating to healthcare matters. The healthcare fraud statute prohibits knowingly and willfully executing a scheme to defraud any healthcare benefit program, including private payors. A violation of this statute is a felony and may result in fines, imprisonment, or exclusion from governmental payor programs such as the Medicare and Medicaid programs. The false statements statute prohibits knowingly and willfully falsifying, concealing, or covering up a material fact or making any materially false, fictitious, or fraudulent statement in connection with the delivery of or payment for healthcare benefits, items, or services, as well as the retention of any overpayment. A violation of this statute is a felony and may result in fines or imprisonment or exclusion from governmental payor programs.

Physician Referral Prohibitions

Under a federal law directed at "self-referral," commonly known as the Stark Law, prohibitions exist, with certain exceptions, on Medicare and Medicaid payments for laboratory tests referred by physicians who personally, or through a family member, have an investment interest in, or a compensation arrangement with, the laboratory performing the tests. A person who engages in a scheme to circumvent the Stark Law's referral prohibition may be fined up to \$100,000 for each such arrangement or scheme. In addition, any person who presents or causes to be presented a claim to the Medicare or Medicaid programs in violation of the Stark Law is subject to civil monetary penalties of up to \$15,000 per bill submission, an assessment of up to three times the amount claimed, and possible exclusion from participation in federal governmental payor programs. Bills submitted in violation of the Stark Law may not be paid by Medicare or Medicaid, and any person collecting any amounts with respect to any such prohibited bill is obligated to refund such amounts.

Any arrangement between a laboratory and a physician or physicians' practice that involves remuneration will prohibit the laboratory from obtaining payment for services resulting from the physicians' referrals, unless the arrangement is protected by an exception to the self-referral prohibition or a provision stating that the particular arrangement would not result in remuneration. Among other things, a laboratory's provision of any item, device, or supply to a physician would result in a Stark Law violation unless it was used only to collect, transport, process, or store specimens for the laboratory, or was used only to order tests or procedures or communicate related results. This may preclude a laboratory's provision of fax machines and computers that may be used for unrelated purposes. Most arrangements involving physicians that would violate the Anti-Kickback Statute would also violate the Stark Law. Many states also have "self-referral" and other laws that are not limited to Medicare and Medicaid referrals. These laws may prohibit arrangements which are not prohibited by the Stark Law, such as a laboratory's placement of a phlebotomist in a physician's office to collect specimens for the laboratory. Finally, recent amendments to these laws require self-disclosure of violations by providers.

Discriminatory Billing Prohibition

In response to competitive pressures, the Company will be increasingly required to offer discounted pricing arrangements to managed care payors and physicians and other referral services. Discounts to referral sources raise issues under the Anti-Kickback Statute. Any discounted charge below the amount that Medicare or Medicaid would pay for a service also raises issues under Medicare's discriminatory billing prohibition. The Medicare statute permits the government to exclude a laboratory from participation in federal healthcare programs if it charges Medicare or Medicaid "substantially in excess" of its usual charges in the absence of "good cause." In 2000, the OIG stated in informal correspondence that the prohibition was violated only if the laboratory's charge to Medicare was substantially more than the "median non-Medicare/—Medicaid charge." On September 15, 2003, the OIG issued a notice of proposed rulemaking addressing the statutory prohibition. Under the proposed rule, a provider's charge to Medicare or Medicaid would be considered "substantially in excess of [its] usual charges" if it was more than 120% of the provider's mean or median charge for the service. The proposed rule was withdrawn in June 2007. At that time, the OIG stated that it would continue to evaluate billing patterns of individuals and entities on a case-by-case basis.

Corporate Practice of Medicine

The Company's contractual relationships with the licensed healthcare providers are subject to regulatory oversight, mainly by state licensing authorities. In certain states, for example, limitations may apply to the relationship with the pathologists that the Company intends to employ or engage, particularly in terms of the degree of control that the Company exercises or has the power to exercise over the practice of medicine by those pathologists. A number of states, including New York, Texas, and California, have enacted laws prohibiting business corporations, such as the Company, from practicing medicine and employing or engaging physicians to practice medicine. These requirements are generally imposed by state law in the states in which the Company operates, vary from state to state, and are not always consistent among states. In addition, these requirements are subject to broad powers of interpretation and enforcement by state regulators. Some of these requirements may apply to the Company even if it does not have a physical presence in the state, based solely on the employment of a healthcare provider licensed in the state or the provision of services to a resident of the state. The Company believes that it operates in material compliance with these requirements. However, failure to comply can lead to action against the Company and the licensed healthcare professionals that it employs, fines or penalties, receipt of cease and desist orders from state regulators, loss of healthcare professionals' licenses or permits, the need to make changes to the terms of engagement of those professionals that interfere with the Company's business, and other material adverse consequences.

State Laboratory Licensure

The Company is certified by CLIA and has been licensed in the states of Washington and California. The Company is in the process of obtaining a license to accept testing samples from New York, Pennsylvania, Maryland, New Jersey, and Rhode Island, which require out-of-state laboratories to hold state licenses. The Company is currently processing samples from certain states in which it does not hold a license under recognized exemption provisions. All other states permit testing with the CLIA certification. Similarly, many of the states from which it will solicit specimens require that a physician interpreting specimens from that state be licensed by that particular state, irrespective of where the services are to be provided. In the absence of such a state license, the physician may be considered to be engaged in the unlicensed practice of medicine.

The Company may become aware from time to time of other states that require out-of-state laboratories or physicians to obtain licensure in order to accept specimens from the state, and it is possible that other states do have such requirements or will have such requirements in the future. The Company intends to follow instructions from the state regulators as how to comply with such requirements.

Referrals after Becoming a Public Company

Once the Company's stock is publicly traded, it will not be able to accept referrals from physicians who own, directly or indirectly, shares of its stock unless it complies with the Stark Law exception for publicly traded securities. This requires, among other things, \$75 million in stockholders' equity (total assets minus total liabilities). The parallel safe harbor requires, among other things, \$50 million in undepreciated net tangible assets, in order for any distributions to such stockholders to be protected under the Anti-Kickback Statute.

Other Regulatory Requirements

The Company's laboratory is subject to federal, state, and local regulations relating to the handling and disposal of regulated medical waste, hazardous waste, and biohazardous waste, including chemical, biological agents and compounds, and human tissue. The Company uses outside vendors who are contractually obligated to comply with applicable laws and regulations to dispose of such waste. These vendors are licensed or otherwise qualified to handle and dispose of such waste.

The Occupational Safety and Health Administration, or OSHA, has established extensive requirements relating to workplace safety for healthcare employers, including requirements mandating work practice controls, protective clothing and equipment, training, medical follow-up, vaccinations, and other measures designed to minimize exposure to, and transmission of, blood-borne pathogens. Pursuant to its authority under the FDCA, the FDA has regulatory responsibility over instruments, test kits, reagents, and other devices used to perform diagnostic testing by laboratories such as ours. Specifically, the manufacturers and suppliers of analyte specific reagents, or ASRs, which we will obtain for use in diagnostic tests, are subject to regulation by the FDA and are required to register their establishments with the FDA, to conform manufacturing operations to the FDA's Quality System Regulation and to comply with certain reporting and other record keeping requirements. The FDA also regulates the sale or distribution, in interstate commerce, of products classified as medical devices under the FDCA, including *in vitro* diagnostic test kits. Such devices must undergo premarket review by the FDA prior to commercialization unless the device is of a type exempted from such review by statute or pursuant to the FDA's exercise of enforcement discretion.

The FDA maintains that it has authority to regulate the development and use of LDTs or "home brews" as medical devices, but to date has not exercised its authority with respect to "home brew" tests as a matter of enforcement discretion. The FDA regularly considers the application of additional regulatory controls over the sale of ASRs and the development and use of "home brews" by laboratories such as the Company's.

The FDA has conducted public hearings to discuss oversight of LDTs. While the outcome of those hearings is unknown, it is probable that some form of premarket notification or approval process will become a requirement for certain LDTs. Pre-market notification or approval of the Company's future LDTs would be costly and delay the ability of the Company to commercialize such tests.

Compliance Program

Compliance with government rules and regulations is a significant concern throughout the industry, in part due to evolving interpretations of these rules and regulations. The Company seeks to conduct its business in compliance with all statutes and regulations applicable to its operations. To this end, it has established a compliance program that reviews for regulatory compliance procedures, policies, and facilities throughout its business.

Legal Proceedings

On June 30, 2011, Robert Kelly, our former President, filed a counterclaim against us in an arbitration proceeding, alleging breach of contract in connection with the termination of a consulting agreement between Mr. Kelly (d/b/a Pitslayer LLC) and us. The consulting agreement was terminated by us in September 2010. Mr. Kelly, who is acting as a *pro se* litigant in the arbitration, seeks \$450,000 in compensatory damages, which is the amount he claims would have been earned had the consulting agreement been fulfilled to completion. We are reasonably confident in our defenses to Mr. Kelly's claims. Consequently, no provision or liability has been recorded for Mr. Kelly's claims as of September 30, 2011. However, it is at least reasonably possible that our estimate of our liability may change in the near term. Any payments by reason of an adverse determination in this matter will be charged to earnings in the period of determination.

Employees

As of December 31, 2011, we employed three executive officers, one of whom serves in such capacity part-time, and five other full-time employees. We expect that we will hire more employees as we expand.

Property

We lease approximately 9,800 square feet of office and laboratory space in Seattle, Washington. We believe that our current facilities will be adequate to meet our needs for the next 24 months.

Insurance

We currently maintain director's and officer's insurance, commercial general and office premises liability insurance, and product errors and omissions liability insurance for our products and services.

MANAGEMENT

The following table sets forth information regarding the members of the Board of Directors of the Company and its executive officers as of December 31, 2011:

Executive Officers and Directors

Name	Age	Position(s)
Steven C. Quay, M.D., Ph.D.	61	Chairman of the Board of Directors, Chief Executive Officer and President
Christopher Benjamin	37	Chief Financial Officer
Shu-Chih Chen, Ph.D.	50	Director, Chief Scientific Officer
John Barnhart	54	Director
Stephen J. Galli, M.D.	64	Director
Alexander Cross, Ph.D.	79	Director
H Lawrence Remmel Fsa	59	Director

The Company's bylaws provide that the number of directors authorized to serve on the Board of Directors of the Company may be established, from time to time, by action of the Board of Directors of the Company. Vacancies in the existing Board of Directors of the Company are filled by a majority vote of the remaining directors on the Board of Directors of the Company. Directors currently serve for a one-year term until each subsequent annual meeting of stockholders and until their respective successors have been elected and qualified or until death, resignation or removal. Effective upon the completion of this offering, our Board of Directors will be divided into three classes and directors will serve for a three-year term until the third annual meeting following their election and until their respective successors have been elected and qualified or until death, resignation or removal. Effective upon the completion of this offering, Dr. Quay and Mr. Barnhart will be Class I directors (whose terms will expire on the date of the 2013 annual meeting), Dr. Cross and Dr. Galli will be Class II directors (whose terms will expire on the date of the 2014 annual meeting), and Dr. Chen and Mr. Remmel will be Class III directors (whose terms will expire on the date of the 2015 annual meeting). The Company's executive officers are appointed by and serve at the discretion of the Board of Directors of the Company.

Dr. Quay is the Chief Executive Officer and Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Company. Dr. Shu-Chih Chen is the Chief Scientific Officer and a director. Drs. Quay and Chen are husband and wife. They currently beneficially own a substantial minority of the outstanding voting securities of the Company. Following the completion of this offering they will remain substantial minority stockholders.

Steven C. Quay, M.D., Ph.D. Dr. Quay has served as Chief Executive Officer and Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Company since the Company was incorporated in April 2009. Prior to his work at the Company, Dr. Quay served as Chairman of the Board, President and Chief Executive Officer of MDRNA, Inc. from August 2000 to May 2008, and as its Chief Scientific Officer until November 30, 2008 (MDRNA, Inc. was formerly known as Nastech Pharmaceutical Company Inc. and is currently known as Marina Biotech, Inc.). From December 2008 to April 2009, Dr. Quay was involved in acquiring the Company's assets and preparing the Company's business plan. Dr. Quay is certified in Anatomic Pathology with the American Board of Pathology, completed both an internship and residency in anatomic pathology at the Massachusetts General Hospital, a Harvard Medical School teaching hospital, is a former faculty member of the Department of Pathology, Stanford University School of Medicine, and is a named inventor on 14 U.S. and foreign patents covering the MASCT System. He oversaw the clinical testing and regulatory filing of the MASCT device with the FDA that led to its ultimate marketing clearance. Including the patents for the MASCT System, Dr. Quay has a total of 75 U.S. patents, 98 pending patent applications and is a named inventor on patents covering five pharmaceutical products that have been approved by the FDA. Dr. Quay received an M.D. in 1977 and a Ph.D. in 1975 from the University of Michigan Medical School. He also received his B.A. degree in biology, chemistry and mathematics from Western Michigan University in 1971. Dr. Quay is a member of the American Society of Investigative Pathology, the Association of Molecular Pathology, the Society for Laboratory Automation and Screening and the Association of Pathology Informatics. He was selected to serve on the Company's Board of Directors because of his role as the founder of the Company and the inventor of the MASCT System, as well as his qualifications as a physician and th

Christopher Benjamin. Mr. Benjamin has served as Chief Financial Officer of the Company since July 2010. His experience includes both public and private company financial reporting expertise. Based in Phoenix, Arizona, Mr. Benjamin has served as President of Rogue CFO Consulting since November 2007, as well as serving as the interim Chief Financial Officer for Quantum Materials Corporation and Paradise Publishers. In the past, he held the position of Controller for NexTec Group, Redfin Corporation and was the Accounting Manager and Assistant Controller for the Bsquare Corporation. His responsibilities at these companies included monthly financial reporting and analysis, audit and cash management, forecasting, oversight of the General Ledger, as well as ensuring compliance with GAAP, FASB and SEC reporting standards. From February 2003 to November 2005, Mr. Benjamin worked at Cascade Natural Gas Corporation, where his responsibilities included serving as Manager of Financial Reporting and Fixed Assets, along with Sarbanes Oxley process documentation, process flow creation and SEC reporting support. He received his M.B.A. from the University of Washington in Seattle in 2006 and a B.A. in accounting from the University of the Fraser Valley in Abbotsford, British Columbia, Canada in 1997.

Shu-Chih Chen, Ph.D. Dr. Chen has served as Chief Scientific Officer and director of the Company since the Company was incorporated in April 2009. Prior to joining the Company, Dr. Chen served as President of Ensisheim beginning in 2008, was founder and President of SC2Q Consulting Company from 2006 to 2008, and served as Head, Cell Biology, Nastech Pharmaceuticals Company, Inc. from 2002 to 2006. During 1995 and 1996, she was an Associate Professor at National Yang Ming University, Taipei, Taiwan, and served as the principal investigator of an NIH RO1 grant studying tumor suppression by gap junction protein connexin 43 at the Department of Molecular Medicine at Northwest Hospital before working in the research department at Nastech Pharmaceutical Company. She is named as an inventor on four patent applications related to cancer therapeutics. Dr. Chen received her Ph.D. degree in microbiology and public health from Michigan State University in 1992 and has published extensively on Molecular Oncology. She received her B.S. degree in medical technology from National Yang Ming University, Taipei, Taiwan in 1984. Dr. Chen was selected to serve on the Company's Board of Directors because of her qualifications in medical technology and as a professor and researcher in the field of cancer therapeutics.

John Barnhart. Mr. Barnhart has served as a director of the Company since July 2009. He is the founder and has been the Managing Director of the Visconti Group, a management consulting group in Seattle, Washington, since November 2003. He held prior executive positions at The Walt Disney Company, Sony Pictures Entertainment, and Walt Disney Imagineering. He received a B.S. degree in engineering from California State University, Long Beach in 1983. Mr. Barnhart was selected to serve on the Company's Board of Directors because of his understanding and experience with development and marketing of consumeroriented products and services.

Stephen J. Galli, M.D. Dr. Galli has served as a director of the Company since July 2011. Dr. Galli is Chair of the Department of Pathology, Professor of Pathology and of Microbiology & Immunology and the Mary Hewitt Loveless, M.D., Professor, Stanford University School of Medicine, Stanford, California, and has served in these capacities since February 1999. Before joining Stanford, he was on the faculty of Harvard Medical School. He holds 13 U.S. patents and has over 340 publications. He is past president of the American Society for Investigative Pathology and current president of the Collegium Internationale Allergologicum. In addition to receiving awards for his research, he was recently recognized with the 2010 Stanford University President's Award for Excellence Through Diversity for his recruitment and support of women and underrepresented minorities at Stanford University. He received his B.A. degree in biology, magna cum laude, from Harvard College in 1968 and his M.D. degree from Harvard Medical School in 1973 and completed a residency in anatomic pathology at the Massachusetts General Hospital in 1977. Dr. Galli has been selected to serve on the Company's Board of Directors because of his qualifications as a professor and physician, and his specialized expertise as a pathologist.

Alexander D. Cross, Ph.D. Dr. Cross has served as a director of the Company since July 2011. Dr. Cross has served on the board and as a member of the Audit, Compensation, and Nominating and Governance Committees of a number of public companies, including Marina Biotech, Inc. (formerly MDRNA, Inc. and, before that, Nastech Pharmaceutical Company Inc.). Dr. Cross also served as Chairman of the Board and CEO of Cytopharm, Inc. until August 2006. Dr. Cross has been a consultant in the fields of pharmaceuticals and biotechnology since January 1986 and has served as a principal of NDA Partners, LLC since 2003. Previously, Dr. Cross served as President and CEO of Zoecon Corporation, a biotechnology company, from April 1983 to December 1985, and Executive Vice President and Chief Operating Officer from 1979 to 1983. Dr. Cross also previously held several corporate management positions at Syntex Corporation from 1961 through 1979. Dr. Cross holds 109 issued U.S. patents and is the author of 90 peer-reviewed publications. Dr. Cross received his B.Sc., Ph.D. and D.Sc. degrees from the University of Nottingham, England, and is a Fellow of the Royal Society of Chemistry. Dr. Cross has been selected to serve on the Company's Board of Directors because of his qualifications as a scientist, business executive and audit committee financial expert, and his prior experience as a director and committee member of public companies.

H. Lawrence Remmel, Esq. Mr. Remmel served as a director of the Company since February 2012. He is currently a partner of the law firm Pryor Cashman LLP, located in New York City, where he chairs the Banking and Finance practice group. Mr. Remmel joined Pryor Cashman in 1988. His practice includes corporate and banking financings, issues relating to the Investment Company Act of 1940, and intellectual property and licensing issues, in particular in the biotechnology and biocosmeceutical areas. He was an associate of the law firm Reboul, MacMurray, Hewitt, Maynard & Kristol from 1984 to 1988, and began his legal career at Carter, Ledyard & Milburn, where he was an associate from 1979 to 1984. He was admitted to the New York bar in 1980 and is a member of the New York State Bar Association. He received his J.D. from the Washington & Lee University School of Law in 1979 and his B.A. from Princeton University in 1975. Mr. Remmel has been selected to serve on the Company's Board of Directors because of his substantial experience as a corporate attorney advising biotechnology companies and his familiarity with the fiduciary duties and the regulatory requirements affecting publicly traded companies.

Scientific Advisory Board

The Company has established a Scientific Advisory Board to provide strategic resources to the Company's management and its Board of Directors. It is intended that the Company's scientific advisory board has knowledge in breast cancer, NAF, breast cancer biomarkers, and Next Generation Sequencing technologies. The Company expects to expand the size of the advisory board in the future. The initial Scientific Advisory Board currently consists of:

Dr. Edward Sauter, M.D., Ph.D. Dr. Sauter is the Associate Dean for Research and Professor of Surgery at the University of North Dakota School of Medicine & Health Sciences. He received his M.D. from the Louisiana State School of Medicine and his Ph.D. from the University of Pennsylvania. He completed his general surgery residency at the Ochsner Clinic, in New Orleans, Louisiana. Dr. Sauter also completed a Surgical Oncology Fellowship at Fox Chase Cancer Center in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. Dr. Sauter was Vice-Chair for Research in the Department of Surgery and Professor at the University of Missouri-Columbia. He also completed his MHA while at the University of Missouri. Dr. Sauter is widely recognized for his research and clinical experience in breast cancer. Among his many accomplishments, Dr. Sauter and a team of researchers pioneered noninvasive and minimally invasive techniques to predict breast cancer risk using NAF. Dr. Sauter is the co-author of over 100 peer-reviewed publications on breast cancer, the majority of which pertain to cytology and molecular diagnostic biomarkers in NAF.

Dr. Sauter and the Company entered into a consulting agreement on February 18, 2010 which provides a \$5,000 signing fee and \$1,000 per month for up to four hours per month of Dr. Sauter's time. The agreement also provides reasonable travel expenses in connection with his work for the Company. The agreement currently extends through December 31, 2012.

Dr. Timothy Hunkapiller, Ph.D.

Dr. Hunkapiller has been a pioneering presence in computational biotechnology since its infancy 30 years ago and is co-inventor of the largest selling analytical research instrument in the world: the Perkin Elmer/Applied Biosystems DNA sequencer. Through his Seattle, Washington-based company, DiscoveryBiosciences, he provides technical consulting and commercialization services to both established and upcoming biotech companies.

Dr. Hunkapiller earned a Ph.D. from California Institute of Technology and was Research Assistant Professor in the Department of Molecular Biotechnology at the University of Washington until 1998. As a scientist, Dr. Hunkapiller's research focus included molecular immunology, evolution, computational genetics and comparative genomics. He is considered a leading expert on the genetics, genomic organization and functional diversity of the immune system. For the last 20 years, he has also been involved in bioinformatics, algorithm and database development and experimental process optimization.

While at Caltech, Dr. Hunkapiller originated the model for the automated, fluorescent DNA sequencer. The manifestation of this idea in products such as the ABI 3700TM and the MD MegabaseTM sequencers catalyzed and enabled the completion of the first drafts of the Human Genome and helped to revolutionize the field of genomics. He continues to work with Applied Biosystems today on improving the throughput and quality of data from these instruments and their associated chemistry.

Dr. Hunkapiller has been an advisor to a number of biotechnology companies as well as technology companies servicing the biotechnology and pharmaceutical industry. These efforts range from helping with SNP association studies for target discovery in breast cancer to the application of novel computer technologies in intelligently searching very large, unstructured text sources to improve intellectual property analysis.

In April 2011, Dr. Hunkapiller received options to purchase up to 45,000 shares of our common stock at an exercise price of \$5.00 per share, the then fair market value.

DIRECTOR COMPENSATION

The non-employee directors of the Company receive the following:

- · upon joining the Board, an initial director compensation fee of \$50,000, paid in shares of the Company's common stock and that vests ratably over one year from the date of grant;
- · an annual director retainer of \$50,000, paid in shares of the Company's common stock and that vests ratably over one year from the date of grant; and
- a fee of \$2,000 for the chairperson for each Board or committee meeting attended in person, a fee of \$1,500 for the members for each Board or committee meeting attended in person, a fee of \$1,500 for the chairperson for each Board or committee meeting attended via telephone and a fee of \$1,000 for the members for each Board or committee meeting attended via telephone.

In addition to the above, annual compensation for service on the Audit Committee is \$12,000 for the Chair and \$8,000 for each member, paid in fully vested shares of the Company's common stock or options, payable quarterly in arrears; and annual compensation for service on the Compensation Committee and Nominating/Governance Committee is \$10,000 for the Chair and \$6,000 for each member, paid in fully vested shares of the Company's common stock or options, payable quarterly in arrears.

The employee directors receive no compensation for their board service. Pursuant to the policies of Pryor Cashman, the law firm of which Mr. Remmel is a partner, the compensation Mr. Remmel receives for his services as a director (other than expense reimbursement) is paid to the firm directly. All directors receive reimbursement for reasonable travel expenses. The following table sets forth information regarding compensation earned by our non-employee directors during the fiscal year ended December 31, 2011:

Fees Earned or Paid in Option Cash Awards Total							
Name		(\$)		(\$)(1)		(\$)	
John Barnhart (2)	\$	28,000	\$	42,948	\$	70,948	
Stephen J. Galli, M.D. (3)	\$	20,000	\$	14,316	\$	34,316	
Alexander Cross, Ph.D. (4)	\$	22,500	\$	14,316	\$	36,816	
H. Lawrence Remmel, Esq. (5)							

⁽¹⁾ This column reflects the aggregate grant date fair value of equity awards granted in the applicable year and calculated in accordance with FASB ASC 718, excluding the effect of estimated forfeitures. Assumptions used in the calculations for these amounts are included elsewhere in this prospectus.

- (2) Fees earned or paid in cash consists of (a) \$4,000 in meeting attendance fees; (b) \$8,000 paid in fully vested options, payable quarterly in arrears, for service as a member of the Audit Committee; (c) \$6,000 paid in fully vested options, payable quarterly in arrears, for service as a member of the Compensation Committee; and (d) \$10,000 paid in fully vested options, payable quarterly in arrears, for service as chairperson of the Nominating/Governance Committee. During the fiscal year ended December 31, 2011, in lieu of an annual director retainer of \$50,000 paid in shares of the Company's common stock for each of the years 2009, 2010 and 2011, Mr. Barnhart was granted options to purchase 120,000 shares of our common stock at an exercise price per share of \$1.25. 80,000 options were fully vested on September 1, 2011, 10,000 options were fully vested on December 1, 2011 and 10,000 options will vest on each of March 1, 2012, June 1, 2012 and September 1, 2012.
- (3) Fees earned or paid in cash consists of (a) \$2,000 in meeting attendance fees; (b) \$8,000 paid in fully vested options, payable quarterly in arrears, for service as a member of the Audit Committee; and (c) \$10,000 paid in fully vested options, payable quarterly in arrears, for service as chairperson of the Nominating/Governance Committee. During the fiscal year ended December 31, 2011, in lieu of an annual director grant of \$50,000 paid in shares of the Company's common stock for 2011, Dr. Galli was granted options to purchase 40,000 shares of our common stock at an exercise price per share of \$1.25. 10,000 options were fully vested on December 1, 2011 and 10,000 options vest on each of March 1, 2012, June 1, 2012 and September 1, 2012.
- (4) Fees earned or paid in cash consists of (a) \$4,500 in meeting attendance fees; (b) \$12,000 paid in fully vested options, payable quarterly in arrears, for service as chairperson of the Audit Committee; and (c) \$6,000 paid in fully vested options, payable quarterly in arrears, for service as a member of the Compensation Committee. During the fiscal year ended December 31, 2011, in lieu of an annual director grant of \$50,000 paid in shares of the Company's common stock for 2011, Dr. Cross was granted options to purchase 40,000 shares of our common stock at an exercise price per share of \$1.25. 10,000 options were fully vested on December 1, 2011 and 10,000 options vest on each of March 1, 2012, June 1, 2012 and September 1, 2012.
- (5) Mr. Remmel was appointed to our Board of Directors on February 8, 2012 and thus did not receive compensation for service as a director during the fiscal year ended December 31, 2011.

Director Independence

The Board of Directors of the Company has reviewed the materiality of any relationship that each of our directors has with the Company, either directly or indirectly. Based on this review, the Board of Directors of the Company has determined that John Barnhart, Stephen J. Galli, M.D., Alexander Cross, Ph.D. and Lawrence Remmel, Esq. are "independent directors" as defined under the applicable rules of the NASDAQ Capital Market.

Committees of the Board of Directors of the Company

The Board of Directors of the Company has established an Audit Committee, a Compensation Committee and a Nominating and Governance Committee. The composition and function of each of these committees is described below.

Audit Committee

Upon the completion of this offering, the Audit Committee will be comprised of Dr. Cross (chair), Mr. Barnhart and Mr. Remmel. The Board of Directors of the Company has determined that Dr. Cross is an "Audit Committee Financial Expert," as defined by the rules of the SEC. The Audit Committee is authorized to:

- · approve and retain the independent registered public accounting firm to conduct the annual audit of the Company's financial statements;
- · review the proposed scope and results of the annual audit;
- · review and pre-approve audit and non-audit fees and services;
- · review proposed changes in the Company's financial and accounting standards and principles;
- · review the Company's policies and procedures with respect to its internal accounting, auditing and financial controls;
- · review and approve transactions between the Company and its directors, officers and affiliates; and
- establish procedures for complaints received by the Company regarding accounting matters.

The Company believes that the composition of its Audit Committee meets the independence requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or the Exchange Act, and the NASDAQ Capital Market.

Compensation Committee

Upon the completion of this offering, the Compensation Committee will be comprised of Mr. Barnhart (chair), Dr. Cross, and Dr. Galli. All members of the Compensation Committee qualify as independent directors under the current definition promulgated by the NASDAQ Capital Market. The Compensation Committee is authorized to:

- · review and recommend the compensation arrangements for management, or approve such arrangements, if directed by the board;
- establish and review general compensation policies with the objective to attract and retain superior talent, to reward individual performance and to achieve corporate goals;
- \cdot administer stock incentive and purchase plans; and
- · review and recommend to the board the compensation paid to non-employee directors for their service on the Board of Directors.

Nominating and Governance Committee

Upon the completion of this offering, the Nominating and Governance Committee will be comprised of Dr. Galli (chair), Mr. Barnhart, and Mr. Remmel. All members of the Nominating and Governance Committee qualify as independent directors under the current definition promulgated by the NASDAQ Capital Market. The Nominating and Governance Committee is authorized to:

- · identify and nominate candidates for election to the Board of Directors of the Company;
- · establish policies under which stockholders may recommend a candidate for consideration for nomination as a director;
- · annually review and evaluate the performance, operations, size and composition of the Board; and

· periodically assess and review the Company's Corporate Governance Guidelines and recommend any changes deemed appropriate to the Board for its consideration.

Compensation Committee Interlocks and Insider Participation

No member of our Compensation Committee has at any time been an employee of ours. None of our executive officers serves as a member of the Board of Directors or Compensation Committee of any other entity that has one or more executive officers serving as a member of our Board of Directors or Compensation Committee.

Code of Ethics

The Company has adopted a Code of Ethical Conduct that applies to all its employees, officers and directors, including those officers responsible for financial reporting. The Code of Ethical Conduct is available on the Company's website. The Company expects that any amendments to the code, or any waivers of its requirements, will be disclosed on its website.

Limitation of Directors' and Officers' Liability and Indemnification

The Delaware General Corporation Law authorizes corporations to limit or eliminate, subject to specified conditions, the personal liability of directors to corporations and their stockholders for monetary damages for breach of their fiduciary duties. The Company's certificate of incorporation and amended and restated bylaws limit the liability of its directors to the fullest extent permitted by Delaware law.

The Company has obtained director and officer liability insurance to cover liabilities the Company's directors and officers may incur in connection with their services to the Company. The Company's certificate of incorporation and amended and restated bylaws also provide that it will indemnify and advance expenses to any of its directors and officers who, by reason of the fact that he or she is an officer or director, is involved in a legal proceeding of any nature. The Company will repay certain expenses incurred by a director or officer in connection with any civil, criminal, administrative or investigative action or proceeding, including actions by the Company or in its name. Such indemnifiable expenses include, to the maximum extent permitted by law, attorney's fees, judgments, fines, settlement amounts and other expenses reasonably incurred in connection with legal proceedings. A director or officer will not receive indemnification if he or she is found not to have acted in good faith and in a manner he or she reasonably believed to be in, or not opposed to, the Company's best interest.

Such limitation of liability and indemnification does not affect the availability of equitable remedies. In addition, the Company has been advised that in the opinion of the SEC, indemnification for liabilities arising under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Securities Act, is against public policy as expressed in the Securities Act and is therefore unenforceable.

There is no pending litigation or proceeding involving any of the Company's directors, officers, employees or agents in which indemnification will be required or permitted. The Company is not aware of any threatened litigation or proceeding that may result in a claim for such indemnification.

EXECUTIVE COMPENSATION

Remuneration of Officers

The Company did not accrue or pay any remuneration or compensation to any officer, director or employee in 2009. In 2010, the Company accrued salary payments to Dr. Steven C. Quay and Dr. Shu-Chih Chen commencing as of September 30, 2010 in the amounts and on the terms as defined below. In July 2011, the Company paid accrued salary amounts of \$154,762 and \$123,810 to Drs. Quay and Chen, respectively.

The Company's Compensation Committee is responsible for reviewing and evaluating key executive employee base salaries, setting goals and objectives for executive bonuses and administering benefit plans. The Compensation Committee provides advice and recommendations to the Board of Directors of the Company on such matters. See "Committees of the Board of Directors—Compensation Committee" for further details on the role of the Compensation Committee.

Summary Compensation Table

The following table sets forth the compensation earned by the Company's Chief Executive Officer, Chief Scientific Officer and Chief Financial Officer (collectively, the "Named Executive Officers") for fiscal 2011:

				Option Awards	
Name and Position	Year	Salary	Bonus	(1)	Total
Steven C. Quay, M.D., Ph.D. President and Chief Executive Officer	2011	\$ 250,000	\$ 61,905	\$ — \$	311,905
Christopher Benjamin (2) Chief Financial Officer	2011	\$ 38,968	\$ _	\$ — \$	38,968
Shu-Chi Chen, Ph.D. Chief Scientific Officer	2011	\$ 200,000	\$ 37,143	\$ — \$	237,143

- (1) This column reflects the aggregate grant date fair value of equity awards granted in the applicable year and calculated in accordance with FASB ASC 718, excluding the effect of estimated forfeitures. Assumptions used in the calculations for these amounts are included elsewhere in this prospectus.
- (2) Mr. Benjamin serves as a part-time employee and is compensated pursuant to a consulting agreement, as described below.

Outstanding Equity Awards at Fiscal Year-End

The following table shows information regarding our outstanding equity awards at December 31, 2011 for the Named Executive Officers:

	Number of Securities Underlying Unexercised Options (#)	Number of Securities Underlying Unexercised Options (#)	E :	Option xercise Price	Option Expiration
Name	Exercisable	Unexercisable		(\$)	Date
Steven C. Quay, M.D., Ph.D.	125,000	125,000	\$	5.00	7/22/2015
Christopher Benjamin	_	_		_	_
Shu Chi Chen, Ph.D.	50,000	50,000	\$	5.00	7/22/2015

Employment Agreements

Employment Agreement with Steven Quay, M.D., Ph.D.

The Company has entered into an employment agreement with Dr. Quay to act as the Company's Chief Executive Officer. The agreement provides for an initial base salary of \$250,000 per year and an annual target bonus of up to 40% of Dr. Quay's then-current base salary, payable upon the achievement of performance goals to be established annually by the Compensation Committee. The goals for fiscal 2011 included the MASCT System manufacturing scale-up and launch, filling additional key senior management positions in marketing and sales, finance, and laboratory management, establishing laboratory registration and certification, and launching the ForeCYTE Test.

Under the employment agreement, Dr. Quay received an option to purchase up to 250,000 shares of common stock at an exercise price of \$5.00 per share, the fair market value of the common stock on the date of grant, as determined by the Board of Directors. One-quarter of the shares of common stock underlying the option, or 62,500 shares, vested on December 31, 2010, and the remaining 75%, or 187,500 shares, vest in equal quarterly installments over the next three years, so long as Dr. Quay remains employed with the Company.

During the employment term, the Company will make available to Dr. Quay employee benefits provided to other key employees and officers of the Company. To the extent these benefits are based on length of service with the Company, Dr. Quay will receive full credit for prior service with the Company. Participation in health, hospitalization, disability, dental and other insurance plans that the Company may have in effect for other executives, all of which shall be paid for by the Company with contribution by Dr. Quay as set for the other executives, as and if appropriate.

Dr. Quay will be entitled to six weeks of paid vacation per year for each full year of employment, pro-rated for each partial year. Vacation time not taken during a calendar year will not be accrued to the next calendar year.

Dr. Quay has also agreed that, for the period commencing on the date of his employment agreement with the Company and during the term of his employment and for a period of 12 months following voluntary termination of his employment with the Company that he will not compete with the Company in the United States. The employment agreement also contains provisions relating to confidential information and assignment of inventions, which require Dr. Quay to refrain from disclosing any proprietary information and to assign to the Company any inventions which directly concern the MASCT System, Oxy-MASCT System, or future products, research, or development, or which result from work they perform for the Company or using its facilities.

Consulting Agreement with Christopher Benjamin

The Company has entered into an agreement with Christopher Benjamin to act as the Company's interim Chief Financial Officer. The agreement provides a monthly retainer fee of \$2,250 for up to 25 hours of work per month and \$100 per hour beyond that level. The agreement may be terminated by the Company upon 30 days' written notice.

Employment Agreement with Shu-Chih Chen, Ph.D.

The Company has entered into an employment agreement with Dr. Chen to act as the Company's Chief Scientific Officer. The agreement provides for an initial base salary of \$200,000 per year and an annual target bonus of up to 30% of Dr. Chen's then-current base salary, payable upon the achievement of performance goals to be established annually by the Compensation Committee. The goals for fiscal 2011 included filling additional key positions in research and development as well as laboratory management, and establishing laboratory registration and certification.

Under the employment agreement, Dr. Chen received an option to purchase up to 100,000 shares of common stock at an exercise price of \$5.00 per share, the fair market value of the common stock on the date of grant, as determined by the Board of Directors. One quarter of the shares of common stock underlying the option, or 25,000 shares, vested on December 31, 2010, and the remaining 75%, or 75,000 shares, vest in equal quarterly installments over the next three years, so long as Dr. Chen remains employed with the Company.

During the employment term, the Company will make available to Dr. Chen employee benefits provided to other key employees and officers of the Company. To the extent these benefits are based on length of service with the Company, Dr. Chen will receive full credit for prior service with the Company. Participation in health, hospitalization, disability, dental and other insurance plans that the Company may have in effect for other executives, all of which shall be paid for by the Company with contribution by Dr. Chen as set for the other executives, as and if appropriate.

Dr. Chen will be entitled to six weeks of paid vacation per year for each full year of employment, pro rated for each partial year. Vacation time not taken during a calendar year will not be accrued to the next calendar year.

Dr. Chen has also agreed that, for the period commencing on the date of her employment agreement with the Company and during the term of her employment and for a period of 12 months following voluntary termination of her employment with the Company that she will not compete with the Company in the United States. The employment agreement also contains provisions relating to confidential information and assignment of inventions, which require Dr. Chen to refrain from disclosing any proprietary information and to assign to the Company any inventions that directly concern the MASCT System, Oxy-MASCT System, or future products, research, or development, or that result from work she performs for the Company or using its facilities.

Severance Benefits and Change in Control Arrangements

The Company has agreed to provide the severance benefits and change in control arrangements described below to its named executive officers.

Dr. Steven Quay

Pursuant to his employment agreement, if (i) the Company terminates the employment of Dr. Quay without cause, or (ii) Dr. Quay terminates his employment for good reason, then Dr. Quay will be entitled to receive all accrued but unpaid compensation, plus a severance payment equal to 12 months of base salary. In addition, upon such event, the vesting of all shares of common stock underlying options then held by Dr. Quay will accelerate, and the options will remain exercisable for the remainder of their terms. The cash severance payment is required to be paid in substantially equal installments over a period of six months beginning on the Company's first payroll date that occurs following the 30th day after the effective date of termination of Dr. Quay's employment, subject to certain conditions. The Company will not be required, however, to pay any severance pay for any period following the termination date if Dr. Quay materially violates certain provisions of his employment agreement and the violation is not cured within 30 days following receipt of written notice from the Company containing a description of the violation and a demand for immediate cure.

In addition, under the terms of his employment agreement, in the event of a "change in control" of the Company (as defined in the employment agreement) during Dr. Quay's employment term, Dr. Quay will be entitled to receive a one-time payment equal to 2.9 times his base salary, and the vesting of all outstanding equity awards then held by Dr. Quay will accelerate such that they are fully vested as of the date of the change in control.

Dr. Shu-Chih Chen

Pursuant to her employment agreement, if (i) the Company terminates the employment of Dr. Chen without cause, or (ii) Dr. Chen terminates her employment for good reason, then Dr. Chen will be entitled to receive all accrued but unpaid compensation, plus a severance payment equal to 12 months of base salary. In addition, upon such event, the vesting of all shares of common stock underlying options then held by Dr. Chen will accelerate, and the options will remain exercisable for the remainder of their terms. The cash severance payment is required to be paid in substantially equal installments over a period of six months beginning on the Company's first payroll date that occurs following the 30th day after the effective date of termination of Dr. Chen's employment, subject to certain conditions. The Company will not be required, however, to pay any severance pay for any period following the termination date if Dr. Chen materially violates certain provisions of her employment agreement and the violation is not cured within 30 days following receipt of written notice from the Company containing a description of the violation and a demand for immediate cure.

In addition, under the terms of her employment agreement, in the event of a "change in control" of the Company (as defined in the employment agreement) during Dr. Chen's employment term, Dr. Chen will be entitled to receive a one-time payment equal to 2.9 times her base salary, and the vesting of all outstanding equity awards then held by Dr. Chen will accelerate such that they are fully vested as of the date of the change in control.

2010 Stock Option and Incentive Plan

The Company's 2010 Stock Option and Incentive Plan, or the 2010 Plan, provides for the grant of equity-based awards to employees, officers, non-employee directors and other key persons providing services to the Company. Awards of incentive options may be granted under the 2010 Plan until September 2020. No other awards may be granted under the 2010 Plan after the date that is 10 years from the date of stockholder approval.

Plan Administration. The 2010 Plan may be administered by the full board or the Compensation Committee. It is the current intention of the Company that the 2010 Plan be administered by the Compensation Committee. The Compensation Committee has full power to select, from among the individuals eligible for awards, the individuals to whom awards will be granted, to make any combination of awards to participants, and to determine the specific terms and conditions of each award, subject to the provisions of the 2010 Plan. The Compensation Committee may delegate to our Chief Executive Officer the authority to grant stock options to employees who are not subject to the reporting and other provisions of Section 16 of the Exchange Act and not subject to Section 162(m) of the Code, subject to certain limitations and guidelines.

Eligibility. Persons eligible to participate in the 2010 Plan will be those full or part-time officers, employees, non-employee directors and other key persons (including consultants and prospective officers) of the Company and its subsidiaries as selected from time to time by the Compensation Committee in its discretion.

Plan Limits. Initially, the total number of shares of common stock available for issuance under the 2010 Plan is 1,000,000 shares (or 2,263,320 shares prior to the reverse stock-split on September 28, 2010). On January 1, 2012 and each January 1 thereafter, the number of shares of common stock reserved and available for issuance under the 2010 Plan will be cumulatively increased by 4% of the number of shares of common stock issued and outstanding on the immediately preceding December 31. Subject to these overall limitations, the maximum aggregate number of shares of Stock that may be issued in the form of incentive stock options or stock appreciation rights to any one individual will not exceed 50% of the initial 2010 Plan limit of 1,000,000, cumulatively increased on January 1, 2012 and each January 1 thereafter by the lesser of (i) the 4% annual increase applicable to the 2010 Plan for such year or (ii) 500,000 shares.

Stock Options. The 2010 Plan permits the granting of (i) options to purchase common stock intended to qualify as incentive stock options under Section 422 of the Code and (ii) options that do not so qualify. Options granted under the 2010 Plan will be non-qualified options if they fail to qualify as incentive options or exceed the annual limit on incentive stock options. Incentive stock options may only be granted to employees of the Company and its subsidiaries. Non-qualified options may be granted to any persons eligible to receive incentive options and to non-employee directors and key persons. The option exercise price of each option will be determined by the Compensation Committee but may not be less than 100% of the fair market value of the common stock on the date of grant. Fair market value for this purpose will be the last reported sale price of the shares of common stock on the NASDAQ Capital Market on the date of grant; provided, that if the date of grant is the first day on which trading prices for our common stock are reported on the NASDAQ Capital Market, the fair market value will be the price to the public of shares of our common stock in this offering. The exercise price of an option may not be reduced after the date of the option grant, other than to appropriately reflect changes in our capital structure.

The term of each option will be fixed by the Compensation Committee and may not exceed 10 years from the date of grant. The Compensation Committee will determine at what time or times each option may be exercised. Options may be made exercisable in installments and the exercisability of options may be accelerated by the Compensation Committee. In general, unless otherwise permitted by the Compensation Committee, no option granted under the 2010 Plan is transferable by the optionee other than by will or by the laws of descent and distribution, and options may be exercised during the optionee's lifetime only by the optionee, or by the optionee's legal representative or guardian in the case of the optionee's incapacity.

Upon exercise of options, the option exercise price must be paid in full either in cash, by certified or bank check or other instrument acceptable to the Compensation Committee or by delivery (or attestation to the ownership) of shares of common stock that are beneficially owned by the optionee for at least six months or were purchased in the open market. Subject to applicable law, the exercise price may also be delivered to the Company by a broker pursuant to irrevocable instructions to the broker from the optionee. In addition, the Compensation Committee may permit non-qualified options to be exercised using a net exercise feature which reduces the number of shares issued to the optionee by the number of shares with a fair market value equal to the exercise price.

To qualify as incentive options, options must meet additional federal tax requirements, including a \$100,000 limit on the value of shares subject to incentive options that first become exercisable by a participant in any one calendar year.

Stock Appreciation Rights. The Compensation Committee may award stock appreciation rights subject to such conditions and restrictions as the Compensation Committee may determine. Stock appreciation rights entitle the recipient to shares of common stock equal to the value of the appreciation in the stock price over the exercise price. The exercise price is the fair market value of the common stock on the date of grant. The term of a stock appreciation right will be fixed by the Compensation Committee and may not exceed 10 years.

Restricted Stock. The Compensation Committee may award shares of common stock to participants subject to such conditions and restrictions as the Compensation Committee may determine. These conditions and restrictions may include the achievement of certain performance goals and/or continued employment with us through a specified restricted period.

Restricted Stock Shares. The Compensation Committee may award restricted stock shares to any participants. Restricted stock shares are generally payable in the form of shares of common stock, although restricted stock shares granted to the chief executive officer may be settled in cash. These shares may be subject to such conditions and restrictions as the Compensation Committee may determine. These conditions and restrictions may include the achievement of certain performance goals (as summarized above) and/or continued employment with the Company through a specified vesting period. In the Compensation Committee's sole discretion, it may permit a participant to make an advance election to receive a portion of his or her future cash compensation otherwise due in the form of a restricted stock unit award, subject to the participant's compliance with the procedures established by the Compensation Committee and requirements of Section 409A of the Code. During the deferral period, the deferred stock awards may be credited with dividend equivalent rights.

Adjustments for Stock Dividends, Stock Splits, Etc. The 2010 Plan requires the Compensation Committee to make appropriate adjustments to the number of shares of common stock that are subject to the 2010 Plan, to certain limits in the 2010 Plan, and to any outstanding awards to reflect stock dividends, stock splits, extraordinary cash dividends and similar events.

Tax Withholding. Participants in the 2010 Plan are responsible for the payment of any federal, state or local taxes that the Company is required by law to withhold upon the exercise of options or stock appreciation rights or vesting of other awards. Subject to approval by the Compensation Committee, participants may elect to have the minimum tax withholding obligations satisfied by authorizing the Company to withhold shares of common stock to be issued pursuant to the exercise or vesting.

Amendments and Termination. The Board of Directors of the Company may at any time amend or discontinue the 2010 Plan and the Compensation Committee may at any time amend or cancel any outstanding award for the purpose of satisfying changes in the law or for any other lawful purpose. However, no such action may adversely affect any rights under any outstanding award without the holder's consent. To the extent required under the NASDAQ Capital Market rules, any amendments that materially change the terms of the 2010 Plan will be subject to approval by our stockholders. Without approval by our stockholders, the Compensation Committee may not reduce the exercise price of options or stock appreciation rights or effect repricing through cancellation or re-grants, including any cancellation in exchange for cash. Amendments shall also be subject to approval by our stockholders if and to the extent determined by the Compensation Committee to be required by the Code to preserve the qualified status of incentive options or to ensure that compensation earned under the 2010 Plan qualifies as performance-based compensation under Section 162(m) of the Code.

Other Benefits

The Company offers health, dental, disability, and life insurance to its full-time employees. All employees pay a portion of health, dental, and disability insurance premiums and pay all life insurance premiums.

CERTAIN RELATIONSHIPS AND RELATED TRANSACTIONS

Dr. Quay is the President, Chief Executive Officer and Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Company. Dr. Chen is the Chief Scientific Officer and a director of the Company. Drs. Quay and Chen are husband and wife. Prior to the completion of this offering, Drs. Quay and Chen were significant minority stockholders of the Company. After the completion of this offering Drs. Quay and Chen will remain significant minority stockholders. Ensisheim Partners, LLC, which holds 35.3% of the outstanding common stock of the Company prior to this offering, is wholly owned by Drs. Quay and Chen, and they are the beneficial owners of the Shares of the Company's stock owned by that entity.

Ensisheim was the original owner of the patents covering the MASCT System, which were acquired by the Company in June 2010. Ensisheim has no further interest or right to the U.S. patents and foreign counterparts that cover the manufacture, use, and sale of the MASCT System, the pending patent applications for improvements, or the FDA marketing authorization for the MASCT System that was transferred to the Company. Ensisheim did not receive any monetary compensation in connection with the transfer and assignment to the Company of the patents, patent applications and FDA marketing authorization but received shares of common stock of the Company in consideration for its contribution of these assets. Ensisheim holds patents and patent applications for inventions created by the owners in fields unrelated to the Company's business and provides a corporate structure for consulting activities of the owners in fields unrelated to the Company.

Loans from Officer

On May 26, 2009, the Company borrowed \$5,000 from its Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer as a short-term, unsecured loan via an oral agreement and did not bear any interest. Commencing June 30, 2010, the loan was converted into a written Promissory Note bearing an annual interest rate of 10%, with a maturity date of December 31, 2010. This note was repaid in full on May 16, 2011, including accrued interest.

On June 30, 2010, the Company borrowed an additional \$100,000 from its Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer pursuant to a promissory note. The loan under the note was funded to the Company on July 12, 2010. The note bore interest at a rate of 10% per annum and carried a \$4,000 loan origination fee, which accreted to the loan balance over the life of the loan. The \$4,000 loan origination fee was fully accreted to the loan balance as of March 31, 2011 and December 31, 2010, and recorded as interest expense for the year ended December 31, 2010. This note was repaid in full on May 19, 2011, including accrued interest.

On November 3, 2010, the Company entered into a line of credit for borrowing up to \$500,000 from its Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer pursuant to a promissory note. The note bore interest at a rate of 10% per annum. An aggregate of \$140,000 was funded to the Company under the line of credit through March 31, 2011, which was repaid on May 31, 2011. As of September 30, 2011, the unpaid principal balance drawn from the line of credit was \$10,000. The note is payable in full on or before December 31, 2011 for the outstanding balance borrowed. As of the date of this filing, the balance due remains outstanding.

Exclusive License Agreement

On July 27, 2009, the Company entered into an exclusive license agreement with Ensisheim Partners LLC ("Ensisheim"), an entity solely owned by the Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of the Company and the Chief Scientific Officer of the Company, who is also the Company's Chairman and CEO's wife. Pursuant to that agreement, Ensisheim granted the Company an exclusive, worldwide, perpetual, irrevocable, royalty-bearing, license to the MASCT System, with the right to grant and authorize sublicenses. The license agreement provided that the Company would pay Ensisheim a royalty equal to 2% of net sales revenues, with a minimum royalty of \$12,500 per fiscal quarter during the term of the agreement, which would have increased to a minimum royalty of \$25,000 per fiscal quarter beginning in the quarter in which the first commercial sale of a licensed product would have taken place. As of December 31, 2009, a total of \$12,500 was payable to Ensisheim under the minimum royalty provisions. From inception through December 31, 2010, the Company had incurred \$16,250 in patent-related expenses under the license agreement with Ensisheim.

On June 17, 2010, the Company and Ensisheim entered into an Assignment Agreement, whereby Ensisheim assigned to the Company all rights to the patents and patent applications underlying the MASCT System. Pursuant to the assignment, the Company will have all responsibility for prosecution, maintenance, and enforcement and will indemnify Ensisheim from any and all claims against the patent estate. Ensisheim retained no residual rights with respect to the patents and patent applications. In conjunction with the assignment, the Company terminated the exclusive license agreement between the Company and Ensisheim dated July 27, 2009. As a result of the termination, the Company has no further obligations with respect to royalty payments to Ensisheim due under the old licensing agreement. As a result, the \$12,500 of patent royalty payable to Ensisheim recorded as accrued royalty payable at December 31, 2009 has been reversed through royalty expense during the second quarter of 2010.

Commercial Lease Agreement

On December 24, 2009, the Company entered into a commercial lease agreement with Ensisheim for office space located in Seattle, Washington. The lease provided for annual rent of \$13,200, plus applicable sales tax. From inception through December 31, 2009, the Company incurred \$248 of rent expense for the lease. As of December 31, 2009, the security deposit for the lease amounted to \$1,100. For the period of January 1, 2010 through June 30, 2010, the Company incurred \$6,600 of rent expense for the lease. On July 15, 2010 the Company and Ensisheim terminated the lease, effective July 1, 2010, and the Company commenced use of the facility rent free.

On September 29, 2010, the Company entered into a commercial lease agreement with CompleGen, Inc. for laboratory space located in Seattle, Washington. The lease provides for monthly rent of \$3,657.05 and a security deposit equal to one month's rent. The lease terms were from September 29, 2010 through March 31, 2011, at which time the lease converted to month to month unless two months' prior written notice of the intent to terminate the agreement is given.

Executive Compensation

On May 19, 2010, the Company entered into employment agreements with three executives, including its Chief Executive Officer, its former President, and its Chief Scientific Officer. The annual base salaries under each agreement were calculated based on combined consideration of the success of capital raise and the operating results of the Company, and capped at \$360,000, \$350,000, and \$250,000, respectively for the three executives.

On July 22, 2010, in connection with the resignation and departure of Robert L. Kelly, the President and a director, the Company entered into a consulting agreement with a limited liability company controlled by Mr. Kelly. Under the agreement, the Company was to receive consulting services relating to capital raising and investor relations. The agreement was terminated by the Company in September 2010, through which time a total of \$30,000 consulting expense had been paid.

On July 22, 2010, the Company amended and restated the employment agreements with its Chief Executive Officer and Chief Scientific Officer. The agreements modified the annual base salary amounts to \$250,000 and \$200,000, respectively, effective retroactively to May 19, 2010. These salaries were accrued and amounted to \$391,071 and \$278,571 as of March 31, 2011 and December 31, 2010, respectively, and paid in full in April 2011. For the nine-month periods ended September 30, 2011 and 2010, salaries and bonuses of the Chief Executive Officer and Chief Scientific Officer amounted to \$547,551 and \$179,116, of which \$379,970 and \$0 was recorded to research and development expense, respectively.

Share-Based Compensation

The amended and restated employment agreement with the Chief Executive Officer granted options to purchase 250,000 shares (or 565,830 shares prior to the reverse stock split on September 28, 2010) at a price of \$5.00 per share (or \$2.64 per share prior to the reverse stock split on September 28, 2010), in consideration of his service to the Company. Of these options, 25% (or 62,500 shares) vested on December 31, 2010 with the remaining 75% (or 187,500 shares) to vest in equal quarterly installments over the next three years so long as the executive remains employed with the Company. These options have five-year contractual terms.

The amended employment agreement with the Chief Scientific Officer granted options to purchase 100,000 shares (or 226,332 shares prior to the reverse stock split on September 28, 2010) at a price of \$5.00 per share (or \$2.64 per share prior to the reverse stock split on September 28, 2010) in consideration of her service to the Company. Of these options, 25% (or 25,000 shares) vested on December 31, 2010 with the remaining 75% (or 75,000 shares) to vest in equal quarterly installments over the next three years so long as the executive remains employed with the Company. These options have five-year contractual terms.

On April 4, 2011, 45,000 non-qualified stock options were granted under the 2010 Stock Option and Incentive Plan to Dr. Tim Hunkapiller for being a member of the Company's Scientific Advisory Board and consulting services to be provided to the Company, at an exercise price of \$1.25 per share. These options have a ten-year contractual term and shall vest as follows:

- (i) 11,250 option shares vest ninety (90) days after the date of grant;
- (ii) 11,000 option shares vest one hundred and eighty (180) days after the date of grant;
- (iii) 11,500 option shares vest two hundred and seventy (270) days after the date of grant; and
- (iv) 11,250 option shares vest three hundred and sixty (360) days after the date of grant.

On September 1, 2011, 219,000 incentive stock options were granted under the 2010 Stock Option and Incentive Plan to employees and officers as part of their employment agreements, at an exercise price of \$1.25 per share. These options have a ten-year contractual term and shall vest and become exercisable as follows:

- (i) twenty-five percent (25%) of the underlying shares on the first anniversary of the date of grant; and
- (ii) one-forty eighth (1/48) of the underlying shares monthly thereafter.

On September 1, 2011, 200,000 non-qualified stock options were granted under the 2010 Stock Option and Incentive Plan to non-employee directors for services to be provided to the Company, at an exercise price of \$1.25 per share. These options have a ten-year contractual term and shall vest and become exercisable as follows:

- (i) 80,000 option shares vest on September 1, 2011;
- (ii) 30,000 option shares vest on December 1, 2011;
- (iii) 30,000 option shares vest on March 1, 2012;
- (iv) 30,000 option shares vest on June 1, 2012; and
- (v) 30,000 option shares vest on September 1, 2012.

Indemnification Agreements

The Company has entered into indemnification agreements with each of its directors and certain of its executive officers. These agreements require the Company to indemnify these individuals to the fullest extent permitted under Delaware law against liabilities that may arise by reason of their service to the Company, and to advance expenses incurred as a result of any proceeding against them as to which they could be indemnified.

Related Party Transaction Policies

Related party transactions to be entered into after the completion of this offering and that the Company is required to disclose publicly under the federal securities laws will require prior approval of the Company's independent directors without the participation of any director who may have a direct or indirect interest in the transaction in question. Related parties include directors, nominees for director, principal stockholders, executive officers and members of their immediate families. For these purposes, a "transaction" will include all financial transactions, arrangements or relationships, ranging from extending credit to the provision of goods and services for value and will include any transaction with a company in which a director, executive officer immediate family member of a director or executive officer, or principal stockholder (that is, any person who beneficially owns five percent or more of any class of the Company's voting securities) has an interest by virtue of a 10% or greater equity interest. The Company's policies and procedures regarding related party transactions are not expected to be a part of a formal written policy, but rather, will represent a course of practice determined to be appropriate by the Board of Directors of the Company.

PRINCIPAL STOCKHOLDERS

The following table sets forth information as of December 31, 2011 regarding the beneficial ownership of our common stock by each of our executive officers and directors, individually and as a group and by each person who beneficially owns in excess of five percent of the common stock after giving effect to any exercise of warrants or options held by that person within 60 days after December 31, 2011. Unless indicated otherwise, the address for the beneficial holders is c/o Atossa Genetics Inc., 4105 East Madison Street, Suite 320, Seattle, Washington.

	Shares	Percentage of Common Sto Beneficially Owned			
Name of Beneficial Owner	Beneficially Owned	Before Offering (1)	After Offering (2)		
Steven C. Quay, M.D., Ph.D. (3)	4,686,004	41.2%	37.8%		
Shu-Chih Chen, Ph.D. (4)	4,026,461	35.6%	32.7%		
John Barnhart (5)	138,602	1.2%	1.1%		
Christopher Benjamin	_	_	_		
Stephen J. Galli, M.D. (6)	27,674	*	*		
Alexander D. Cross, Ph.D. (7)	98,366	*	*		
H. Lawrence Remmel, Esq.	_	_	_		
All Current Officers and Directors as a Group (7 persons)	5,000,646	43.3%	39.9%		

^{*} Less than 1%

- (3) Consists of (i) 584,543 shares of common stock directly owned by Dr. Quay, (ii) 3,976,461 shares of common stock owned by Ensisheim and (iii) 125,000 shares of common stock issuable upon the exercise of stock options held by Dr. Quay and exercisable within 60 days after December 31, 2011. Drs. Quay and Chen share voting and investment power over the securities held by Ensisheim. Ensisheim is solely owned and controlled by Drs. Quay and Chen, and, as a result, Drs. Quay and Chen are deemed to be beneficial owners of the shares held by this entity.
- (4) Consists of (i) 3,976,461 shares of common stock owned by Ensisheim and (ii) 50,000 shares of common stock issuable upon the exercise of stock options held by Dr. Chen and exercisable within 60 days after December 31, 2011. Drs. Quay and Chen share voting and investment power over the securities held by Ensisheim. Ensisheim is solely owned and controlled by Drs. Quay and Chen, and, as a result, Drs. Quay and Chen are deemed to be beneficial owners of the shares held by this entity.
- (5) Consists of 48,602 shares of common stock held by Mr. Barnhart and 90,000 shares of common stock issuable upon the exercise of stock options held by Mr. Barnhart and exercisable within 60 days of December 31, 2011.
- (6) Consists of 17,674 shares of common stock held by Dr. Galli and 10,000 shares of common stock issuable upon the exercise of stock options held by Dr. Galli and exercisable within 60 days of December 31, 2011.
- (7) Consists of 88,366 shares of common stock held by the Alexander D. Cross Family Trust (Mr. Alexander D. Cross has sole voting and investment power over the securities held by the trust and as such, is deemed to be the beneficial owner of the shares held by this entity) and 10,000 shares of common stock issuable upon the exercise of stock options held by Dr. Cross and exercisable within 60 days of December 31, 2011.

⁽¹⁾ Based on 11,256,867 shares of common stock issued and outstanding as of December 31, 2011.

⁽²⁾ Assumes the sale of 1,000,000 shares of common stock pursuant to this prospectus.

DESCRIPTION OF SECURITIES

Capitalization

The Company is authorized to issue 75,000,000 shares of common stock, par value \$0.001 per share, of which 11,256,867 shares were outstanding as of September 30, 2011, and 10,000,000 shares of undesignated preferred stock, par value \$0.001 per share, none of which have been designated or issued. Warrants exercisable for 6,833,840 shares of common stock at a weighted-average exercise price of \$1.56 per share were outstanding at December 31, 2011.

As of December 31, 2011, there were 229 record holders of the Company's common stock.

Common Stock

Voting Rights. Holders of shares of common stock are entitled to one vote for each share on all matters to be voted on by the stockholders. Holders of common stock do not have cumulative voting rights.

Dividend and Distribution Rights. Dividends, if any, may be declared from time to time by the Board of Directors of the Company or any authorized committee of the Board of Directors in its discretion from funds legally available therefor. In the event of a liquidation, dissolution or winding up, the holders of common stock are entitled to share pro rata all assets remaining after payment in full of all liabilities and all amounts due to holders of preferred stock that may have a liquidation preference that is senior to the common stock.

No Preemptive Rights. Holders of common stock have no preemptive rights to purchase additional shares of the Company's common stock.

Other Rights. There are no conversion or redemption rights or sinking fund provisions with respect to the common stock.

Listing of Common Stock. The common stock is expected to be listed for trading on the NASDAQ Capital Market under the symbol "ATOS".

Preferred Stock

The Board of Directors of the Company is authorized to provide for the issuance of any or all of the shares of preferred stock in series and, by filing a certificate pursuant to the applicable law of the State of Delaware, to establish from time to time the number of shares to be included in each such series, and to fix the designation, powers, preferences and rights of the shares of each such series and the qualifications, limitations or restrictions thereof.

The authority of the Board of Directors of the Company with respect to each series of preferred stock includes determination of the following characteristics:

- · The number of shares constituting that series and the distinctive designation of that series;
- The dividend rate on the shares of that series, whether dividends shall be cumulative, and, if so, from which date or dates, and the relative rights of priority, if any, of payment of dividends on shares of that series;
- Whether that series shall have voting rights, in addition to the voting rights provided by law, and, if so, the terms of such voting rights;
- · Whether that series shall have conversion privileges, and, if so, the terms and conditions of such conversion, including provision for adjustment of the conversion rate in such events as the Board of Directors of the Company shall determine;
- · Whether or not the shares of that series shall be redeemable, and, if so, the terms and conditions of such redemption, including the date or dates upon or after which they shall be redeemable, and the amount per share payable in case of redemption, which amount may vary under different conditions and at different redemption dates;
- · Whether that series shall have a sinking fund for the redemption or purchase of shares of that series, and, if so, the terms and amount of such sinking fund:
- The rights of the shares of that series in the event of voluntary or involuntary liquidation, dissolution or winding up of the Company, and the relative rights of priority, if any, of payment of shares of that series; and

Any other relative rights, preferences and limitations of that series.

Warrants

Warrants exercisable for 6,833,840 shares of common stock at a weighted-average exercise price of \$1.56 per share were outstanding at December 31, 2011. The Company's outstanding warrants entitle the holders to acquire one share of common stock during the exercise period. The warrants are exercisable for five years, starting on the earliest of the following: (a) six months after the closing of the Company's initial public offering of its common stock, if successful, the (b) the closing of a "significant private financing" (as defined in the warrants), or (c) the closing of a "fundamental transaction" (as defined in the warrants). As a result of the amount of money raised in the private placement discussed elsewhere in this prospectus, the private placement constituted a "significant private financing" as defined in the warrants. Accordingly, the warrants became exercisable on June 23, 2011 and remain exercisable through June 23, 2016. The warrants have a net exercise feature whereby a holder may, in lieu of payment of the exercise price in cash, surrender the warrant and receive a net amount of shares based on the fair market value of the Company's common stock at the time of exercise of the warrant after deduction of the aggregate exercise price. The warrants also contain a provision for the adjustment of the exercise price and the aggregate number of shares issuable upon the exercise of the warrant in the event of stock splits, stock dividends, reorganizations, reclassifications, and consolidations.

Registration Rights

The Company has granted the investors in the private placement completed in April 2011 through July 2011 the right to have the resale of their shares of common stock (including common stock issuable upon exercise of the warrants) registered with the SEC beginning 180 days after completion of the Company's initial public offering (the "IPO"). Pursuant to these resale registration rights, the Company must file a resale registration statement within 180 days after the closing of the IPO. The Company must then use commercially reasonable efforts to have this registration statement declared effective within that 180-day period. If the resale registration statement is declared effective and remains effective, then investors will be able to sell the common stock underlying the units purchased in the private placement (including the common stock issuable upon exercise of the warrants) pursuant to the prospectus contained in the registration statement. These registration rights terminate if the Company does not complete an IPO within five years from the initial closing of the private placement.

Anti-Takeover Devices

The Company's certificate of incorporation and bylaws that will be effective upon completion of this offering will include a number of provisions that may have the effect of delaying, deferring or preventing another party from acquiring control of us and encouraging persons considering unsolicited tender offers or other unilateral takeover proposals to negotiate with our Board of Directors rather than pursue non-negotiated takeover attempts. These provisions include the items described below.

Board Composition and Filling Vacancies. In accordance with the Company's certificate of incorporation, our Board of Directors is divided into three classes serving staggered three-year terms, with one class being elected each year. The Company's certificate of incorporation also provides that directors may only be removed from office for cause and only by the affirmative vote of holders of 75% or more of the outstanding shares of capital stock then entitled to vote at an election of directors. Furthermore, any vacancy on the Company's Board of Directors, however occurring, including any vacancy resulting from an increase in the size of the board, may only be filled by the affirmative vote of a majority of our directors then in office, even if less than a quorum. The classification of directors, together with the limitations on removal of directors and treatment of vacancies, has the effect of making it more difficult for stockholders to change the composition of our Board of Directors.

Undesignated Preferred Stock. The Company's certificate of incorporation authorizes "blank-check" preferred stock, which means that the Board of Directors of the Company has the authority to designate one or more series of preferred stock without stockholder approval. These series of preferred stock may have superior rights, preferences and privileges over our common stock, including dividend rights, voting rights and liquidation preferences. The ability of the Board of Directors of the Company to issue shares of the Company's preferred stock without stockholder approval could deter takeover offers and make it more difficult or costly for a third party to acquire the Company without the consent of the Board of Directors of the Company.

Section 203 of the Delaware General Corporation Law. In addition, the Company's certificate of incorporation does not opt out of Section 203 of the Delaware General Corporation Law, which protects a corporation against an unapproved takeover by prohibiting a company from engaging in any business combination with any interested stockholder (defined as a stockholder owning more than 15% of the outstanding shares) for a period of three years from the time such stockholder became a 15% holder unless approved by the Board of Directors of the Company.

No Trading Market

There is currently no established public trading market for the Company's securities. A trading market in the securities may never develop. The Company intends to apply for listing of its common stock on the NASDAQ Capital Market under the symbol "ATOS". If for any reason the Company's common stock is not so listed or a public trading market does not develop, purchasers of the shares may have difficulty selling their securities.

Dividends

The Company does not anticipate declaring dividends but anticipates that it will use any funds for further development and growth of the Company.

Transfer Agent

VStock Transfer, LLC, 150 West 46th Street, New York, New York (Telephone: (212) 828-8136; Facsimile (646) 536-3179) will serve as transfer agent for the common stock of the Company.

SHARES ELIGIBLE FOR FUTURE SALE

Prior to this offering, there has been no public market for our common stock, and a liquid trading market for our common stock may not develop or be sustained after this offering. Future sales of substantial amounts of our common stock in the public market, including shares issued upon exercise of outstanding options and warrants or in the public market after this offering, or the anticipation of these sales, could adversely affect market prices prevailing from time to time and could impair our ability to raise capital through the sale of equity securities in the future.

Upon the completion of this offering, we will have outstanding an aggregate of 12,256,867 shares of common stock, assuming no exercise by the underwriters of their over-allotment option and no exercise of options or warrants outstanding as of December 31, 2011. None of our shares of common stock outstanding as of the date of this prospectus are being registered for sale under this prospectus.

Of the shares to be outstanding immediately after the closing of this offering, we expect that 1,000,000 shares will be freely tradable without restriction under the Securities Act unless purchased by our "affiliates," as that term is defined in Rule 144 under the Securities Act (1,150,000 shares if the underwriters' overallotment option is exercised in full). The remaining 11,256,867 shares of our common stock outstanding after this offering will be "restricted securities" under Rule 144 of the Securities Act. "Restricted securities" as defined under Rule 144 were issued and sold by us in reliance on exemptions from the registration requirements of the Securities Act. As a result of the lock-up agreements described below and the provisions of Rule 144 and Rule 701, summarized below, these restricted shares may be sold in the public market as follows:

Aggregate Number of Shares

Date of Availability of Sale

Immediately upon completion of the offering
90 days after completion of offering
Six months after completion of the offering

Up to an additional 6,833,840 shares of common stock issuable upon exercise of warrants will be available for resale, as described below.

Rule 144

Sales by Affiliates. In general, under Rule 144 as currently in effect, beginning 90 days after the consummation of this offering, a person who is one of our affiliates (as defined below) and who has beneficially owned the shares proposed to be sold for at least six months is entitled to sell in the public market, within any three-month period, a number of shares of common stock that does not exceed the greater of:

- 1% of the number of shares of common stock then outstanding, which will equal approximately 122,568 shares of common stock immediately after consummation of this offering; or
- the average weekly trading volume of our common stock on the NASDAQ Capital Market during the four calendar weeks preceding the filing of a notice on Form 144 with respect to such a sale.

Such sales under Rule 144 by our affiliates or persons selling shares on behalf of our affiliates are also subject to certain manner of sale provisions, notice requirements and to the availability of current public information about us. An "affiliate" is a person that directly, or indirectly through one or more intermediaries, controls or is controlled by, or is under common control with an issuer.

Notwithstanding the availability of Rule 144, our affiliates holding a total of 4,890,646 shares of common stock have entered into six month lock-up agreements as referenced above and their restricted securities will become eligible for sale (subject to the above limitations under Rule 144) upon the expiration of the restrictions set forth in those agreements.

Sales by Non-Affiliates. In general, under Rule 144, beginning 90 days after the consummation of this offering, a person who is not deemed to have been an affiliate of ours at any time during the 90 days preceding a sale, and who has beneficially owned restricted securities, within the meaning of Rule 144, proposed to be sold for at least six months (including the holding period of any prior owner other than one of our affiliates), would be entitled to sell those shares in the public market without complying with the manner of sale, volume limitations or notice provisions of Rule 144, but subject to compliance with the public information requirements of Rule 144. If such a person has beneficially owned the shares proposed to be sold for at least one year, including the holding period of any prior owner other than one of our affiliates, then such person is entitled to sell such shares in the public market immediately upon the closing of this offering without complying with any of the requirements of Rule 144.

Rule 701

In general, under Rule 701, any of our employees, directors, officers, consultants or advisors who acquired shares of common stock from us in connection with a compensatory stock or option plan or other written agreement in compliance with Rule 701 under the Securities Act before the effective date of the registration statement of which this prospectus is a part, or who purchased shares of common stock from us after that date upon the exercise of options granted before such date, is entitled to rely on Rule 701 to resell such shares 90 days after the effective date of this offering in reliance upon Rule 144. Subject to the lock-up agreements described below, if such person is not an affiliate, such sale may be made without complying with the minimum holding period or public information requirements of Rule 144. If such a person is an affiliate, such sale may be made under Rule 144 without compliance with its minimum holding period requirements, but subject to the other Rule 144 restrictions and the lock-up agreements described above.

Stock Options

As of September 30, 2011, options to purchase a total of 814,000 shares of common stock were outstanding 550,000 of which are subject to the terms of the lock-up agreements with the underwriters. Upon completion of this offering, an additional 636,274 shares of common stock will be available for future option grants under our stock plan (which amount includes 450,274 shares added to the number of shares reserved for issuance pursuant to the evergreen feature of our 2010 Plan on January 1, 2012). Upon completion of this offering, we intend to file a registration statement on Form S-8 under the Securities Act covering all shares of common stock subject to outstanding options or issuable pursuant to our stock plans. Accordingly, shares registered under such registration statement will be available for sale in the open market following the effective date, subject to vesting restrictions with us, Rule 144 restrictions applicable to our affiliates or the lock-up restrictions described above.

Warrants

As of September 30, 2011, we had outstanding warrants to purchase an aggregate of 6,833,840 shares of our common stock, with a weighted-average exercise price of \$1.56 per share. See "Description of Capital Stock—Warrants." Any shares acquired upon the net exercise or cash exercise of these warrants may be sold in the public market pursuant to Rule 144, subject to the lock-up restrictions described above. In addition, these shares are entitled to registration rights as described under "Description of Securities - Registration Rights."

Lock-Up Agreements

As of the effective date of this prospectus, certain of the holders of the Company's outstanding shares of common stock and warrants have entered into lock-up agreements with the underwriters restricting the sale of such securities, including all the securities owned directly and beneficially by affiliates of the Company.

The lock-up agreements restrict the sale of such securities from the effective date of the registration statement of which this prospectus is a part for a period of six months, after which time the provisions of the lock-up agreement expire. However, such securities cannot be sold publicly even after the expiration of the lock-up period unless registered under the Securities Act or sold pursuant to provisions of Rule 144 described above.

The lock-up agreements are more fully described under the caption "Underwriting" in this prospectus.

UNDERWRITING

Subject to the terms and conditions of the underwriting agreement, the underwriters named below, through their representative, Dawson James Securities, Inc., who is acting as the sole book-running manager and sole representative of the underwriters of this offering, each underwriter named below has severally agreed to purchase from us on a firm commitment basis the following respective number of shares at a public offering price less the underwriting discounts and commissions set forth on the cover page of this prospectus:

Underwriters	Number of Shares
Dawson James Securities, Inc.	
Total	

The underwriting agreement provides that the obligation of the underwriters to purchase all of the 1,000,000 shares being offered to the public (assuming a \$6.00 per share public offering price) is subject to specific conditions, including the absence of any material adverse change in our business or in the financial markets and the receipt of certain legal opinions, certificates and letters from us, our counsel and the independent auditors. Subject to the terms of the underwriting agreement, the underwriters will purchase all of the 1,000,000 shares being offered to the public, other than those covered by the over-allotment option described below, if any of these shares are purchased.

Over-Allotment Option

We have granted to the underwriters an option, exercisable not later than 45 days after the effective date of the registration statement, to purchase up to 150,000 additional shares at the public offering price less the underwriting discounts and commissions set forth on the cover of this prospectus. The underwriters may exercise this option only to cover over-allotments made in connection with the sale of the shares offered by this prospectus. The over-allotment option will only be used to cover the net syndicate short position resulting from the initial distribution. To the extent that the underwriters exercise this option, each of the underwriters will become obligated, subject to conditions, to purchase approximately the same percentage of these additional shares as the number of shares to be purchased by it in the above table bears to the total number of shares offered by this prospectus. We will be obligated, pursuant to the option, to sell these additional shares to the underwriters to the extent the option is exercised. If any additional shares are purchased, the underwriters will offer the additional shares on the same terms as those on which the other shares are being offered hereunder.

Commissions and Discounts

The underwriting discounts and commissions are 7% of the initial public offering price. We have agreed to pay the underwriters the discounts and commissions set forth below, assuming either no exercise or full exercise by the underwriters of the underwriter's over-allotment option. In addition, we have agreed to pay to Dawson James Securities, Inc. a non-accountable expense reimbursement fee of 3% of the gross proceeds of this offering.

The representative has advised us that the underwriters propose to offer the shares directly to the public at the public offering price set forth on the cover of this prospectus. In addition, the representative may offer some of the shares to other securities dealers at such price less a concession of \$ per share. The underwriters may also allow, and such dealers may re-allow, a concession not in excess of \$ per share to other dealers. After the common stock is released for sale to the public, the representative may change the offering price and other selling terms at various times.

The following table summarizes the underwriting discounts and commissions we will pay to the underwriters. The underwriting discounts and commissions are equal to the public offering price per share less the amount per share the underwriters pay us for the shares.

		Total without	Total with
	Per Unit	Over-Allotment	Over-Allotment
Public offering price			
Underwriting discount (1)			
Proceeds, before expenses, to us			
(1) Does not include the non-accountable expense reimbursement fee in the amount of	of 3% of the gross p	proceeds of this offering.	

We estimate that the total expenses of the offering, including registration, filing and listing fees, printing fees and legal and accounting expenses, but excluding underwriting discounts and commissions, will be approximately \$500,000, all of which are payable by us.

Lock-Up Agreements

We and each of our officers and directors and certain of our warrant holders are bound by agreements providing that we and these persons may not offer, issue, sell, contract to sell, encumber, grant any option for the sale of or otherwise dispose of any shares of our common stock or other securities convertible into or exercisable or exchangeable for shares of our common stock for a period of six months from the effective date of the registration statement of which this prospectus is a part without the prior written consent of Dawson James.

Dawson James may in its sole discretion and at any time without notice release some or all of the securities subject to lock-up agreements prior to the expiration of the lock-up period. When determining whether or not to release securities from the lock-up agreements, the representative will consider, among other factors, the security holder's reasons for requesting the release, the number of securities for which the release is being requested and market conditions at the time.

Pricing of this Offering

Prior to this offering there has been no public market for any of our securities. The public offering price of the shares was negotiated between us and Dawson James. Factors considered in determining the price and terms of the shares include:

- · the history and prospects of companies in our industry;
- prior offerings of those companies;
- · our prospects for developing and commercializing our products;
- · our capital structure;
- · an assessment of our management and their experience;
- · general conditions of the securities markets at the time of the offering; and
- · other factors as were deemed relevant.

However, although these factors were considered, the determination of our offering price is more arbitrary than the pricing of securities for an operating company in a particular industry since the underwriters are unable to compare our financial results and prospects with those of public companies operating in the same industry.

Price Stabilization, Short Positions and Penalty Bids

The underwriters may engage in over-allotment, stabilizing transactions, short positions, syndicate covering transactions, and penalty bids or purchasers for the purpose of pegging, fixing or maintaining the price of the common stock, in accordance with Regulation M under the Exchange Act:

- · Over-allotment involves sales by the underwriters of shares in excess of the number of shares the underwriters are obligated to purchase, which creates a syndicate short position. In connection with the offering, the underwriters may make short sales of the Company's shares. The short position may be either a covered short position or a naked short position. In a covered short position, the number of shares over-allotted by the underwriters is not greater than the number of shares that they may purchase in the over-allotment option. In a naked short position, the number of shares involved is greater than the number of shares in the over-allotment option. The underwriters may close out any short position by either exercising their over-allotment option and/or purchasing shares in the open market.
- · Stabilizing transactions permit bids to purchase the underlying security so long as the stabilizing bids do not exceed a specified maximum.

- · Syndicate covering transactions involve purchases of the common stock in the open market after the distribution has been completed in order to cover syndicate short positions. In determining the source of shares to close out the short position, the underwriters will consider, among other things, the price of shares available for purchase in the open market as compared to the price at which they may purchase shares through the over-allotment option. If the underwriters sell more shares than could be covered by the over-allotment option, a naked short position, the position can only be closed out by buying shares in the open market. A naked short position is more likely to be created if the underwriters are concerned that there could be downward pressure on the price of the shares in the open market after pricing that could adversely affect investors who purchase in the offering.
- Penalty bids permit the underwriters to reclaim a selling concession from a syndicate member when the common stock originally sold by the syndicate member is purchased in a stabilizing or syndicate covering transaction to cover syndicate short positions.

These stabilizing transactions, short positions, syndicate covering transactions and penalty bids may have the effect of raising or maintaining the market price of our common stock or preventing or retarding a decline in the market price of the common stock. As a result, the price of the common stock may be higher than the price that might otherwise exist in the open market. These transactions may be effected in the over-the-counter market or otherwise and, if commenced, may be discontinued at any time.

Neither we nor any of the underwriters makes any representation or prediction as to the direction or magnitude of any effect that the transactions described above may have on the price of the common stock. In addition, neither we nor any of the underwriters make any representation that the underwriters will engage in these stabilizing transactions or that any transaction, once commenced, will not be discontinued without notice.

Other Terms

We have agreed to reimburse Dawson James for up to \$100,000 of the legal fees incurred by Dawson James in connection with the offering, plus up to an additional \$15,000 in legal fees for blue sky matters and up to \$25,000 for legal fees related to filings with FINRA. These expenses, which are in addition to the 3% expense reimbursement fee described above, will be paid from the proceeds of this offering.

Indemnification

We have agreed to indemnify the underwriters against liabilities relating to the offering arising under the Securities Act, liabilities arising from breaches of some or all of the representations and warranties contained in the underwriting agreement, and to contribute to payments that the underwriters may be required to make for these liabilities.

Electronic Distribution

A prospectus in electronic format may be made available on a website maintained by the representatives of the underwriters and may also be made available on a website maintained by other underwriters. The underwriters may agree to allocate a number of shares to underwriters for sale to their online brokerage account holders. Internet distributions will be allocated by the representatives of the underwriters to underwriters that may make Internet distributions on the same basis as other allocations. In connection with the offering, the underwriters or syndicate members may distribute prospectuses electronically. No forms of electronic prospectus other than prospectuses that are printable as Adobe® PDF will be used in connection with this offering.

The underwriters have informed us that they do not expect to confirm sales of shares offered by this prospectus to accounts over which they exercise discretionary authority.

Other than the prospectus in electronic format, the information on any underwriter's website and any information contained in any other website maintained by an underwriter is not part of the prospectus or the registration statement of which this prospectus forms a part, has not been approved and/or endorsed by us or any underwriter in its capacity as underwriter and should not be relied upon by investors.

Relationships

Certain of the underwriters or their affiliates have provided from time to time and may in the future provide investment banking, financial advisory and other related services to us and our affiliates for which they have received and may continue to receive customary fees and commissions.

Foreign Regulatory Restrictions on Purchase of Shares

We have not taken any action to permit a public offering of the shares outside the United States or to permit the possession or distribution of this prospectus outside the United States. Persons outside the United States who come into possession of this prospectus must inform themselves about and observe any restrictions relating to this offering of shares and the distribution of the prospectus outside the United States.

LEGAL MATTERS

The validity of the securities offered by this prospectus will be passed upon for us by Ropes & Gray LLP, San Francisco, California. Certain legal matters relating to this offering will be passed upon for the underwriters by Baker Botts LLP, Palo Alto, California.

EXPERTS

KCCW Accountancy Corp., an independent PCAOB registered public accounting firm, has audited the Company's balance sheets as of December 31, 2009 and 2010 and the related statements of operations, stockholders' equity, and cash flows, which are included in this prospectus. The financial statements are included in reliance on the report of KCCW Accountancy Corp., given their authority as experts in accounting and auditing.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

We have filed with the SEC a registration statement on Form S-1 under the Securities Act with respect to the shares offered by this prospectus. This prospectus does not contain all of the information included in the registration statement, portions of which are omitted as permitted by the rules and regulations of the SEC. For further information pertaining to us and the shares to be sold in this offering, you should refer to the registration statement and its exhibits.

In this prospectus, whenever reference is made to contracts, agreements or other documents, the references are not necessarily complete, and you should refer to the exhibits attached to the registration statement for copies of the actual contract, agreement or other document filed as an exhibit to the registration statement or such other document, each such statement being qualified in all respects by such reference.

Upon the completion of this offering, we will be subject to the informational requirements of the Exchange Act and will be required to file annual, quarterly and current reports, proxy statements and other information with the SEC. We anticipate making these documents publicly available, free of charge, on its website as soon as reasonably practicable after filing such documents with the SEC. The information contained in, or that can be accessed through, our website is not part of this prospectus.

You can read the registration statement and future filings, as they are filed with the SEC, over the Internet at the SEC's website at *www.sec.gov*. Copies of filings may be requested, at no cost, from us. You may also read and copy any document filed with the SEC at its public reference facility at 100 F Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20549 and copies may be requested at prescribed rates at such address or at 1-800-SEC-0330.

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ATOSSA GENETICS INC. (A DEVELOPMENT STAGE COMPANY) BALANCE SHEETS

	S	September 30, 2011		ecember 31, 2010
		(Unaudited)		(Audited)
<u>Assets</u>				
Current Assets				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	3,005,994	\$	10,253
Restricted cash		1,000,000		-
Prepaid expense		41,946		-
Other current assets		2,200		-
Total Current Assets		4,050,140		10,253
Fixed Assets				
Furniture and Equipment, net		34,356		-
Total Fixed Assets		34,356		-
Other Assets	_			
Security deposit - related parties		4,757		4,757
Security deposit - related parties Security deposit		1,500		4,/5/
Intangible assets, net		44,500		-
Total Other Assets	_	50,757		4,757
Total Other Assets		50,/5/		4,/5/
Total Assets	\$	4,135,253	\$	15,010
<u>Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity (Deficit)</u>				
Current Liabilities				
Line of Credit	\$	1,000,000	\$	-
Accrued payroll		-		278,571
Accrued expenses		388,897		399,289
Note payable - related party		10,000		189,000
Total Current Liabilities	_	1,398,897		866,861
Stockholders' Equity (Deficit)				
Preferred stock - \$.001 par value; 10,000,000 shares authorized,				
0 shares issued and outstanding		_		_
Common stock - \$.001 par value; 75,000,000 shares authorized,		_		
11,256,867 and 6,000,067 shares issued and outstanding, respectively		11,257		6,000
Additional paid-in capital		6,171,752		351,936
Accumulated deficit		(3,446,653)		(1,209,787)
Total Stockholders' Equity (Deficit)		2,736,356		(851,851)
Total Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity (Deficit)	\$	4,135,253	\$	15,010
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ATOSSA GENETICS INC. (A DEVELOPMENT STAGE COMPANY) STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS (UNAUDITED)

	For The Three M	onths 1	Ended September 30, 2010	_	For The Nine Months 2011	Ended	September 30, 2010	 From April 30, 2009 (Inception) Through September 30, 2011
Net Revenue	\$	-	\$ -	\$	-	\$	<u>-</u>	\$ -
Operating Expenses								
Legal and professional expenses	365,	110	237,249		421,436		331,863	996,295
Compensation expenses	193,		140,545		368,203		194,116	610,921
Consulting expenses	31,	112	46,449		79,232		90,614	187,896
Research and development expenses	625,	147	1,306		1,065,133		1,306	1,206,379
Website and internet expenses	(46,	315)	-		19,098		52,500	74,598
Advertising and promotion expenses		-	-		41,450		12,204	53,654
Other operating expenses	105,		51,760	_	237,355		56,953	303,015
Total operating expenses	1,274,	189	477,309	_	2,231,906		739,557	 3,432,759
Operating Loss	(1,274,	189)	(477,309)		(2,231,906)		(739,557)	(3,432,759)
Interest Income	2.:	267	2		3.428		455	3,883
Interest Expense		7 <u>58</u>)	(5,129)		(8,388)		(5,129)	(17,527)
Net Loss before Income Taxes	(1,272,	680)	(482,436)		(2,236,866)		(744,231)	(3,446,403)
Income Taxes			_		-		125	250
Net Loss	\$ (1,272,	680)	\$ (482,436)	\$	(2,236,866)	\$	(744,356)	\$ (3,446,653)
Loss per common share - basic and diluted	\$ (0	.11)	\$ (0.08)	\$	(0.27)	\$	(0.13)	\$ (0.56)
Weighted average number shares outstanding, basic and diluted	11,256,	367	6,000,067		8,394,219		5,914,233	6,165,413

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

ATOSSA GENETICS INC. (A DEVELOPMENT STAGE COMPANY) STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS (UNAUDITED)

	N	For The Nine Months Ended September 30, 2011 For The Nine Months Ended September 30, 2010		For The Period From April 30, 2009 (Inception) to September 30, 2011		
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES						
Net loss	\$	(2,236,866)	\$	(744,356)	\$	(3,446,653)
Common shares issued for services				71,000		71,000
Compensation cost for stock options granted		111,288		13,045		141,684
Loan initiation fee accrued for notes payable		-		2,000		-
Depreciation and amortization		6,420		-		6,420
Adjustments to reconcile net loss to net cash provided by operating activities:						
Increase in other receivable		-		(1,622)		-
Increase in prepaid expenses		(41,946)		<u>-</u> i		(41,946)
Increase in other current assets		(2,200)		-		(2,200)
Increase in security deposits		(1,500)		-		(6,257)
(Decrease) Increase in accrued payroll		(278,571)		166,071		-
(Decrease) Increase in accrued expenses		(10,392)		237,030		388,897
Net cash used in operating activities		(2,453,767)		(256,833)		(2,889,055)
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES						
Purchase of machinery and equipment		(35,776)		-		(35,776)
Purchase of software		(49,500)		_		(49,500)
Net cash used in investing activities		(85,276)		_		(85,276)
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CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES						
Proceeds from issuance of common stocks		5,713,785		102,000		5,970,325
Proceeds from bank line of credit		1,000,000		,		1,000,000
(Repayments) Proceeds of loans from related parties		(179,000)		100,000		10,000
Cash restricted for commercial line of credit		(1,000,000)		<u>-</u>		(1,000,000)
Net cash provided by financing activities		5,534,785		202,000		5,980,325
The cash provided by maneing ded vides		3,33 1,7 03		202,000		3,500,525
NET INCREASE (DECREASE) IN CASH & CASH EQUIVALENTS		2,995,742		(54,833)		3,005,994
CASH & CASH EQUIVALENTS, BEGINNING BALANCE		10,253		84,364		-
CASH & CASH EQUIVALENTS, ENDING BALANCE	\$	3,005,994	\$	29,531	\$	3,005,994
Choir & Choir EQUIVILLENTS, ENDING BREARCE	Ψ	3,003,334	Ψ	23,331	Ψ	3,003,334
SUPPLEMENTAL DISCLOSURES:						
Interest paid	\$	5,389	\$	-	\$	10,528
Income taxes paid	\$	-	\$	125	\$	250

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

NOTE 1: NATURE OF OPERATIONS

Our operations began in December 2008 with the negotiations for the acquisition of the MASCT System patent rights and assignments and the FDA clearance for marketing, which acquisition was completed in January 2009. Atossa Genetics Inc., (the "Company") was incorporated on April 30, 2009 in the State of Delaware. The Company was formed to develop and market the Mammary Aspirate Specimen Cytology Test, or the MASCT System, a cellular and molecular diagnostic risk assessment product for the detection of pre-cancerous changes that could lead to breast cancer. The Company's fiscal year ends on December 31st.

Development Stage Risk

To date, the Company has not earned any revenues from operations. Accordingly, the Company's activities have been accounted for as those of a "Development Stage Enterprise" as set forth in Accounting Standards Codification ("ASC") 915 "Development Stage Entities," which was previously Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No. 7 ("SFAS 7"). Among the disclosures required by ASC 915 are that the Company's financial statements be identified as those of a development stage company, and that the statements of operations, stockholders' equity and cash flows disclose activity since the date of the Company's inception.

Since its inception, the Company has been dependent upon the receipt of capital investment to fund its continuing activities. In addition to the normal risks associated with a new business venture, there can be no assurance that the Company's business plan will be successfully executed. The Company's ability to execute its business plan will depend on its ability to obtain additional financing and achieve a profitable level of operations. There can be no assurance that sufficient financing will be obtained. Further, the Company cannot give any assurance that it will generate substantial revenues or that its business operations will prove to be profitable.

NOTE 2: GOING CONCERN

The Company's financial statements are prepared using generally accepted accounting principles in the United States of America applicable to a going concern, which contemplates the realization of assets and the satisfaction of liabilities in the normal course of business. The Company has not yet established an ongoing source of revenues sufficient to cover its operating costs and allow it to continue as a going concern. The ability of the Company to continue as a going concern is dependent on the Company obtaining adequate capital to fund operating losses until it becomes profitable. If the Company is unable to obtain adequate capital, it could be forced to cease operations. The accompanying financial statements do not include any adjustments that might be necessary if the Company is unable to continue as a going concern.

Management's Plan to Continue as a Going Concern

In order to continue as a going concern, the Company will need, among other things, additional capital resources. Management's plans to obtain such resources for the Company include (1) obtaining capital from the sale of its securities, (2) sales of the MASCT System and laboratory service revenue related thereto, and (3) short-term borrowings from stockholders or other related party(ies) when needed. However, management cannot provide any assurance that the Company will be successful in accomplishing any of its plans.

The ability of the Company to continue as a going concern is dependent upon its ability to successfully accomplish the plans described in the preceding paragraph and eventually to secure other sources of financing and attain profitable operations.

NOTE 3: SUMMARY OF ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The unaudited financial statements of Atossa Genetics Inc. have been prepared in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles for interim financial information. Accordingly, they do not include all the information and footnotes required by accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America for annual financial statements. However, the information included in these interim financial statements reflects all adjustments (consisting solely of normal recurring adjustments) which are, in the opinion of management, necessary for the fair presentation of the financial position and the results of operations. Results shown for interim periods are not necessarily indicative of the results to be obtained for a full year. The balance sheet information as of December 31, 2010 was derived from the Company's audited financial statements. These interim financial statements should be read in conjunction with that report. Certain comparative amounts have been reclassified to conform to the current period's presentation.

Revenue Recognition:

Overview

We will recognize product and service revenue in accordance with GAAP when the following overall fundamental criteria are met: (i) persuasive evidence of an arrangement exists, (ii) delivery has occurred or the service has been performed, (iii) the Company's price to the customer is fixed or determinable, and (iv) collection is reasonably assured.

Product Revenue

We recognize revenue for sales of the MASCT kits and devices upon the occurrence of all of the following: (i) receipt of cash, (ii) confirmation of product delivery (shipping documents and the completion of any customer acceptance requirements, when applicable, will be used to verify product delivery), and (iii) assessment of whether a price is fixed or determinable based upon the payment terms associated with the transaction and whether the sales price is subject to refund or adjustment. Once a history of sales and collectability has been established, we expect to recognize revenue upon delivery of goods from the supplier's or our warehouse or upon arrival of goods at the customer's designated location, depending on the shipping terms, with an offsetting reserve for doubtful accounts estimated based on the relevant collections history.

Service Revenue

We recognize revenue for our diagnostic testing on an accrual basis at the Medicare allowed and invoiced amount and upon satisfaction of the above four fundamental criteria. Amounts invoiced above the Medicare allowed reimbursement amount are not recognized upon receipt of cash during the initial three- to six-month period as we have no sufficient individual customer history on which to determine the collectability of amounts that are invoiced above the Medicare amount. Diagnostic testing revenue at the Medicare rate is recognized upon completion of the test, communication of results to the patient's physician, and when collectability is reasonably assured. Customer purchase orders and/or contracts will generally be used to determine whether persuasive evidence of an arrangement exists. Once the Company has an appropriate history of sales and can determine the proper amount to recognize as uncollectible, it will then begin to recognize the entire amount, both Medicare allowed and non-Medicare billing, when all criteria of revenue recognition are met, with an offsetting allowance for doubtful accounts estimated based on collections history. We estimate it will take between three to six months of sales and collection history to establish reasonable assurance of collection and estimate of doubtful accounts, which is subject to change based on the sufficiency of actual number of sales transaction for the period.

Cash and Cash Equivalents:

Cash and cash equivalents include cash and all highly liquid instruments with original maturities of three months or less. As of September 30, 2011, \$1,000,000 of cash was restricted as collateral for \$1,000,000 of a commercial line of credit obtained from JPMorgan Chase Bank in September 2011 (see Note 8).

Use of Estimates:

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and the disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Accordingly, actual results could differ from those estimates.

Property, plant, and equipment

Property, plant and equipment are stated at cost less accumulated depreciation. Expenditures for maintenance and repairs are charged to earnings as incurred; additions, renewals and betterments are capitalized. When property, plant and equipment are retired or otherwise disposed of, the related cost and accumulated depreciation are removed from the respective accounts, and any gain or loss is included in operations.

Depreciation is computed using the straight-line method over the estimated useful lives of the assets as follows:

Useful Life
(in years)
5

Intangible assets

Machinery and equipment

For intangible assets subject to amortization, an impairment loss is recognized if the carrying amount of the intangible asset is not recoverable and exceeds fair value. The carrying amount of the intangible asset is considered not recoverable if it exceeds the sum of the undiscounted cash flows expected to result from the use of the asset. Intangible assets as of September 30, 2011 were mainly software acquired for the purpose of managing laboratory results (see Note 7).

Research and Development Expenses:

Research and development costs are generally expensed as incurred. The Company's research and development expenses consist of costs incurred for internal and external research and development.

Share Based Payments:

In December 2004, the Financial Accounting Standard Board, or the FASB, issued the Statement of Financial Accounting Standards, or SFAS, No. 123(R), "Share-Based Payment," which replaces SFAS No. 123 and supersedes APB Opinion No. 25. SFAS No. 123(R) is now included in the FASB's ASC Topic 718, "Compensation – Stock Compensation." Under SFAS No. 123(R), companies are required to measure the compensation costs of share-based compensation arrangements based on the grant-date fair value and recognize the costs in the financial statements over the period during which employees or independent contractors are required to provide services. Share-based compensation arrangements include stock options and warrants, restricted share plans, performance-based awards, share appreciation rights and employee share purchase plans. In March 2005, the SEC issued Staff Accounting Bulletin No. 107, or SAB 107, which expresses views of the staff regarding the interaction between SFAS No. 123(R) and certain SEC rules and regulations and provides the staff's views regarding the valuation of share-based payment arrangements for public companies. SFAS No. 123(R) permits public companies to adopt its requirements using one of two methods. On April 14, 2005, the SEC adopted a new rule amending the compliance dates for SFAS No. 123(R). Companies may elect to apply this statement either prospectively, or on a modified version of retrospective application under which financial statements for prior periods are adjusted on a basis consistent with the pro forma disclosures required for those periods under SFAS No. 123.

The Company has fully adopted the provisions of FASB ASC 718 and related interpretations as provided by SAB 107. As such, compensation cost is measured on the date of grant as the fair value of the share-based payments. Such compensation amounts, if any, are amortized over the respective vesting periods of the option grant.

Recently Issued Accounting Pronouncements:

The Company has adopted all recently issued accounting pronouncements that management believes to be applicable to the Company. The adoption of these accounting pronouncements, including those not yet effective, is not anticipated to have a material effect on the financial position or results of operations of the Company.

NOTE 4: PREPAID EXPENSES

Prepaid expenses consisted of the following:

	mber 30, 2011	nber 31, 010
Prepaid insurances	\$ 18,733	\$ -
Prepaid hardware/software maintenance and support services fee	18,000	-
Prepaid rent	5,213	-
	\$ 41,946	\$

NOTE 5: OTHER CURRENT ASSETS

Other current assets amounted to \$2,200 as of September 30, 2011, mainly consisted of security deposits for two office leases. The lease terms are from July 11, 2011 through July 31, 2012 and from October 1, 2011 to March 31, 2012, respectively (see Note 13).

NOTE 6: PROPERTY, PLANT, AND EQUIPMENT

Property, plant and equipment consisted of the following:

	September 30, 2011	December 31, 2010
Machinery and equipment	\$ 35,77	5 \$ -
Less: Accumulated depreciation	(1,42	-
Property, plant and equipment, net	\$ 34,35	5 \$ -

Depreciation expense for the nine-month period ended September 30, 2011 and the fiscal year ended December 31, 2010 was \$1,420 and \$0, respectively.

NOTE 7: INTANGIBLE ASSET

Intangible asset amounted to \$44,500 as of September 30, 2011, and mainly consisted of the third-party pathology reporting software acquired for the purpose of managing laboratory results pursuant to a software installation agreement entered into on June 8, 2011. The amortization period for the purchased software is 3 years. Amortization expense for the nine months ended September 30, 2011 was \$5,000.

Future estimated amortization expenses as of September 30, 2011 for the five succeeding years is as follows:

As of September 30,	Amounts
2012	\$ 16,500
2013	16,500
2014 2015 2016	11,500
2015	-
2016	-
	\$ 44,500

NOTE 8: LINE OF CREDIT

Line of credit consisted of the following at September 30, 2011 and December 31, 2010:

	Se	otember 30, 2011	Dec	cember 31, 2010	
Line of credit, JPMorgan Chase Bank	\$	1,000,000	\$	-	

In June 2011, the Company entered into a commercial line of credit agreement with JPMorgan Chase Bank. The term of the loan started from June 28, 2011 with maturity date on June 28, 2012. The line of credit agreement provides for borrowings up to \$1,000,000. The balance of the line of credit was fully drawn as of September 30, 2011. The adjustable interest rate is a rate per annum equal to the sum of an index, which is the LIBOR Rate plus 1.914 percentage point(s). The interest rate for the line of credit was 2.7789% as of September 30, 2011.

As of September 30, 2011, \$1,000,000 of cash was restricted as collateral for the commercial line of credit.

NOTE 9: ACCRUED EXPENSES

Accrued expenses consisted of the following:

	Sep ———	2011	December 31, 2010	
Accrued expenses	\$	297,851	\$	391,749
Accrued payroll tax liabilities		91,046		7,540
	\$	388,897	\$	399,289

NOTE 10: STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY

The Company is authorized to issue a total of 85,000,000 shares of stock consisting of 75,000,000 shares of Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share, and 10,000,000 shares of Preferred Stock, par value \$0.001 per share.

Reverse Stock-Split

On September 28, 2010, the Board of Directors approved a 1-for-2.26332 reverse share split for all issued and outstanding Common shares, with no change to the par value of the common stock.

Prior Issuances of Common Stock

On April 30, 2009 (inception), the Company issued 1,767,316 shares (or 4,000,000 shares prior to the reverse stock-split on September 28, 2010) to Ensisheim Partners LLC, a related party to the Company through common ownership, for cash in the amount of \$24,000, or \$0.014 per share (or \$0.006 per share prior to the reverse stock-split on September 28, 2010); 1,325,487 shares (or 3,000,000 shares prior to the reverse stock-split on September 28, 2010) to Manistee Ventures LLC, a related party to the Company through common ownership, for cash in the amount of \$18,000, or \$0.014 per share (or \$0.006 per share prior to the reverse stock-split on September 28, 2010); and 883,662 shares (or 2,000,000 shares prior to the reverse stock-split on September 28, 2010) to the Chairman, CEO and President of the Company at that time for cash in the amount of \$12,000, or \$0.014 per share (or \$0.006 per share prior to the reverse stock-split on September 28, 2010).

On July 28, 2009, the Company issued 39,765 shares (or 90,000 shares prior to the reverse stock-split on September 28, 2010) to a director of the Company for cash in the amount of \$540, or \$0.014 per share (or \$0.006 per share prior to the reverse stock-split on September 28, 2010).

On December 28, 2009, the Company issued 883,658 shares (or 2,000,000 shares prior to the reverse stock-split on September 28, 2010) to Ensisheim Partners LLC for cash in the amount of \$100,000, or \$0.11 per share (or \$0.05 per share prior to the reverse stock-split on September 28, 2010).

On January 21, 2010, the Company issued 866,007 shares (or 1,960,000 shares prior to the reverse stock-split on September 28, 2010) to forty-four (44) investors for cash in the amount of \$98,000, or \$0.11 per share (or \$0.05 per share prior to the reverse stock-split on September 28, 2010).

On January 21, 2010, the Company issued 132,549 shares (or 300,000 shares prior to the reverse stock-split on September 28, 2010) to a servicer for effecting transactions intended to cause the Company to become a public company and to have its securities traded in the United States. The shares were issued at a value of \$15,000, or \$0.11 per share (or \$0.05 per share prior to the reverse stock-split on September 28, 2010), the same price as the issuance of the 866,007 shares (or 1,960,000 shares prior to the reverse stock-split on September 28, 2010) for cash on the same date.

On January 21, 2010, the Company issued an additional 53,020 shares (or 120,000 shares prior to the reverse stock-split on September 28, 2010) to a shareholder who acquired 13,255 shares (or 30,000 shares prior to the reverse stock-split on September 28, 2010) for cash on the same date as one of the forty-four (44) investors. Those shares were issued to the shareholder for services to be performed, including investor relations, media relations, and corporate communications. Those shares were issued at a value of \$6,000, or \$0.11 per share (or \$0.05 per share prior to the reverse stock-split on September 28, 2010), the same price as the issuance of the 866,007 shares (or 1,960,000 shares prior to the reverse stock-split on September 28, 2010) for cash on the same date.

On January 23, 2010, the Company issued 35,347 shares (or 80,000 shares prior to the reverse stock-split on September 28, 2010) to an investor for cash in the amount of \$4,000, or \$0.11 per share (or \$0.05 per share prior to the reverse stock-split on September 28, 2010).

On April 27, 2010, the Company issued 13,256 shares (or 30,000 shares prior to the reverse stock-split on September 28, 2010) at \$3.77 per share (or \$1.67 per share prior to the reverse stock-split on September 28, 2010) to a service provider for website development services pursuant to an original agreement between the Company and the web site developer executed on December 14, 2009, where it was agreed at that time \$50,000 or 30,000 shares of common stock would be issued to the developer in exchange for his services.

Private Placements and Warrants

On April 28, May 31, June 10, and June 23, 2011, pursuant to Securities Purchase Agreements with various investors (the "Investors"), the Company issued 5,256,800 shares of the Company's common stock and 5,256,800 warrants (the "Investor Warrants"), each of which entitles the investors to purchase the Company's common stock at \$1.60 per share, for aggregate gross proceeds of \$6,571,000 (the "Private Placement").

Placement Agent Fees

In connection with the Private Placement, the Company paid Dawson James Securities, Inc. (the "Placement Agent"), a cash fee equal to 10% of the gross proceeds from sale of the common stocks and warrants, plus 3% non-accountable expense allowance, an aggregate of \$857,230 (the "Placement Agent Fee"). In addition, on September 12, 2011, the Company entered into Warrant Agreements with the placement agent pursuant to which the Placement Agent received 788,520 warrants (the "Placement Agent Warrants"), each of which entitles the Placement Agent to purchase the Company's common stock at \$1.60 per share, plus additional 788,520 warrants (the "Placement Agent Warrants"), each of which entitles the placement agent to purchase the Company's common stock at \$1.25 per share. The cash payment of \$857,230 Placement Agent Fee and the \$495,876 aggregated initial fair value of the Placement Agent Warrants (see *Fair Value Considerations* below) were directly attributable to an actual offering and were charged through additional paid-in capital in accordance with the SEC Staff Accounting Bulletin (SAB) Topic 5A.

Warrants

The Warrants, including the Investor Warrants and the Placement Agent Warrants, are exercisable at any time commencing after the earliest of the following to occur (the "Initial Exercise Date"):

- (a) Six (6) months from the closing of the Company Initial Public Offering (initial public offering of the Company's Common Stock registered under the Securities Act),
- (b) The closing of a "fundamental transaction" (in case of any reclassification, capital reorganization, exchange of shares, liquidation, recapitalization or change of the Common Stock, or in case of any consolidation or merger of the Company with or into another corporation or entity, or in case of any sale, lease or conveyance to another corporation or entity of all or substantially all of the assets of the Company), or
- (c) Closing of a "significant private financing" (sale of the Company's securities primarily for capital raising purposes in a transaction or series of related transactions that is exempt from registration under the Securities Act and in which the Company issues securities representing at least 20% of the then outstanding capital stock of the Company, calculated assuming the conversion or exercise of all outstanding options, warrants and other securities convertible into or exercisable for capital stock of the Company).

The Warrants shall expire and no longer be exercisable on the fifth anniversary of the Initial Exercise Date (the "Expiration Date"). The Company may at any time during the term of this Warrant reduce the then current Exercise Price to any amount and for any period of time deemed appropriate by the Board of Directors of the Company. The Warrants may be exercised for cash or, at the option of the Investor, may be exercised on a cashless basis. There are no redemption features embodied in the Warrants and they have met the conditions provided in current accounting standards for equity classification.

Fair Value Considerations

The Company's accounting for the issuance of warrants to the Investors and the Placement Agent required the estimation of fair values of the financial instruments. The development of fair values of financial instruments requires the selection of appropriate methodologies and the estimation of often subjective assumptions. The Company selected the valuation techniques based upon consideration of the types of assumptions that market participants would likely consider in exchanging the financial instruments in market transactions. The warrants were valued using a Black-Scholes-Merton Valuation Technique because it embodies all of the requisite assumptions (including trading volatility, estimated terms and risk free rates) necessary to fair value these instruments.

The Investor Warrants and the Placement Agent Warrants were initially valued at \$1,808,025 or \$0.344 per warrant, \$228,712 or \$0.290 per warrant, and \$267,164 or \$0.339 per warrant, respectively. The following tables reflect assumptions used to determine the fair value of the Warrants:

		April 2011		Septeml	oer !	2011
	Fair Value Hierarchy Level	Investor Warrants	_	Placement Agent Warrants	_	Placement Agent Warrants
Indexed shares		5,256,800		788,520		788,520
Exercise price		\$ 1.60	\$	1.60	\$	1.25
Significant assumptions:						
Stock price	3	\$ 0.906	\$	0.906	\$	0.906
Remaining term	3	6 years		6 years		6 years
Risk free rate	2	2.49%)	1.12%)	1.12%
Expected volatility	2	53.55%	,	54.21%)	54.21%

Fair value hierarchy of the above assumptions can be categorized as follows:

- (1) There were no Level 1 inputs.
- (2) Level 2 inputs include:
 - Risk-free rate- The risk-free rate of return reflects the interest rate for United States Treasury Note with similar time-to-maturity to that of the warrants.

• Expected volatility- We did not have a historical trading history sufficient to develop an internal volatility rate for use in the model. As a result, as required by ASC 718-10-30, the Company has accounted for the warrants using the calculated value method. The Company identified seven public entities in the similar industry for which share price information was available, and considered the historical volatilities of those public entities' share prices in calculating the expected volatility appropriate to the Company.

(3) Level 3 inputs include:

- Stock price- The Company's common stock was not publicly traded at the time the Warrants were issued. Accordingly, the stock price was
 determined implicitly from an iterative process based upon the assumption that the Private Placement was the result of an arm's length
 transaction.
- Remaining term- The Company does not have a history to develop the expected term for its warrants. Accordingly, the Company expected the Initial Exercise Date to occur within one year from the date of issuance plus the contractual term in the calculations.

Stock Option and Incentive Plan

On September 28, 2010, the Board of Directors approved the adoption of the 2010 Stock Option and Incentive Plan, or the 2010 Plan, subject to stockholder approval, to provide for the grant of equity-based awards to employees, officers, non-employee directors and other key persons providing services to the Company. Awards of incentive options may be granted under the 2010 Plan until September 2020. No other awards may be granted under the 2010 Plan after the date that is 10 years from the date of stockholder approval. An aggregate of 1,000,000 shares (or 2,263,320 shares prior to the reverse stock-split on September 28, 2010) are reserved for issuance in connection with awards granted under the 2010 Plan, such number of shares to be subject to adjustment as provided in the plan and in any award agreements entered into by the Company under the plan, and upon the exercise or conversion of any awards granted under the plan.

On April 4, 2011, 45,000 non-qualified stock options were granted under the Plan to Dr. Tim Hunkapiller for being a member of the Company's Scientific Advisory Board and consulting services to be provided to the Company.

On September 1, 2011, 219,000 incentive stock options were granted under the Plan to employees and officers and 200,000 non-qualified stock options were granted under the Plan to non-employee directors, respectively, for their employment with and services to be provided to the Company (see Note 14).

NOTE 11: INCOME TAXES

The Company accounts for income taxes as outlined in ASC 740, "Income Taxes," which was previously Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No. 109, "Accounting for Income Taxes" ("SFAS 109"). Under the asset and liability method of SFAS 109, deferred income tax assets and liabilities are recognized for the estimated future tax consequences attributable to differences between the financial reporting and tax bases of assets and liabilities and are measured using enacted tax rates in effect for the year in which those temporary differences are expected to be recovered or settled. A valuation allowance is provided for the amount of deferred tax assets that, based on available evidence, are not expected to be realized.

As a result of the Company's cumulative losses, management has concluded that a full valuation allowance against the Company's net deferred tax assets is appropriate. No income tax liabilities existed as of September 30, 2011 and December 31, 2010 due to the Company's continuing operating losses.

NOTE 12: CONCENTRATION OF CREDIT RISK

Financial instruments that potentially subject the Company to concentration of credit risk consist principally of cash deposits. Accounts at each institution are insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation ("FDIC") up to \$250,000. At September 30, 2011 and December 31, 2010, the Company had \$3,755,994 and \$0, respectively, in excess of the FDIC insured limit.

NOTE 13: COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES

Lease Commitments

On March 4, 2011, the Company entered into a commercial lease agreement with Sanders Properties, LLC for office space located in Seattle, Washington. The lease provides for monthly rent of \$1,100 and a security deposit of \$1,500. The lease terms are from April 1, 2011 through March 31, 2013.

On July 9, 2011, the Company entered into a commercial lease agreement with Sanders Properties, LLC for additional office space located in Seattle, Washington. The lease provides for monthly rent of \$600 and a security deposit of \$1,200. The lease terms are from July 11, 2011 through July 31, 2012.

On September 27, 2011, the Company entered into another commercial lease agreement with Sanders Properties, LLC for additional office space located in Seattle, Washington. The lease provides for monthly rent of \$1,400 and a security deposit of \$1,000. The lease terms are from October 1, 2011 to March 31, 2012.

The future minimum lease payments due subsequent to September 30, 2011 under all non-cancelable operating leases for the next five years are as follows:

As of September 30,	Amounts		
2012	\$	27,600	
2013		6,600	
2014		-	
2015		-	
2016		-	
Thereafter		-	
Total minimum lease payments	\$	34,200	

Contingencies

On June 30, 2011, Robert Kelly, the Company's former President, filed a counterclaim against the Company in an arbitration proceeding, alleging breach of contract in connection with the termination of a consulting agreement between Mr. Kelly (dba Pitslayer) and the Company. The consulting agreement was terminated by the Company in September 2010. Mr. Kelly, who is acting as a pro se litigant in the arbitration, seeks \$450,000 in compensatory damages, which is the amount he claims would have been earned had the consulting agreement been fulfilled to completion. The Company is in arbitration with Mr. Kelly and is reasonably confident in its defenses to Mr. Kelly's claims. Consequently, no provision or liability has been recorded for Mr. Kelly's claims as of September 30, 2011. However, it is at least reasonably possible that the Company's estimate of its liability may change in the near term. Any payments by reason of an adverse determination in this matter will be charged to earnings in the period of determination.

NOTE 14: RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

Loans from Officer

On May 26, 2009, the Company borrowed \$5,000 from its Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer as a short-term, unsecured loan via an oral agreement and did not bear any interest. Commencing June 30, 2010, the loan was converted into a written Promissory Note bearing an annual interest rate of 10%, with a maturity date of December 31, 2010. This note was repaid in full on May 16, 2011 including accrued interest.

On June 30, 2010, the Company borrowed an additional \$100,000 from its Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer pursuant to a promissory note. The loan under the note was funded to the Company on July 12, 2010. The note bore interest at a rate of 10% per annum and carried a \$4,000 loan origination fee, which accreted to the loan balance over the life of the loan. The \$4,000 loan origination fee was fully accreted to the loan balance as of March 31, 2011 and December 31, 2010, and recorded as interest expense for the year ended December 31, 2010. This note was repaid in full on May 19, 2011 including accrued interest.

On November 3, 2010, the Company entered into a line of credit for borrowing up to \$500,000 from its Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer pursuant to a promissory note. The note bore interest at a rate of 10% per annum. An aggregate of \$140,000 was funded to the Company under the line of credit through March 31, 2011, which was repaid on May 31, 2011. As of September 30, 2011, the unpaid principal balance drawn from the line of credit was \$10,000. The note is payable in full on or before December 31, 2011 for the outstanding balance borrowed.

Exclusive License Agreement

On July 27, 2009, the Company entered into an exclusive license agreement with Ensisheim Partners LLC ("Ensisheim"), an entity solely owned by the Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of the Company and the Chief Scientific Officer of the Company, who is also the Company's Chairman and CEO's wife. Pursuant to that agreement, Ensisheim granted the Company an exclusive, worldwide, perpetual, irrevocable, royalty-bearing, license to the MASCT System, with the right to grant and authorize sublicenses. The license agreement provided that the Company would pay Ensisheim a royalty equal to 2% of net sales revenues, with a minimum royalty of \$12,500 per fiscal quarter during the term of the agreement, which would have increased to a minimum royalty of \$25,000 per fiscal quarter beginning in the quarter in which the first commercial sale of a licensed product would have taken place. As of December 31, 2009, a total of \$12,500 was payable to Ensisheim under the minimum royalty provisions. From inception through December 31, 2010, the Company had incurred \$16,250 in patent-related expenses under the license agreement with Ensisheim.

On June 17, 2010, the Company and Ensisheim entered into an Assignment Agreement, whereby Ensisheim assigned to the Company all rights to the patents and patent applications underlying the MASCT System. Pursuant to the assignment, the Company will have all responsibility for prosecution, maintenance, and enforcement and will indemnify Ensisheim from any and all claims against the patent estate. Ensisheim retained no residual rights with respect to the patents and patent applications. In conjunction with the assignment, the Company terminated the exclusive license agreement between the Company and Ensisheim dated July 27, 2009. As a result of the termination, the Company has no further obligations with respect to royalty payments to Ensisheim due under the old licensing agreement. As a result, the \$12,500 of patent royalty payable to Ensisheim recorded as accrued royalty payable at December 31, 2009 has been reversed through royalty expense during the second quarter of 2010.

Commercial Lease Agreement

On December 24, 2009, the Company entered into a commercial lease agreement with Ensisheim for office space located in Seattle, Washington. The lease provided for annual rent of \$13,200, plus applicable sales tax. From inception through December 31, 2009, the Company incurred \$248 of rent expense for the lease. As of December 31, 2009, security deposit for the lease amounted to \$1,100. For the period of January 1, 2010 through June 30, 2010, the Company incurred \$6,600 of rent expense for the lease. On July 15, 2010 the Company and Ensisheim terminated the lease, effective July 1, 2010 and the Company commenced use of the facility rent free.

On September 29, 2010, the Company entered into a commercial lease agreement with CompleGen, Inc. for laboratory space located in Seattle, Washington. The lease provides for monthly rent of \$3,657.05 and a security deposit equal to one month's rent. The lease terms were from September 29, 2010 through March 31, 2011, at which time the lease converted to month to month unless two months' prior written notice of the intent to terminate the agreement is given.

Executive Compensation

On May 19, 2010, the Company entered into employment agreements with three executives, including its Chief Executive Officer, its former President, and its Chief Scientific Officer. The annual base salaries under each agreement were calculated based on combined consideration of the success of capital raise and the operating results of the Company, and capped at \$360,000, \$350,000, and \$250,000, respectively for the three executives.

On July 22, 2010, in connection with the resignation and departure of Robert L. Kelly, the President and a director, the Company entered into a consulting agreement with a limited liability company controlled by Mr. Kelly. Under the agreement, the Company was to receive consulting services relating to capital raising and investor relations. The agreement was terminated by the Company in September 2010, through which time a total of \$30,000 consulting expense had been paid.

On July 22, 2010, the Company restated and amended the employment agreements with its CEO and CSO. The agreements modified the base annual salary amounts to \$250,000 and \$200,000, respectively, effective retroactively to May 19, 2010. These salaries were accrued and amounted to \$391,071 and \$278,571 as of March 31, 2011 and December 31, 2010 and paid in full in April 2011. For the nine-month periods ended September 30, 2011 and 2010, salaries and bonuses of the CEO and CSO amounted to \$547,551 and \$179,116, of which \$379,970 and \$0 was recorded to research and development expense, respectively.

Share-Based Compensation

The amended employment agreement with the CEO granted options to purchase 250,000 shares (or 565,830 shares prior to the reverse stock-split on September 28, 2010) at a price of \$5.00 per share (or \$2.64 per share prior to the reverse stock-split on September 28, 2010), in consideration of his service to the Company. Of these options, 25% (or 62,500 shares) vested on December 31, 2010 with the remaining 75% (or 187,500 shares) to vest in equal quarterly installments over the next three years so long as the executive remains employed with the Company. These options have five-year contractual terms.

The amended employment agreement with the CSO granted options to purchase 100,000 shares (or 226,332 shares prior to the reverse stock-split on September 28, 2010) at a price of \$5.00 per share (or \$2.64 per share prior to the reverse stock-split on September 28, 2010) in consideration of her service to the Company. Of these options, 25% (or 25,000 shares) vested on December 31, 2010 with the remaining 75% (or 75,000 shares) to vest in equal quarterly installments over the next three years so long as the executive remains employed with the Company. These options have five-year contractual terms.

On April 4, 2011, 45,000 non-qualified stock options were granted under the 2010 Stock Option and Incentive Plan to Dr. Tim Hunkapiller for being a member of the Company's Scientific Advisory Board and consulting services to be provided to the Company, at an exercise price of \$1.25 per share. These options have a ten-year contractual term and shall vest as follows:

- (i) 11,250 option shares vest ninety (90) days after the date of grant;
- (ii) 11,000 option shares vest one hundred and eighty (180) days after the date of grant;
- (iii) 11,500 option shares vest two hundred and seventy (270) days after the date of grant; and
- (iv) 11,250 option shares yest three hundred and sixty (360) days after the date of grant.

On September 1, 2011, 219,000 incentive stock options were granted under the 2010 Stock Option and Incentive Plan to employees and officers as part of their employment agreements, at an exercise price of \$1.25 per share. These options have a ten-year contractual term and shall vest and become exercisable as follows:

- (i) twenty-five percent (25%) of the underlying shares on the first anniversary of the date of grant; and
- (ii) one-forty eighth (1/48) of the underlying shares monthly thereafter.

On September 1, 2011, 200,000 non-qualified stock options were granted under the 2010 Stock Option and Incentive Plan to non-employee directors for services to be provided to the Company, at an exercise price of \$1.25 per share. These options have a ten-year contractual term and shall vest and become exercisable as follows:

- (i) 80,000 option shares vest on September 1, 2011;
- (ii) 30,000 options shares vest on December 1, 2011;
- (iii) 30,000 options shares vest on March 1, 2012;
- (iv) 30,000 options shares vest on June 1, 2012; and
- (v) 30,000 options shares vest on September 1, 2012.

In accordance with the guidance provided in ASC Topic 718, Stock Compensation (formerly SFAS 123(R)), the compensation costs associated with these options are recognized, based on the grant-date fair values of these options, over the requisite service period, or vesting period. Accordingly, the Company recognized a compensation expense of \$111,288 for the nine-month period ended September 30, 2011.

The Company estimated the fair value of these options using the Black-Scholes-Merton option pricing model based on the following weighted-average assumptions:

			Employees &	Non-employee
	CEO & CSO	Dr. Hunkapiller	Officers	Directors
Date of grant	22-Jun-10	4-Apr-11	1-Sep-11	1-Sep-11
Fair value of common stock on date of grant	\$ 2.756	\$ 0.906	\$ 0.906	\$ 0.906
Exercise price of the options	\$ 5.00	\$ 1.25	\$ 1.25	\$ 1.25
Expected life of the options (years)	3.33	5.31	5.65	5.65
Dividend yield	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Expected volatility	58.59%	54.12%	53.90%	53.90%
Risk-free interest rate	1.03%	2.26%	1.08%	1.08%
Expected forfeiture per year (%)	0.00%	0.00%	(A)	0.00%
Weighted-average fair value of the options (per unit)	\$ 0.6744	\$ 0.3729	\$ 0.3579	\$ 0.3579

(A) 0.00% for the first year after the grant date, and 2.50% for every three months thereafter.

Fair value hierarchy of the above assumptions can be categorized as follows:

(1) There were no Level 1 inputs.

(2) Level 2 inputs include:

- Risk-free rate- The risk-free rate of return reflects the interest rate for United States Treasury Note with similar time-to-maturity to that of the options.
- Expected volatility- We did not have a historical trading history sufficient to develop an internal volatility rate for use in the model. As a result, as required by ASC 718-10-30, the Company has accounted for the options using the calculated value method. The Company identified seven public entities in the similar industry for which share price information was available, and considered the historical volatilities of those public entities' share prices in calculating the expected volatility appropriate to the Company.

(3) Level 3 inputs include:

- Expected lives- The expected lives of options granted were derived from the output of the option valuation model and represented the period of time that options granted are expected to be outstanding.
- Expected forfeitures per year- The expected forfeitures are estimated at the dates of grant and will be revised in subsequent periods pursuant to actual forfeitures, if significantly different from the previous estimates.

The estimates of fair value from the model are theoretical values of stock options and changes in the assumptions used in the model could result in materially different fair value estimates. The actual value of the stock options will depend on the market value of the Company's common stock when the stock options are exercised

Options issued and outstanding as of September 30, 2011 and December 31, 2010 and their activities during the period are as follows:

	Number of Underlying Shares	Weighted- Average Exercise Price Per Share	Weighted- Average Contractual Life Remaining in Years
Outstanding as of January 1, 2011	350,000	\$ 5.00	
Granted	464,000	1.25	
Expired	-	-	
Forfeited	-	-	
Outstanding as of September 30, 2011	814,000	2.86	7.28
Exercisable as of September 30, 2011	255,375	3.50	6.22
Vested and expected to vest ⁽¹⁾	814,000	2.86	7.28

	Number of Underlying Shares	Weighted- Average Exercise Price Per Share	Weighted- Average Contractual Life Remaining in Years
Outstanding as of January 1, 2010	-	-	
Granted	350,000	\$ 5.00	
Expired	-	-	
Forfeited	-	-	
Outstanding as of December 31, 2010	350,000	5.00	4.56
Exercisable as of December 31, 2010	87,500	5.00	4.56
Vested and expected to vest $^{(1)}$	350,000	5.00	4.56

⁽¹⁾ Includes vested shares and unvested shares after a forfeiture rate is applied.

As of September 30, 2011 and December 31, 2010, the aggregate intrinsic value of options outstanding, exercisable, and vested and expected to vest was \$402,781 and \$236,040, respectively.

A summary of the status of the Company's unvested shares as of September 30, 2011 and December 31, 2010, and changes during the nine-month period ended September 30, 2011 and the year ended December 31, 2010, are presented below:

Unvested Shares	Shares	Weighted- Average Grant- Date Fair Value
Unvested as of January 1, 2011	262,500	\$ 176,963
Granted	464,000	166,741
Vested	(167,875)	(81,120)
Forfeited	-	-
Unvested as of September 30, 2011	558,625	\$ 262,584
Unvested Shares	Shares	Weighted- Average Grant- Date Fair Value
Unvested Shares Unvested as of January 1, 2010	Shares -	Average Grant-
		Average Grant- Date Fair Value
Unvested as of January 1, 2010	-	Average Grant- Date Fair Value
Unvested as of January 1, 2010 Granted	350,000	Average Grant- Date Fair Value \$ - 236,040
Unvested as of January 1, 2010 Granted Vested	350,000	Average Grant- Date Fair Value \$ - 236,040

NOTE 15: SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

Management has evaluated subsequent events through November 16, 2011, the date which the unaudited financial statements were available to be issued. All subsequent events requiring recognition as of September 30, 2011 have been incorporated into these financial statements and there are no subsequent events that require disclosure in accordance with FASB ASC Topic 855, "Subsequent Events."

REPORT OF INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM

To the Board of Directors and Stockholders of: Atossa Genetics, Inc.

We have audited the accompanying balance sheet of Atossa Genetics, Inc. (a development stage company) (the "Company") as of December 31, 2010 and 2009, and the related statement of operations, changes in stockholders' equity, and cash flows for the year ended December 31, 2010 and for the period from April 30, 2009 (inception) through December 31, 2009. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Company's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits.

We conducted our audits in accordance with standards of the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (United States). Those standards require that we plan and perform the audits to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. The Company is not required to have, nor were we engaged to perform, an audit of its internal control over financial reporting. Our audits included consideration of internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audits provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Atossa Genetics, Inc. (a development stage company) as of December 31, 2010 and 2009 and the results of their operations and their cash flows for the year ended December 31, 2010 and for the period from April 30, 2009 (inception) through December 31, 2009 in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

The accompanying financial statements have been prepared assuming that the Company will continue as a going concern. As described in Note 2 of the financial statements, the Company has been in the development stage since its inception (April 30, 2009) and continues to incur expenses. The Company's viability is dependent upon its ability to obtain future financing and the success of its future operations. These matters raise substantial doubt about the Company's ability to continue as a going concern. Management's plan in regard to these matters is also described in Note 2 to the financial statements. The financial statements do not include any adjustments that might result from the outcome of this uncertainty.

/s/ KCCW Accountancy Corp.

Diamond Bar, California May 5, 2011

ATOSSA GENETICS INC. (A DEVELOPMENT STAGE COMPANY) BALANCE SHEETS

	De	December 31, 2010		,		•		cember 31, 2009
<u>Assets</u>								
Current Assets	¢.	10.252	ф	0.4.26.4				
Cash and cash equivalents Other receivable	\$	10,253	\$	84,364				
		10.252		04.264				
Total Current Assets	_	10,253		84,364				
Other Assets								
Security deposit - related parties		4,757		1,100				
Total Other Assets		4,757		1,100				
Total Assets	\$	15,010	\$	85,464				
<u>Liabilities and Stockholders' (Deficit) Equity</u>								
Current Liabilities								
Accrued payroll	\$	278,571	\$	-				
Accrued expenses		399,289		36,281				
Note payable - related party		189,000		5,000				
Accrued royalty payable - related party				12,500				
Total Current Liabilities		866,861		53,781				
Stockholders' (Deficit) Equity								
Preferred stock - \$.001 par value; 10,000,000 shares authorized, 0 shares issued and outstanding		_		_				
Common stock - \$.001 par value; 75,000,000 shares authorized, 6,000,067 and 4,899,888 shares issued and outstanding,								
respectively		6,000		4,900				
Additional paid-in capital		351,936		149,640				
Accumulated deficit		(1,209,787)		(122,857)				
Total Stockholders' (Deficit) Equity		(851,851)		31,683				
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Total Liabilities and Stockholders' (Deficit) Equity	\$	15,010	\$	85,464				

 $\label{thm:companying} \textit{ notes are an integral part of these financial statements.}$

ATOSSA GENETICS INC. (A DEVELOPMENT STAGE COMPANY) STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS

	For The Tw Months End December 3 2010	elve Z led	From April 30, 2009 (Inception) Through December 31, 2009	From April 30, 2009 (Inception) Through December 31, 2010
Net Revenue	\$	<u>-</u>	\$ <u>-</u>	\$ -
Operating Expenses				
Legal and professional expenses	478,	276	96,583	574,859
Compensation expenses	242,		-	242,718
Consulting expenses	108,		-	108,664
Research and development expenses	119,	996	21,250	141,246
Website and internet expenses	52,	500	3,000	55,500
Advertising and promotion expenses	12,	204	-	12,204
Other operating expenses	63,	637	2,025	65,662
Total operating expenses	1,077,	996	122,858	1,200,853
Operating Loss	(1,077,	996)	(122,858)	(1,200,853)
Interest Income		455	-	455
Interest Expense	(9,	139)	<u>-</u>	(9,139)
Net Loss before Income Taxes	(1,086,	680)	(122,858)	(1,209,537)
Income Taxes	· · ·	250	-	250
Net Loss	\$ (1,086,	930)	\$ (122,858)	\$ (1,209,787)
Loss per common share, basis and diluted	\$ ((110)	\$ (0.03)	¢ (0.22)
Loss per common share - basic and diluted Weighted average number of shares outstanding, basic and diluted	5,935,		\$ (0.03) 4,037,852	\$ (0.23) 5,171,887
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The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

ATOSSA GENETICS INC. (A DEVELOPMENT STAGE COMPANY) STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

	Moı	The Twelve on the Ended cember 31, 2010	200	From April 30, 2009 (Inception) Through December 31, 2009		om April 30, 09 (Inception) Through ecember 31, 2010
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES						
Net loss	\$	(1,086,930)	\$	(122,858)	\$	(1,209,787)
Common shares issued for services		71,000		-		71,000
Compensation cost for stock options granted to executives		30,396		-		30,396
Loan initiation fee accrued for notes payable		2,000		-		2,000
Adjustments to reconcile net loss to net cash						
provided by operating activities:						
Increase in other receivable		-		(1,100)		(1,100)
Increase in security deposits		(3,657)		-		(3,657)
Increase in accrued payroll		278,571		-		278,571
Increase in accrued expenses		363,008		36,281		399,289
Increase (Decrease) in royalty payable - related party		(12,500)		12,500		
Net cash used in operating activities		(358,111)		(75,177)		(433,288)
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES						
Proceeds from issuance of common stocks		102,000		154,540		256,540
Proceeds from loans from related parties		182,000		5,000		187,000
Net cash provided by financing activities	_	284,000	_	159,540		443,540
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NET (DECREASE) INCREASE IN CASH & CASH EQUIVALENTS		(74,111)		84,364		10,253
CASH & CASH EQUIVALENTS, BEGINNING BALANCE		84,364		-		-
CASH & CASH EQUIVALENTS, ENDING BALANCE	\$	10,253	\$	84,364	\$	10,253
SUPPLEMENTAL DISCLOSURES:						
Interest paid	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
Income taxes paid	\$	125	\$	-	\$	125

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ATOSSA GENETICS INC. (A DEVELOPMENT STAGE COMPANY) STATEMENT OF STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY

	Common Stock		Additional Paid-in			Accumulated		Total ockholders'	
	Shares	_	Amount		Capital		Deficit		Equity
Balance at April 30, 2009, Founders' shares	3,976,465	\$	3,976	\$	50,024	\$	-	\$	54,000
Issuance of shares for cash, July 28, 2009	39,765		40		500		-		540
Issuance of shares for cash, December 21, 2009	883,658		884		99,116		-		100,000
Net loss for the period ended December 31, 2009	-	_	<u>-</u>		<u>-</u>		(122,857)		(122,857)
Balance at December 31, 2009	4,899,888	\$	4,900	\$	149,640	\$	(122,857)	\$	31,683
Issuance of common shares for cash	901,354		901		101,099		-		102,000
Issuance of common shares for services	198,825		199		70,801		-		71,000
Compensation cost for stock options granted to executives	-		-		30,396		-		30,396
Net loss for the year ended December 31, 2010		_	-	_	-		(1,086,930)		(1,086,930)
Balance at December 31, 2010	6,000,067	\$	6,000	\$	351,936	\$	(1,209,787)	\$	(851,851)
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NOTE 1: NATURE OF OPERATIONS

Our operations began in December 2008 with the negotiations for the acquisition of the MASCT System patent rights and assignments and the FDA clearance for marketing, which acquisition was completed in January 2009. Atossa Genetics Inc., (the "Company") was incorporated on April 30, 2009 in the State of Delaware. The Company was formed to develop and market the Mammary Aspirate Specimen Cytology Test, or the MASCT System, a cellular and molecular diagnostic risk assessment product for the detection of pre-cancerous changes that could lead to breast cancer. The Company's fiscal year ends on December 31st.

Development Stage Risk

To date, the Company has not earned any revenues from operations. Accordingly, the Company's activities have been accounted for as those of a "Development Stage Enterprise" as set forth in Accounting Standards Codification ("ASC") 915 "Development Stage Entities," which was previously Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No. 7 ("SFAS 7"). Among the disclosures required by ASC 915 are that the Company's financial statements be identified as those of a development stage company, and that the statements of operations, stockholders' equity and cash flows disclose activity since the date of the Company's inception.

Since its inception, the Company has been dependent upon the receipt of capital investment to fund its continuing activities. In addition to the normal risks associated with a new business venture, there can be no assurance that the Company's business plan will be successfully executed. The Company's ability to execute its business plan will depend on its ability to obtain additional financing and achieve a profitable level of operations. There can be no assurance that sufficient financing will be obtained. Further, the Company cannot give any assurance that it will generate substantial revenues or that its business operations will prove to be profitable.

NOTE 2: GOING CONCERN

The Company's financial statements are prepared using generally accepted accounting principles in the United States of America applicable to a going concern, which contemplates the realization of assets and the satisfaction of liabilities in the normal course of business. The Company has not yet established an ongoing source of revenues sufficient to cover its operating costs and allow it to continue as a going concern. The ability of the Company to continue as a going concern is dependent on the Company obtaining adequate capital to fund operating losses until it becomes profitable. If the Company is unable to obtain adequate capital, it could be forced to cease operations. The accompanying financial statements do not include any adjustments that might be necessary if the Company is unable to continue as a going concern.

Management's Plan to Continue as a Going Concern

In order to continue as a going concern, the Company will need, among other things, additional capital resources. Management's plans to obtain such resources for the Company include (1) obtaining capital from the sale of its securities, (2) sales of the MASCT System and (3) short-term borrowings from stockholders or other related party(ies) when needed. However, management cannot provide any assurance that the Company will be successful in accomplishing any of its plans.

The ability of the Company to continue as a going concern is dependent upon its ability to successfully accomplish the plans described in the preceding paragraph and eventually to secure other sources of financing and attain profitable operations.

NOTE 3: SUMMARY OF ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Revenue Recognition:

Although the Company has yet to generate any revenues, it expects that it will recognize product and service revenue when the following fundamental criteria are met: (i) persuasive evidence of an arrangement exists, (ii) delivery has occurred or the service has been performed, (iii) the Company's price to the customer is fixed or determinable and (iv) collection of the resulting accounts receivable is reasonably assured. The Company will recognize revenue for product sales upon transfer of title to the customer. The Company will recognize revenue for services upon performance of the service. Customer purchase orders and/or contracts will generally be used to determine the existence of an arrangement. Shipping documents and the completion of any customer acceptance requirements, when applicable, will be used to verify product delivery or that services have been rendered. The Company will assess whether a price is fixed or determinable based upon the payment terms associated with the transaction and whether the sales price is subject to refund or adjustment. The Company will record reductions to revenue for estimated product returns and pricing adjustments in the same period that the related revenue is recorded. These estimates will be based on industry-based historical data, historical sales returns, if any, analysis of credit memo data, and other factors known at the time.

Cash and Cash Equivalents:

Cash and cash equivalents include cash and all highly liquid instruments with original maturities of three months or less.

Use of Estimates:

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and the disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Accordingly, actual results could differ from those estimates.

Research and Development Expenses:

Research and development costs are generally expensed as incurred. The Company's research and development expenses consist of costs incurred for internal and external research and development.

Share Based Payments:

In December 2004, the Financial Accounting Standard Board, or the FASB, issued the Statement of Financial Accounting Standards, or SFAS, No. 123(R), "Share-Based Payment," which replaces SFAS No. 123 and supersedes APB Opinion No. 25. SFAS No. 123(R) is now included in the FASB's ASC Topic 718, "Compensation – Stock Compensation." Under SFAS No. 123(R), companies are required to measure the compensation costs of share-based compensation arrangements based on the grant-date fair value and recognize the costs in the financial statements over the period during which employees or independent contractors are required to provide services. Share-based compensation arrangements include stock options and warrants, restricted share plans, performance-based awards, share appreciation rights and employee share purchase plans. In March 2005, the SEC issued Staff Accounting Bulletin No. 107, or SAB 107, which expresses views of the staff regarding the interaction between SFAS No. 123(R) and certain SEC rules and regulations and provides the staff's views regarding the valuation of share-based payment arrangements for public companies. SFAS No. 123(R) permits public companies to adopt its requirements using one of two methods. On April 14, 2005, the SEC adopted a new rule amending the compliance dates for SFAS No. 123(R). Companies may elect to apply this statement either prospectively, or on a modified version of retrospective application under which financial statements for prior periods are adjusted on a basis consistent with the pro forma disclosures required for those periods under SFAS No. 123.

The Company has fully adopted the provisions of FASB ASC 718 and related interpretations as provided by SAB 107. As such, compensation cost is measured on the date of grant as the fair value of the share-based payments. Such compensation amounts, if any, are amortized over the respective vesting periods of the option grant.

Recently Issued Accounting Pronouncements:

The Company has adopted all recently issued accounting pronouncements that management believes to be applicable to the Company. The adoption of these accounting pronouncements, including those not yet effective, is not anticipated to have a material effect on the financial position or results of operations of the Company.

NOTE 4: STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY

The Company is authorized to issue a total of 85,000,000 shares of stock consisting of 75,000,000 shares of Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share, and 10,000,000 shares of Preferred Stock, par value \$0.001 per share.

Reverse Stock-Split

On September 28, 2010, the Board of Directors approved a 1-for-2.26332 reverse stock split for all issued and outstanding Common shares, with no change to the par value of the common stock.

Prior Issuances of Common Stock

On April 30, 2009 (inception), the Company issued 1,767,316 shares (or 4,000,000 shares prior to the reverse stock-split on September 28, 2010) to Ensisheim Partners LLC, a related party to the Company through common ownership, for cash in the amount of \$24,000, or \$0.014 per share (or \$0.006 per share prior to the reverse stock-split on September 28, 2010); 1,325,487 shares (or 3,000,000 shares prior to the reverse stock-split on September 28, 2010) to Manistee Ventures LLC, a related party to the Company through common ownership, for cash in the amount of \$18,000, or \$0.014 per share (or \$0.006 per share prior to the reverse stock-split on September 28, 2010); and 883,662 shares (or 2,000,000 shares prior to the reverse stock-split on September 28, 2010) to the Chairman, CEO and President of the Company at that time for cash in the amount of \$12,000, or \$0.014 per share (or \$0.006 per share prior to the reverse stock-split on September 28, 2010).

On July 28, 2009, the Company issued 39,765 shares (or 90,000 shares prior to the reverse stock-split on September 28, 2010) to a director of the Company for cash in the amount of \$540, or \$0.014 per share (or \$0.006 per share prior to the reverse stock-split on September 28, 2010).

On December 28, 2009, the Company issued 883,658 shares (or 2,000,000 shares prior to the reverse stock-split on September 28, 2010) to Ensisheim Partners LLC for cash in the amount of \$100,000, or \$0.11 per share (or \$0.05 per share prior to the reverse stock-split on September 28, 2010).

On January 21, 2010, the Company issued 886,007 shares (or 1,960,000 shares prior to the reverse stock-split on September 28, 2010) to forty-four (44) investors for cash in the amount of \$98,000, or .11 per share (or \$0.05 per share prior to the reverse stock-split on September 28, 2010).

On January 21, 2010, the Company issued 132,549 shares (or 300,000 shares prior to the reverse stock-split on September 28, 2010) to a servicer for effecting transactions intended to cause the Company to become a public company and to have its securities traded in the United States. The shares were issued at a value of \$15,000, or \$0.11 per share (or \$0.05 per share prior to the reverse stock-split on September 28, 2010), the same price as the issuance of the 886,007 shares (or 1,960,000 shares prior to the reverse stock-split on September 28, 2010) for cash on the same date.

On January 21, 2010, the Company issued an additional 53,020 shares (or 120,000 shares prior to the reverse stock-split on September 28, 2010) to a shareholder who acquired 13,255 shares (or 30,000 shares prior to the reverse stock-split on September 28, 2010) for cash on the same date as one of the forty-four (44) investors. Those shares were issued to the shareholder for services to be performed, including investor relations, media relations, and corporate communications. Those shares were issued at a value of \$6,000, or \$0.11 per share (or \$0.05 per share prior to the reverse stock-split on September 28, 2010), the same price as the issuance of the 886,007 shares (or 1,960,000 shares prior to the reverse stock-split on September 28, 2010) for cash on the same date.

On January 23, 2010, the Company issued 35,347 shares (or 80,000 shares prior to the reverse stock-split on September 28, 2010) to an investor for cash in the amount of \$4,000, or \$0.11 per share (or \$0.05 per share prior to the reverse stock-split on September 28, 2010).

On April 27, 2010, the Company issued 13,256 shares (or 30,000 shares prior to the reverse stock-split on September 28, 2010) at \$3.77 per share (or \$1.67 per share prior to the reverse stock-split on September 28, 2010) to a service provider for website development services pursuant to an original agreement between the Company and the web site developer executed on December 14, 2009, where it was agreed at that time \$50,000 or 30,000 shares of common stock would be issued to the developer in exchange for his services.

Letter of Intent for Proposed Initial Public Offering

On May 25, 2010, the Company executed a Letter of Intent with Dawson James Securities, Inc. relating to a proposed public initial public offering of the Company's securities (the "Letter Agreement"). Pursuant to the Letter Agreement, the Company paid a \$25,000 deposit upon signing for out-of-pocket expenses and will reimburse Dawson James for up to \$150,000 in expenses incurred in connection with the offering. If the offering is successful, Dawson James will receive compensation in an amount equal to 7% of the gross proceeds received by the Company in the offering, plus an expense allowance of 3% of the gross proceeds. Dawson James will also receive a warrant to purchase Units equal to 15% of the total Units sold in the offering, exercisable at 110% of the public offering price of the Units.

Stock Option and Incentive Plan

On September 28, 2010, the Board of Directors approved the adoption of the 2010 Stock Option and Incentive Plan, or the 2010 Plan, subject to stockholder approval, to provide for the grant of equity-based awards to employees, officers, non-employee directors and other key persons providing services to the Company. Awards of incentive options may be granted under the 2010 Plan until September 2020. No other awards may be granted under the 2010 Plan after the date that is 10 years from the date of stockholder approval. An aggregate of 1,000,000 shares (or 2,263,320 shares prior to the reverse stock-split on September 28, 2010) are reserved for issuance in connection with awards granted under the 2010 Plan, such number of shares to be subject to adjustment as provided in the plan and in any award agreements entered into by the Company under the plan, and upon the exercise or conversion of any awards granted under the plan. As of December 31, 2010, no award agreement or award had been entered into or granted by the Company under the plan.

NOTE 5: INCOME TAXES

The Company accounts for income taxes as outlined in ASC 740, "Income Taxes," which was previously Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No. 109, "Accounting for Income Taxes" ("SFAS 109"). Under the asset and liability method of SFAS 109, deferred income tax assets and liabilities are recognized for the estimated future tax consequences attributable to differences between the financial reporting and tax bases of assets and liabilities and are measured using enacted tax rates in effect for the year in which those temporary differences are expected to be recovered or settled. A valuation allowance is provided for the amount of deferred tax assets that, based on available evidence, are not expected to be realized.

The provision for income taxes differs from the amounts which would be provided by applying the statutory federal income tax rate of 34% to the net loss before provision for income taxes for the following reasons:

	m 1	3.6 .1	From April 30,		
			2009 (Inception) Through	Eugan Ar	:1 20 2000
		Period Ended December 31,		-	oril 30, 2009 on) Through
		010	December 31, 2009	December 31, 2010	
Income tax benefit at statutory rate (34%)	\$ ((328,382)	\$ (41,771)	\$	(370,154)
Valuation allowance		328,382	41,771		370,154
Delaware state tax		125			125
Income taxes	\$	125	\$ -	\$	125

The tax effect of temporary difference that gave rise to the Company's deferred tax asset as of December 31, 2010 and December 31, 2009 is as follows:

	December 31,		De	cember 31,
		2010		2009
NOL carryover	\$	328,382	\$	46,871
Valuation allowance		(328,382)		(46,871)
Net deferred tax asset	\$	-	\$	-

NOTE 6: CONCENTRATION OF CREDIT RISK

Financial instruments that potentially subject the Company to concentration of credit risk consist principally of cash deposits. Accounts at each institution are insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation ("FDIC") up to \$250,000. At December 31, 2010 and December 31, 2009, the Company had no amounts in excess of the FDIC insured limit.

NOTE 7: RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

Loans from Officer

The Company had borrowed \$5,000 as of December 31, 2009 from its Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer. This amount was borrowed on May 26, 2009 as a short-term, unsecured loan via an oral agreement and did not bear any interest. Commencing June 30, 2010, the loan was converted into a written Promissory Note bearing an annual interest rate of 10%, with a maturity date of December 31, 2010.

On June 30, 2010, the Company borrowed an additional \$100,000 from its Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer pursuant to a promissory note. The note bore interest at a rate of 10% per annum and carried a \$4,000 loan origination fee, which accreted to the loan balance over the life of the loan. The note is payable in full on or before December 31, 2010. The loan under the note was funded to the Company on July 12, 2010.

On November 3, 2010, the Company entered a line of credit providing up to \$500,000 with its Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer pursuant to a promissory note. The note bore interest at a rate of 10% per annum. The note is payable in full on or before December 31, 2011 for the amount borrowed. \$80,000 had been funded to the company as of December 31, 2010.

Exclusive License Agreement

On July 27, 2009, the Company entered into an exclusive license agreement with Ensisheim Partners LLC ("Ensisheim"), an entity solely owned by the Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of the Company and the Chief Scientific Officer of the Company, who is also the Company's Chairman and CEO's wife. Pursuant to that agreement, Ensisheim granted the Company an exclusive, worldwide, perpetual, irrevocable, royalty-bearing, license to the MASCT System, with the right to grant and authorize sublicenses. The license agreement provided that the Company would pay Ensisheim a royalty equal to 2% of net sales revenues, with a minimum royalty of \$12,500 per fiscal quarter during the term of the agreement, which would have increased to a minimum royalty of \$25,000 per fiscal quarter beginning in the quarter in which the first commercial sale of a licensed product would have taken place. As of December 31, 2009, a total of \$12,500 was payable to Ensisheim under the minimum royalty provisions. From inception through December 31, 2010, the Company had incurred \$16,250 in patent-related expenses under the license agreement with Ensisheim.

On June 17, 2010, the Company and Ensisheim entered into an Assignment Agreement, whereby Ensisheim assigned to the Company all rights to the patents and patent applications underlying the MASCT System. Pursuant to the assignment, the Company will have all responsibility for prosecution, maintenance, and enforcement and will indemnify Ensisheim from any and all claims against the patent estate. Ensisheim retained no residual rights with respect to the patents and patent applications. In conjunction with the assignment, the Company terminated the exclusive license agreement between the Company and Ensisheim dated July 27, 2009. As a result of the termination, the Company has no further obligations with respect to royalty payments to Ensisheim due under the old licensing agreement. As a result, the \$12,500 of patent royalty payable to Ensisheim recorded as accrued royalty payable at December 31, 2009 has been reversed through royalty expense during the second quarter of 2010.

Commercial Lease Agreement

On December 24, 2009, the Company entered into a commercial lease agreement with Ensisheim for office space located in Seattle, Washington. The lease provided for annual rent of \$13,200, plus applicable sales tax. From inception through December 31, 2009, the Company incurred \$248 of rent under the lease. As of December 31, 2009, the security deposit for the lease amounted to \$1,100. For the period of January 1, 2010 through June 30, 2010, the Company incurred \$6,600 of rent under the lease. On July 15, 2010 the Company and Ensisheim terminated the lease, effective July 1, 2010 and the Company commenced use of the facility rent-free.

On September 29, 2010, the Company entered into a commercial lease agreement with CompleGen, Inc. for laboratory space located in Seattle, Washington. The lease provides for monthly rent of \$3,657.05 and a security deposit of \$3,657.50. The lease terms are from September 29, 2010 through March 31, 2011, at which time the lease will convert to month to month unless two months' prior written notice of the intent to terminate the agreement is given.

Executive Compensation

On May 19, 2010, the Company entered into employment agreements with three executives, including its Chief Executive Officer, its former President, and its Chief Scientific Officer. The annual base salaries under each agreement were calculated based on combined consideration of the success of capital raise and the operating results of the Company, and capped at \$360,000, \$350,000, and \$250,000, respectively for the three executives.

On July 22, 2010, in connection with the resignation and departure of Robert L. Kelly, the President and a director, the Company entered into a consulting agreement with a limited liability company controlled by Mr. Kelly. Under the agreement, the Company was to receive consulting services relating to capital raising and investor relations. The agreement was terminated by the Company in September 2010, through which time a total of \$30,000 consulting expense had been paid.

On July 22, 2010, the Company restated and amended the employment agreements with its CEO and CSO. The agreements modified the base annual salary amounts to \$250,000 and \$200,000, respectively, effective retroactively to May 19, 2010. These salaries were accrued and amounted to \$278,571 as of December 31, 2010.

Share-Based Compensation

The amended employment agreement with the CEO granted options to purchase 250,000 shares (or 565,830 shares prior to the reverse stock-split on September 28, 2010) at a price of \$5.00 per share (or \$2.64 per share prior to the reverse stock-split on September 28, 2010), in consideration of his service to the Company. Of these options, 25% (or 62,500 shares) will vest on December 31, 2010 with the remaining 75% (or 187,500 shares) will vest in equal quarterly installments over the next three years so long as the executive remains employed with the Company.

The amended employment agreement with the CSO granted options to purchase 100,000 shares (or 226,332 shares prior to the reverse stock-split on September 28, 2010) at a price of \$5.00 per share (or \$2.64 per share prior to the reverse stock-split on September 28, 2010) in consideration of her service to the Company. Of these options, 25% (or 25,000 shares) will vest on December 31, 2010 with the remaining 75% (or 75,000 shares) will vest in equal quarterly installments over the next three years so long as the executive remains employed with the Company.

In accordance with the guidance provided in ASC Topic 718, Stock Compensation (formerly SFAS 123(R)), the compensation costs associated with these options are recognized, based on the grant-date fair values of these options, over the requisite service period, or vesting period. Accordingly, the Company recognized a compensation expense of \$26,090 for the twelve-month period ended December 31, 2010.

The Company estimated the fair value of these options using the Black-Scholes-Merton option pricing model based on the following weighted-average assumptions:

Date of grant	July :	22, 2010
Fair value of common stock on date of grant	\$	2.756
Exercise price of the options	\$	5.00
Expected life of the options (years)		3.33
Dividend yield		-
Expected volatility		58.59%
Risk-free interest rate		1.03%
Weighted-average fair value of the options (per unit)	\$	0.6744

Management determined that it is not possible to reasonably estimate the grant-date fair value of the options because the Company's stock had not been publicly traded as of the date of grant. Accordingly, as required by ASC 718-10-30, the Company has accounted for the options using the calculated value method. The Company identified seven public entities in the similar industry for which share price information was available, and considered the historical volatilities of those public entities' share prices in calculating the expected volatility appropriate to the Company.

The risk-free rate of return reflects the interest rate for United States Treasury Note with similar time-to-maturity to that of the options.

Options issued and outstanding as of December 31, 2010 and their activities during the period are as follows:

	Number of Underlying Shares	Exe	Veighted- Average ercise Price Per Share	Weighted- Average Contractual Life Remaining in Years
Outstanding as of January 1, 2010	-		-	
Granted	350,000	\$	5.00	
Expired	-		-	
Forfeited	-		-	
Outstanding as of December 31, 2010	350,000	\$	5.00	3.00
Exercisable as of December 31, 2010	-		-	-

NOTE 8: SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

On April 4, 2011, 40,000 non-qualified stock options were granted under the 2010 stock Option and Incentive Plan to Dr. Tim Hunkapiller for being a member of the Company's Scientific Advisory Board and consulting services to be provided to the Company, at an exercise price of \$1.25 per share. These options have a ten-year

contractual term and shall vest as follows:

- (i) 11,250 option shares vest ninety (90) days after the date of grant;
- (ii) 11,000 option shares vest one hundred and eighty (180) days after the date of grant;
- (iii) 11,500 option shares vest two hundred and seventy (270) days after the date of grant; and
- (iv) 11,250 option shares vest three hundred and sixty (360) days after the date of grant.

Management has been in the process of completing the fair value measurement of the above options granted.

On April 29, 2011, the Company received the net proceeds of a private placement memorandum in the amount of \$1,750,050 related to the issuance of 1,612,000 shares of the Company's common stock at a price of \$1.25 per share. Gross proceeds of the offering were \$2,015,000, with \$264,950 paid to Dawson James Securities, Inc., the placement agent, in fees related to the offering and related expenses.



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Until 2012 (25 days after the commencement of this offering), all dealers that effect transactions in these securities, whether or not participating in this offering, may be required to deliver a prospectus. This is in addition to the dealers' obligation to deliver a prospectus when acting as underwriters and with respect to their unsold allotments or subscriptions.

PART II

Item 13. Other Expenses of Issuance and Distribution

The expenses (other than underwriting discounts and commissions) payable by us in connection with this offering are as follows:

	Amount
SEC registration fee	\$ 923
Financial Industry Regulatory Authority, Inc. fee	\$ 1,305
NASDAQ listing fee	\$ 50,000
Accountants' fees and expenses	*
Legal fees and expenses	\$ 250,000
Transfer Agent's fees and expenses	\$ 25,000
Printing and engraving expenses	*
Miscellaneous	*
Total Expenses	\$ *

* to be completed by amendment

All expenses are estimated except for the SEC registration fee, the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority, Inc. fee and the NASDAQ listing fee.

Item 14. Indemnification of Directors and Officers

Section 145 of the Delaware General Corporation Law, or the DGCL, authorizes a corporation to indemnify its directors and officers against liabilities arising out of actions, suits and proceedings to which they are made or threatened to be made a party by reason of the fact that they have served or are currently serving as a director or officer to a corporation. The indemnity may cover expenses (including attorneys' fees) judgments, fines and amounts paid in settlement actually and reasonably incurred by the director or officer in connection with any such action, suit or proceeding. Section 145 permits corporations to pay expenses (including attorneys' fees) incurred by directors and officers in advance of the final disposition of such action, suit or proceeding. In addition, Section 145 provides that a corporation has the power to purchase and maintain insurance on behalf of its directors and officers against any liability asserted against them and incurred by them in their capacity as a director or officer, or arising out of their status as such, whether or not the corporation would have the power to indemnify the director or officer against such liability under Section 145.

We have adopted provisions in our certificate of incorporation and bylaws to be in effect at the completion of this offering that limit or eliminate the personal liability of our directors to the fullest extent permitted by the DGCL, as it now exists or may in the future be amended. Consequently, a director will not be personally liable to us or our stockholders for monetary damages or breach of fiduciary duty as a director, except for liability for:

- · any breach of the director's duty of loyalty to us or our stockholders;
- · any act or omission not in good faith or that involves intentional misconduct or a knowing violation of law;
- · any unlawful payments related to dividends or unlawful stock purchases, redemptions or other distributions; or
- · any transaction from which the director derived an improper personal benefit.

These limitations of liability do not alter director liability under the federal securities laws and do not affect the availability of equitable remedies such as an injunction or rescission.

In addition, our bylaws to be in effect at the completion of this offering will provide that:

- · we will indemnify our directors, officers and, in the discretion of our Board of Directors, certain employees to the fullest extent permitted by the DGCL, as it now exists or may in the future be amended; and
- · we will advance reasonable expenses, including attorneys' fees, to our directors and, in the discretion of our Board of Directors, to our officers and certain employees, in connection with legal proceedings relating to their service for or on behalf of us, subject to limited exceptions.

We have entered into indemnification agreements with each of our directors and certain of our executive officers. These agreements provide that we will indemnify each of these directors and executive officers to the fullest extent permitted by Delaware law. We will advance expenses, including attorneys' fees, judgments, fines and settlement amounts, to each indemnified director, executive officer or affiliate in connection with any proceeding in which indemnification is available and we will indemnify our directors and officers for any action or proceeding arising out of that person's services as an officer or director brought on behalf of the Company or in furtherance of our rights.

We maintain general liability insurance that covers certain liabilities of our directors and officers arising out of claims based on acts or omissions in their capacities as directors or officers, including liabilities under the Securities Act.

The underwriting agreement filed as Exhibit 1.1 to this registration statement provides for indemnification of us and our directors and officers by the underwriters against certain liabilities under the Securities Act and the Exchange Act.

Item 15. Recent Sales of Unregistered Securities

The Company has sold the following securities within the past three years which were not registered under the Securities Act of 1933:

Pursuant to an exemption from registration under Section 4(2) of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, as a transaction by an issuer not involving any public offering as founder shares in connection with the formation of the Company, the Company issued 4,899,888 shares of its common stock as follows:

	Shares	Date	Con	sideration
Steven Quay	883,662	April 30, 2009	\$	12,000
Ensisheim Partners LLC	1,767,316	April 30, 2009		(1)
Ensisheim Partners LLC	883,658	December 28, 2009	\$	100,000
Manistee Ventures, Inc.	1,325,487	April 30, 2009	\$	18,000
John Barnhart	39,765	July 28, 2009	\$	540

(1) The 1,767,316 shares of common stock issued to Ensisheim Partners LLC at the Company's inception were issued in consideration for \$24,000 in cash and this entity's contribution to the Company of intellectual property rights and FDA marketing authorization for the MASCT System.

In January 2010, pursuant to an exemption from registration under Rule 504 pursuant to the Securities Act of 1933 (the "Securities Act"), the Company issued an aggregate of 901,354 shares of its common stock to 45 investors for aggregate cash proceeds of \$102,000. Of these 45 investors, 13 are accredited investors and 4 are citizens and residents of Taiwan, Republic of China.

In January 2010, the Company issued 185,569 shares in consideration for services performed by two consultants, with an aggregate value of \$21,000. This offering was exempt from registration under Rule 504 under the Securities Act.

On April 23, 2010, the Company issued 13,256 shares of common stock for services performed by a consultant with an aggregate value of \$50,000. This offering was exempt from registration under Section 4(2) of the Securities Act, as a transaction by an issuer not involving any public offering.

Between April 2011 and July 2011, the Company issued a total of 5,256,800 shares of the Company's common stock and warrants to purchase up to an additional 5,256,800 shares of common stock at a price of \$1.60 per share, for aggregate gross proceeds of \$6,571,000 (the "Private Placement"). All purchasers in the Private Placement were accredited investors, as defined under Regulation D under the Securities Act, and this offering was exempt from registration under Rule 506 under the Securities Act. In connection with the completion of the Private Placement, the Company issued common stock warrants to Dawson James Securities ("Dawson James"), the placement agent for the Private Placement, representing the right to purchase up to 788,520 shares of common stock at a price of \$1.25 per share, plus the right to purchase up to 788,520 additional shares of common stock at a price of \$1.60 per share. The issuance of the warrants to Dawson James was exempt from registration under Section 4(2) of the Securities Act, as a transaction by an issuer not involving a public offering.

Item 16. Exhibits and Financial Statement Schedules.

Form of Underwriting Agreement

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EXHIBITS

3.1	Certificate of Incorporation, as currently in effect
3.2*	Certificate of Incorporation (to be effective immediately prior to completion of this offering)
3.3	By-laws, as currently in effect
3.4*	By-laws (to be effective immediately prior to completion of this offering)
4.1*	Specimen common stock certificate
5.1*	Opinion of Ropes & Gray LLP
10.1	Exclusive Patent License Agreement with Ensisheim Partners, LLC, dated July 27, 2009
10.2	Termination of Exclusive Patent License Agreement, dated June 17, 2010
10.3#	Restated and Amended Employment Agreement with Steven Quay
10.4#	Restated and Amended Employment Agreement with Shu-Chih Chen
10.5*	Form of Indemnification Agreement
10.6#	2010 Stock Option and Incentive Plan
10.7*#	Form of Incentive Stock Option Agreement
10.8*#	Form of Non-Qualified Stock Option Agreement for Employees
10.9*#	Form of Non-Qualified Stock Option Agreement for Non-Employee Directors
10.10	Form of Subscription Agreement
10.11	Sublease Agreement with CompleGen, Inc. dated September 29, 2010
10.12*	Patent Assignment Agreement by and between the Company and Ensisheim Partners, LLC
10.13*#	Form of Restricted Stock Award Agreement
10.14*	Form of Lock-Up Agreement
10.15	Agreement with Christopher Benjamin
10.16	Business Consultant Agreement with Edward Sauter
10.17	Prototype Development Proposal and Terms and Conditions, between the Company and HLB, LLC.
23.1	Consent of KCCW Accountancy Corp.
23.2*	Consent of Ropes & Gray LLP (filed as part of Exhibit 5.1)
24.1	Power of Attorney (contained on signature page)

^{*} To be filed by amendment.

[#] Indicates management contract or compensatory plan, contract or agreement.

Item 17. Undertakings

The undersigned Registrant hereby undertakes to provide to the underwriters at the closing specified in the underwriting agreement certificates in such denominations and registered in such names as required by the underwriters to permit prompt delivery to each purchaser. The undersigned registrant hereby undertakes:

- 1. For purposes of determining any liability under the Securities Act of 1933, the information omitted from the form of prospectus filed as part of this registration statement in reliance upon Rule 430A and contained in a form of prospectus filed by the registrant pursuant to Rule 424(b) (1) or (4) or 497(h) under the Securities Act shall be deemed to be part of this registration statement as of the time it was declared effective.
- 2. For the purpose of determining any liability under the Securities Act of 1933, each post-effective amendment that contains a form of prospectus shall be deemed to be a new registration statement relating to the securities offered therein, and the offering of such securities at that time shall be deemed to be the initial bona fide offering thereof.

Insofar as indemnification for liabilities arising under the Securities Act of 1933 may be permitted to directors, officers and controlling persons of the registrant pursuant to the foregoing provisions, or otherwise, the registrant has been advised that in the opinion of the Securities and Exchange Commission such indemnification is against public policy as expressed in the Act and is, therefore, unenforceable. In the event that a claim for indemnification against such liabilities (other than the payment by the registrant of expenses incurred or paid by a director, officer or controlling person of the registrant in the successful defense of any action, suit or proceeding) is asserted by such director, officer or controlling person in connection with the securities being registered, the registrant will, unless in the opinion of its counsel the matter has been settled by controlling precedent, submit to a court of appropriate jurisdiction the question whether such indemnification by it is against public policy as expressed in the Act and will be governed by the final adjudication of such issue.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, the registrant has duly caused this Registration Statement on Form S-1 to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized in the City of Seattle, State of Washington, on February 13, 2012.

ATOSSA GENETICS INC.

By: /s/ Steven C. Quay

Name: Steven C. Quay, M.D., Ph.D.
Title: President and Chief Executive Officer

SIGNATURES AND POWER OF ATTORNEY

We, the undersigned officers and directors of Atossa Genetics Inc., hereby severally constitute and appoint Steven C. Quay, M.D., Ph.D. our true and lawful attorney-in-fact and agent, with full power of substitution and resubstitution for him and in his name, place and stead, and in any and all capacities, to sign for us and in our names in the capacities indicated below any and all amendments (including post-effective amendments) to this registration statement (or any other registration statement for the same offering that is to be effective upon filing pursuant to Rule 462(b) under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended), and to file the same, with all exhibits thereto and other documents in connection therewith, with the Securities and Exchange Commission, granting unto said attorney-infact and agent full power and authority to do and perform each and every act and thing requisite or necessary to be done in and about the premises, as full to all intents and purposes as he might or could do in person, hereby ratifying and confirming all that said attorney-in-fact and agent or his substitute or substitutes, may lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue hereof.

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, this Registration Statement on Form S-1 has been signed by the following persons in the capacities and on the dates indicated.

Signature	Capacity	Date
/s/ Steven C. Quay Steven C. Quay, M.D., Ph.D.	President, Chief Executive Officer and Chairman of the Board of Directors (Principal Executive Officer)	February 13, 2012
/s/ Christopher Benjamin Christopher Benjamin	Chief Financial Officer (Principal Financial Officer and Principal Accounting Officer)	February 13, 2012
/s/ John Barnhart	Director	February 13, 2012
John Barnhart		
	Director	
Alexander Cross, Ph.D.		
/s/ Shu-Chih Chen	Director	February 13, 2012
Shu-Chih Chen, Ph.D.		
/s/ Stephen J. Galli	Director	February 13, 2012
Stephen J. Galli, M.D.		
/s/ H. Lawrence Remmel	Director	February 13, 2012
H. Lawrence Remmel		

AMENDED AND RESTATED

CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION OF

ATOSSA GENETICS INC.

Atossa Genetics Inc., a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware (the "Company"), certifies that:

- A. The name of the Company is Atossa Genetics Inc. The Company's original Certificate of Incorporation was filed with the Secretary of State of the State of Delaware on April 30, 2009.
- B. This Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation was duly adopted in accordance with Sections 242 and 245 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware, and has been duly approved by the written consent of the stockholders of the Company in accordance with Section 228 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware.
 - C. The text of the Certificate of Incorporation is amended and restated to read as set forth in EXHIBIT A attached hereto.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Company has caused this Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation to be signed by Steven C. Quay, a duly authorized officer of the Company, on September 28, 2010.

/s/ Steven C. Quay
Steven C. Quay
Chief Executive Officer

EXHIBIT A

AMENDED AND RESTATED CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION OF

ATOSSA GENETICS INC.

ARTICLE I

The name of the corporation is Atossa Genetics Inc. (the "Company").

ARTICLE II

The address of the Company's registered office in the State of Delaware is 2711 Centerville Road, Suite 400, in the City of Wilmington, County of New Castle. The name of the registered agent at such address is Corporation Service Company.

ARTICLE III

The purpose of the Company is to engage in any lawful act or activity for which corporations may be organized under the Delaware General Corporation Law, as the same exists or as may hereafter be amended from time to time.

ARTICLE IV

- A. Upon the filing and effectiveness of this Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation of the Company pursuant to the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware (the "Effective Time"), one share of Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share (the "New Common Stock"), will be issued in exchange for each 2.26332 shares of Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share, of the Company (the "Old Common Stock"), outstanding and held by each record holder of Old Common Stock immediately prior to the Effective Time. Any fractional share that would otherwise be issued as a result of the exchange will be rounded up to the nearest whole share of Common Stock. Each stock certificate that, immediately prior to the Effective Time, represented shares of the Old Common Stock will, from and after the Effective time, automatically and without the necessity of presenting the same for exchange, represent the number of shares of the New Common Stock as equals the number obtained by dividing the number of shares of Old Common Stock represented by such certificate immediately prior to the Effective Time by 2.26332, with any remaining fractional share interest rounded up to the nearest whole share of New Common Stock. The New Common Stock issued in this exchange shall have the same rights, preferences and privileges as the Common Stock (as defined below).
- B. This Company is authorized to issue a total of 85,000,000 shares of stock, consisting of 75,000,000 shares of Common Stock, par value of \$0.001 per share (the "Common Stock"), and 10,000,000 shares of preferred stock, par value of \$0.001 (the "Preferred Stock").

ARTICLE V

In furtherance and not in limitation of the powers conferred by statute, the board of directors of the Company is expressly authorized to make, alter, amend or repeal the bylaws of the Company.

ARTICLE VI

Elections of directors need not be by written ballot unless otherwise provided in the bylaws of the Company.

ARTICLE VII

To the fullest extent permitted by the Delaware General Corporation Law, as the same exists or as may hereafter be amended from time to time, a director of the Company shall not be personally liable to the Company or its stockholders for monetary damages for breach of fiduciary duty as a director. If the Delaware General Corporation Law is amended to authorize corporate action further eliminating or limiting the personal liability of directors, then the liability of a director of the Company shall be eliminated or limited to the fullest extent permitted by the Delaware General Corporation Law, as so amended.

The Company shall indemnify, to the fullest extent permitted by applicable law, any director or officer of the Company who was or is a party or is threatened to be made a party to any threatened, pending or completed action, suit or proceeding, whether civil, criminal, administrative or investigative (a "Proceeding") by reason of the fact that he or she is or was a director, officer, employee or agent of the Company or is or was serving at the request of the Company as a director, officer, employee or agent of another corporation, partnership, joint venture, trust or other enterprise, including service with respect to employee benefit plans, against expenses (including attorneys' fees), judgments, fines and amounts paid in settlement actually and reasonably incurred by such person in connection with any such Proceeding. The Company shall be required to indemnify a person in connection with a Proceeding initiated by such person only if the Proceeding was authorized by the Board.

The Company shall have the power to indemnify, to the extent permitted by the Delaware General Corporation Law, as it presently exists or may hereafter be amended from time to time, any employee or agent of the Company who was or is a party or is threatened to be made a party to any Proceeding by reason of the fact that he or she is or was a director, officer, employee or agent of the Company or is or was serving at the request of the Company as a director, officer, employee or agent of another corporation, partnership, joint venture, trust or other enterprise, including service with respect to employee benefit plans, against expenses (including attorneys' fees), judgments, fines and amounts paid in settlement actually and reasonably incurred by such person in connection with any such Proceeding.

Neither any amendment nor repeal of this Article, nor the adoption of any provision of this Certificate of Incorporation inconsistent with this Article, shall eliminate or reduce the effect of this Article in respect of any matter occurring, or any cause of action, suit or claim accruing or arising or that, but for this Article, would accrue or arise, prior to such amendment, repeal or adoption of an inconsistent provision.

ARTICLE VIII

Except as provided in ARTICLE VII above, the Company reserves the right to amend, alter, change or repeal any provision contained in this Certificate of Incorporation, in the manner now or hereafter prescribed by statute, and all rights conferred upon stockholders herein are granted subject to this reservation.

AMENDED AND RESTATED BYLAWS OF

ATOSSA GENETICS INC.

Adopted June 10, 2009

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BYLAWS

ARTICLE I — MEETINGS OF STOCKHOLDERS

- 1.1 Place of Meetings. Meetings of stockholders of Atossa Genetics Inc. (the "Company") shall be held at any place, within or outside the State of Delaware, determined by the Company's board of directors (the "Board"). The Board may, in its sole discretion, determine that a meeting of stockholders shall not be held at any place, but may instead be held solely by means of remote communication as authorized by Section 211(a)(2) of the Delaware General Corporation Law (the "DGCL"). In the absence of any such designation or determination, stockholders' meetings shall be held at the Company's principal executive office.
- **1.2 Annual Meeting.** An annual meeting of stockholders shall be held for the election of directors at such date and time as may be designated by resolution of the Board from time to time. Any other proper business may be transacted at the annual meeting. The Company shall not be required to hold an annual meeting of stockholders, *provided* that (i) the stockholders are permitted to act by written consent under the Company's certificate of incorporation and these bylaws, (ii) the stockholders take action by written consent to elect directors and (iii) the stockholders unanimously consent to such action or, if such consent is less than unanimous, all of the directorships to which directors could be elected at an annual meeting held at the effective time of such action are vacant and are filled by such action.
- **1.3 Special Meeting.** A special meeting of the stockholders may be called at any time by the Board, Chairperson of the Board, Chief Executive Officer or President (in the absence of a Chief Executive Officer) or by one or more stockholders holding shares in the aggregate entitled to cast not less than 10% of the votes at that meeting.

If any person(s) other than the Board calls a special meeting, the request shall:

- (i) be in writing;
- (ii) specify the time of such meeting and the general nature of the business proposed to be transacted; and
- (iii) be delivered personally or sent by registered mail or by facsimile transmission to the Chairperson of the Board, the Chief Executive Officer, the President (in the absence of a Chief Executive Officer) or the Secretary of the Company.

The officer(s) receiving the request shall cause notice to be promptly given to the stockholders entitled to vote at such meeting, in accordance with these bylaws, that a meeting will be held at the time requested by the person or persons calling the meeting. No business may be transacted at such special meeting other than the business specified in such notice to stockholders. Nothing contained in this paragraph of this **section 1.3** shall be construed as limiting, fixing, or affecting the time when a meeting of stockholders called by action of the Board may be held.

1.4 *Notice of Stockholders' Meetings*. Whenever stockholders are required or permitted to take any action at a meeting, a written notice of the meeting shall be given which shall state the place, if any, date and hour of the meeting, the means of remote communication, if any, by which stockholders and proxy holders may be deemed to be present in person and vote at such meeting, and, in the case of a special meeting, the purpose or purposes for which the meeting is called. Except as otherwise provided in the DGCL, the certificate of incorporation or these bylaws, the written notice of any meeting of stockholders shall be given not less than 10 nor more than 60 days before the date of the meeting to each stockholder entitled to vote at such meeting.

- **1.5 Quorum.** Except as otherwise provided by law, the certificate of incorporation or these bylaws, at each meeting of stockholders the presence in person or by proxy of the holders of shares of stock having a majority of the votes which could be cast by the holders of all outstanding shares of stock entitled to vote at the meeting shall be necessary and sufficient to constitute a quorum. Where a separate vote by a class or series or classes or series is required, a majority of the outstanding shares of such class or series or classes or series, present in person or represented by proxy, shall constitute a quorum entitled to take action with respect to that vote on that matter, except as otherwise provided by law, the certificate of incorporation or these bylaws.
- If, however, such quorum is not present or represented at any meeting of the stockholders, then either (i) the chairperson of the meeting, or (ii) the stockholders entitled to vote at the meeting, present in person or represented by proxy, shall have the power to adjourn the meeting from time to time, in the manner provided in **section 1.6**, until a quorum is present or represented.
- **Adjourned Meeting; Notice.** Any meeting of stockholders, annual or special, may adjourn from time to time to reconvene at the same or some other place, and notice need not be given of the adjourned meeting if the time, place, if any, thereof, and the means of remote communications, if any, by which stockholders and proxy holders may be deemed to be present in person and vote at such adjourned meeting are announced at the meeting at which the adjournment is taken. At the adjourned meeting, the Company may transact any business which might have been transacted at the original meeting. If the adjournment is for more than 30 days, or if after the adjournment a new record date is fixed for the adjourned meeting, a notice of the adjourned meeting shall be given to each stockholder of record entitled to vote at the meeting.
- **1.7 Conduct of Business.** Meetings of stockholders shall be presided over by the Chairperson of the Board, if any, or in his or her absence by the Vice Chairperson of the Board, if any, or in the absence of the foregoing persons by the President, or in the absence of the foregoing persons by a Vice President, or in the absence of the foregoing persons by a Chairperson designated by the Board, or in the absence of such designation by a chairperson chosen at the meeting. The Secretary shall act as secretary of the meeting, but in his or her absence the chairperson of the meeting may appoint any person to act as secretary of the meeting. The chairperson of any meeting of stockholders shall determine the order of business and the procedure at the meeting, including such regulation of the manner of voting and the conduct of business.
- **1.8 Voting.** The stockholders entitled to vote at any meeting of stockholders shall be determined in accordance with the provisions of **section 1.10** of these bylaws, subject to Section 217 (relating to voting rights of fiduciaries, pledgors and joint owners of stock) and Section 218 (relating to voting trusts and other voting agreements) of the DGCL.

Except as may be otherwise provided in the certificate of incorporation, each stockholder entitled to vote at any meeting of stockholders shall be entitled to one vote for each share of capital stock held by such stockholder which has voting power upon the matter in question. Voting at meetings of stockholders need not be by written ballot and, unless otherwise required by law, need not be conducted by inspectors of election unless so determined by the holders of shares of stock having a majority of the votes which could be cast by the holders of all outstanding shares of stock entitled to vote thereon which are present in person or by proxy at such meeting. If authorized by the Board, such requirement of a written ballot shall be satisfied by a ballot submitted by electronic transmission (as defined in **section 7.2** of these bylaws), *provided* that any such electronic transmission must either set forth or be submitted with information from which it can be determined that the electronic transmission was authorized by the stockholder or proxy holder.

Except as otherwise required by law, the certificate of incorporation or these bylaws, in all matters other than the election of directors, the affirmative vote of a majority of the voting power of the shares present in person or represented by proxy at the meeting and entitled to vote on the subject matter shall be the act of the stockholders. Except as otherwise required by law, the certificate of incorporation or these bylaws, directors shall be elected by a plurality of the voting power of the shares present in person or represented by proxy at the meeting and entitled to vote on the election of directors. Where a separate vote by a class or series or classes or series is required, in all matters other than the election of directors, the affirmative vote of the majority of shares of such class or series or classes or series present in person or represented by proxy at the meeting shall be the act of such class or series or classes or series, except as otherwise provided by law, the certificate of incorporation or these bylaws.

1.9 Stockholder Action by Written Consent Without a Meeting. Unless otherwise provided in the certificate of incorporation, any action required by the DGCL to be taken at any annual or special meeting of stockholders of a corporation, or any action which may be taken at any annual or special meeting of such stockholders, may be taken without a meeting, without prior notice, and without a vote, if a consent or consents in writing, setting forth the action so taken, shall be signed by the holders of outstanding stock having not less than the minimum number of votes that would be necessary to authorize or take such action at a meeting at which all shares entitled to vote thereon were present and voted.

An electronic transmission (as defined in **section 7.2**) consenting to an action to be taken and transmitted by a stockholder or proxy holder, or by a person or persons authorized to act for a stockholder or proxy holder, shall be deemed to be written, signed and dated for purposes of this section, *provided* that any such electronic transmission sets forth or is delivered with information from which the Company can determine (i) that the electronic transmission was transmitted by the stockholder or proxy holder or by a person or persons authorized to act for the stockholder or proxy holder and (ii) the date on which such stockholder or proxy holder or authorized person or persons transmitted such electronic transmission.

In the event that the Board shall have instructed the officers of the Company to solicit the vote or written consent of the stockholders of the Company, an electronic transmission of a stockholder written consent given pursuant to such solicitation may be delivered to the Secretary or the President of the Company or to a person designated by the Secretary or the President. The Secretary or the President of the Company or a designee of the Secretary or the President shall cause any such written consent by electronic transmission to be reproduced in paper form and inserted into the corporate records.

Prompt notice of the taking of the corporate action without a meeting by less than unanimous written consent shall be given to those stockholders who have not consented in writing and who, if the action had been taken at a meeting, would have been entitled to notice of the meeting if the record date for such meeting had been the date that written consents signed by a sufficient number of holders to take the action were delivered to the Company as provided in Section 228 of the DGCL. In the event that the action which is consented to is such as would have required the filing of a certificate under any provision of the DGCL, if such action had been voted on by stockholders at a meeting thereof, the certificate filed under such provision shall state, in lieu of any statement required by such provision concerning any vote of stockholders, that written consent has been given in accordance with Section 228 of the DGCL.

- **1.10 Record Date for Stockholder Notice; Voting; Giving Consents.** In order that the Company may determine the stockholders entitled to notice of or to vote at any meeting of stockholders or any adjournment thereof, or entitled to express consent to corporate action in writing without a meeting, or entitled to receive payment of any dividend or other distribution or allotment of any rights, or entitled to exercise any rights in respect of any change, conversion or exchange of stock or for the purpose of any other lawful action, the Board may fix a record date, which record date shall not precede the date upon which the resolution fixing the record date is adopted by the Board and which record date:
- (i) in the case of determination of stockholders entitled to notice of or to vote at any meeting of stockholders or adjournment thereof, shall, unless otherwise required by law, not be more than sixty nor less than ten days before the date of such meeting;
- (ii) in the case of determination of stockholders entitled to express consent to corporate action in writing without a meeting, shall not be more than ten days after the date upon which the resolution fixing the record date is adopted by the Board; and
 - (iii) in the case of determination of stockholders for any other action, shall not be more than 60 days prior to such other action.

If no record date is fixed by the Board:

- (i) the record date for determining stockholders entitled to notice of or to vote at a meeting of stockholders shall be at the close of business on the day next preceding the day on which notice is given, or, if notice is waived, at the close of business on the day next preceding the day on which the meeting is held;
- (ii) the record date for determining stockholders entitled to express consent to corporate action in writing without a meeting when no prior action of the Board is required by law, shall be the first date on which a signed written consent setting forth the action taken or proposed to be taken is delivered to the Company in accordance with applicable law, or, if prior action by the Board is required by law, shall be at the close of business on the day on which the Board adopts the resolution taking such prior action; and
- (iii) the record date for determining stockholders for any other purpose shall be at the close of business on the day on which the Board adopts the resolution relating thereto.

A determination of stockholders of record entitled to notice of or to vote at a meeting of stockholders shall apply to any adjournment of the meeting, *provided* that the Board may fix a new record date for the adjourned meeting.

- 1.11 *Proxies.* Each stockholder entitled to vote at a meeting of stockholders or to express consent or dissent to corporate action in writing without a meeting may authorize another person or persons to act for such stockholder by proxy authorized by an instrument in writing or by a transmission permitted by law filed in accordance with the procedure established for the meeting, but no such proxy shall be voted or acted upon after three years from its date, unless the proxy provides for a longer period. The revocability of a proxy that states on its face that it is irrevocable shall be governed by the provisions of Section 212 of the DGCL.
- List of Stockholders Entitled to Vote. The officer who has charge of the stock ledger of the Company shall prepare and make, at least ten days before every meeting of stockholders, a complete list of the stockholders entitled to vote at the meeting, arranged in alphabetical order, and showing the address of each stockholder and the number of shares registered in the name of each stockholder. The Company shall not be required to include electronic mail addresses or other electronic contact information on such list. Such list shall be open to the examination of any stockholder, for any purpose germane to the meeting for a period of at least ten days prior to the meeting; (i) on a reasonably accessible electronic network, provided that the information required to gain access to such list is provided with the notice of the meeting, or (ii) during ordinary business hours, at the Company's principal place of business. In the event that the Company determines to make the list available on an electronic network, the Company may take reasonable steps to ensure that such information is available only to stockholders of the Company. If the meeting is to be held at a place, then the list shall be produced and kept at the time and place of the meeting during the whole time thereof, and may be examined by any stockholder who is present. If the meeting is to be held solely by means of remote communication, then the list shall also be open to the examination of any stockholder during the whole time of the meeting on a reasonably accessible electronic network, and the information required to access such list shall be provided with the notice of the meeting.

ARTICLE II — DIRECTORS

- **2.1 Powers.** The business and affairs of the Company shall be managed by or under the direction of the Board, except as may be otherwise provided in the DGCL or the certificate of incorporation.
- **2.2 Number of Directors.** The Board shall consist of one or more members, each of whom shall be a natural person. Unless the certificate of incorporation fixes the number of directors, the number of directors shall be determined from time to time by resolution of the Board. No reduction of the authorized number of directors shall have the effect of removing any director before that director's term of office expires.
- **2.3** Election, Qualification and Term of Office of Directors. Except as provided in section **2.4** of these bylaws, and subject to sections **1.2** and **1.9** of these bylaws, directors shall be elected at each annual meeting of stockholders. Directors need not be stockholders unless so required by the certificate of incorporation or these bylaws. The certificate of incorporation or these bylaws may prescribe other qualifications for directors. Each director shall hold office until such director's successor is elected and qualified or until such director's earlier death, resignation or removal.
- **Resignation and Vacancies.** Any director may resign at any time upon notice given in writing or by electronic transmission to the Company. A resignation is effective when the resignation is delivered unless the resignation specifies a later effective date or an effective date determined upon the happening of an event or events. A resignation which is conditioned upon the director failing to receive a specified vote for reelection as a director may provide that it is irrevocable. Unless otherwise provided in the certificate of incorporation or these bylaws, when one or more directors resign from the Board, effective at a future date, a majority of the directors then in office, including those who have so resigned, shall have power to fill such vacancy or vacancies, the vote thereon to take effect when such resignation or resignations shall become effective.

Unless otherwise provided in the certificate of incorporation or these bylaws:

(i) Vacancies and newly created directorships resulting from any increase in the authorized number of directors elected by all of the stockholders having the right to vote as a single class may be filled by a majority of the directors then in office, although less than a quorum, or by a sole remaining director.

(ii) Whenever the holders of any class or classes of stock or series thereof are entitled to elect one or more directors by the provisions of the certificate of incorporation, vacancies and newly created directorships of such class or classes or series may be filled by a majority of the directors elected by such class or classes or series thereof then in office, or by a sole remaining director so elected.

If at any time, by reason of death or resignation or other cause, the Company should have no directors in office, then any officer or any stockholder or an executor, administrator, trustee or guardian of a stockholder, or other fiduciary entrusted with like responsibility for the person or estate of a stockholder, may call a special meeting of stockholders in accordance with the provisions of the certificate of incorporation or these bylaws, or may apply to the Court of Chancery for a decree summarily ordering an election as provided in Section 211 of the DGCL.

If, at the time of filling any vacancy or any newly created directorship, the directors then in office constitute less than a majority of the whole Board (as constituted immediately prior to any such increase), the Court of Chancery may, upon application of any stockholder or stockholders holding at least 10% of the voting stock at the time outstanding having the right to vote for such directors, summarily order an election to be held to fill any such vacancies or newly created directorships, or to replace the directors chosen by the directors then in office as aforesaid, which election shall be governed by the provisions of Section 211 of the DGCL as far as applicable.

A director elected to fill a vacancy shall be elected for the unexpired term of his or her predecessor in office and until such director's successor is elected and qualified, or until such director's earlier death, resignation or removal.

2.5 *Place of Meetings; Meetings by Telephone.* The Board may hold meetings, both regular and special, either within or outside the State of Delaware.

Unless otherwise restricted by the certificate of incorporation or these bylaws, members of the Board, or any committee designated by the Board, may participate in a meeting of the Board, or any committee, by means of conference telephone or other communications equipment by means of which all persons participating in the meeting can hear each other, and such participation in a meeting shall constitute presence in person at the meeting.

- **2.6** *Conduct of Business.* Meetings of the Board shall be presided over by the Chairperson of the Board, if any, or in his or her absence by the Vice Chairperson of the Board, if any, or in the absence of the foregoing persons by a chairperson designated by the Board, or in the absence of such designation by a chairperson chosen at the meeting. The Secretary shall act as secretary of the meeting, but in his or her absence the chairperson of the meeting may appoint any person to act as secretary of the meeting.
- **2.7** *Regular Meetings*. Regular meetings of the Board may be held without notice at such time and at such place as shall from time to time be determined by the Board.
- **2.8** *Special Meetings; Notice.* Special meetings of the Board for any purpose or purposes may be called at any time by the Chairperson of the Board, the Chief Executive Officer, the President, the Secretary or any two directors.

Notice of the time and place of special meetings shall be:

(i) delivered personally by hand, by courier or by telephone;

- (ii) sent by United States first-class mail, postage prepaid;
- (iii) sent by facsimile; or
- (iv) sent by electronic mail,

directed to each director at that director's address, telephone number, facsimile number or electronic mail address, as the case may be, as shown on the Company's records.

If the notice is (i) delivered personally by hand, by courier or by telephone, (ii) sent by facsimile or (iii) sent by electronic mail, it shall be delivered or sent at least 24 hours before the time of the holding of the meeting. If the notice is sent by United States mail, it shall be deposited in the United States mail at least four days before the time of the holding of the meeting. Any oral notice may be communicated to the director. The notice need not specify the place of the meeting (if the meeting is to be held at the Company's principal executive office) nor the purpose of the meeting.

2.9 Quorum; Voting. At all meetings of the Board, a majority of the total authorized number of directors shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business. If a quorum is not present at any meeting of the Board, then the directors present thereat may adjourn the meeting from time to time, without notice other than announcement at the meeting, until a quorum is present. A meeting at which a quorum is initially present may continue to transact business notwithstanding the withdrawal of directors, if any action taken is approved by at least a majority of the required quorum for that meeting.

The vote of a majority of the directors present at any meeting at which a quorum is present shall be the act of the Board, except as may be otherwise specifically provided by statute, the certificate of incorporation or these bylaws.

If the certificate of incorporation provides that one or more directors shall have more or less than one vote per director on any matter, every reference in these bylaws to a majority or other proportion of directors shall refer to a majority or other proportion of the votes of the directors.

- **Board Action by Written Consent Without a Meeting.** Unless otherwise restricted by the certificate of incorporation or these bylaws, any action required or permitted to be taken at any meeting of the Board, or of any committee thereof, may be taken without a meeting if all members of the Board or committee, as the case may be, consent thereto in writing or by electronic transmission and the writing or writings or electronic transmissions are filed with the minutes of proceedings of the Board or committee. Such filing shall be in paper form if the minutes are maintained in paper form and shall be in electronic form if the minutes are maintained in electronic form.
- **2.11** *Fees and Compensation of Directors.* Unless otherwise restricted by the certificate of incorporation or these bylaws, the Board shall have the authority to fix the compensation of directors.
- **2.12** *Removal of Directors.* Unless otherwise restricted by statute, the certificate of incorporation or these bylaws, any director or the entire Board may be removed, with or without cause, by the holders of a majority of the shares then entitled to vote at an election of directors.

No reduction of the authorized number of directors shall have the effect of removing any director prior to the expiration of such director's term of office.

ARTICLE III — COMMITTEES

- Company. The Board may designate one or more directors as alternate members of any committee, who may replace any absent or disqualified member at any meeting of the committee. In the absence or disqualification of a member of a committee, the member or members thereof present at any meeting and not disqualified from voting, whether or not such member or members constitute a quorum, may unanimously appoint another member of the Board to act at the meeting in the place of any such absent or disqualified member. Any such committee, to the extent provided in the resolution of the Board or in these bylaws, shall have and may exercise all the powers and authority of the Board in the management of the business and affairs of the Company, and may authorize the seal of the Company to be affixed to all papers that may require it; but no such committee shall have the power or authority to (i) approve or adopt, or recommend to the stockholders, any action or matter (other than the election or removal of directors) expressly required by the DGCL to be submitted to stockholders for approval, or (ii) adopt, amend or repeal any bylaw of the Company.
 - **3.2** *Committee Minutes*. Each committee shall keep regular minutes of its meetings and report the same to the Board when required.
- **3.3** *Meetings and Actions of Committees.* Meetings and actions of committees shall be governed by, and held and taken in accordance with, the provisions of:
 - (i) **section 2.5** (Place of Meetings; Meetings by Telephone);
 - (ii) **section 2.7** (Regular Meetings);
 - (iii) **section 2.8** (Special Meetings; Notice);
 - (iv) **section 2.9** (Quorum; Voting);
 - (v) **section 2.10** (Board Action by Written Consent Without a Meeting); and
 - (vi) **section 7.5** (Waiver of Notice)

with such changes in the context of those bylaws as are necessary to substitute the committee and its members for the Board and its members. However:

- (i) the time of regular meetings of committees may be determined either by resolution of the Board or by resolution of the committee;
- (ii) special meetings of committees may also be called by resolution of the Board; and
- (iii) notice of special meetings of committees shall also be given to all alternate members, who shall have the right to attend all meetings of the committee. The Board may adopt rules for the government of any committee not inconsistent with the provisions of these bylaws.

Any provision in the certificate of incorporation providing that one or more directors shall have more or less than one vote per director on any matter shall apply to voting in any committee or subcommittee, unless otherwise provided in the certificate of incorporation or these bylaws.

3.4 Subcommittees. Unless otherwise provided in the certificate of incorporation, these bylaws or the resolutions of the Board designating the committee, a committee may create one or more subcommittees, each subcommittee to consist of one or more members of the committee, and delegate to a subcommittee any or all of the powers and authority of the committee.

ARTICLE IV — OFFICERS

- **4.1 Officers**. The officers of the Company shall be a President and a Secretary. The Company may also have, at the discretion of the Board, a Chairperson of the Board, a Vice Chairperson of the Board, a Chief Executive Officer, one or more Vice Presidents, a Chief Financial Officer, a Treasurer, one or more Assistant Treasurers, one or more Assistant Secretaries, and any such other officers as may be appointed in accordance with the provisions of these bylaws. Any number of offices may be held by the same person.
- **4.2 Appointment of Officers.** The Board shall appoint the officers of the Company, except such officers as may be appointed in accordance with the provisions of **section 4.3** of these bylaws.
- **Subordinate Officers.** The Board may appoint, or empower the Chief Executive Officer or, in the absence of a Chief Executive Officer, the President, to appoint, such other officers and agents as the business of the Company may require. Each of such officers and agents shall hold office for such period, have such authority, and perform such duties as are provided in these bylaws or as the Board may from time to time determine.
- **4.4** *Removal and Resignation of Officers.* Any officer may be removed, either with or without cause, by an affirmative vote of the majority of the Board at any regular or special meeting of the Board or, except in the case of an officer chosen by the Board, by any officer upon whom such power of removal may be conferred by the Board.

Any officer may resign at any time by giving written notice to the Company. Any resignation shall take effect at the date of the receipt of that notice or at any later time specified in that notice. Unless otherwise specified in the notice of resignation, the acceptance of the resignation shall not be necessary to make it effective. Any resignation is without prejudice to the rights, if any, of the Company under any contract to which the officer is a party.

- **4.5** *Vacancies in Offices.* Any vacancy occurring in any office of the Company shall be filled by the Board or as provided in **section 4.3**.
- **Representation of Shares of Other Corporations.** Unless otherwise directed by the Board, the President or any other person authorized by the Board or the President is authorized to vote, represent and exercise on behalf of the Company all rights incident to any and all shares of any other corporation or corporations standing in the name of the Company. The authority granted herein may be exercised either by such person directly or by any other person authorized to do so by proxy or power of attorney duly executed by such person having the authority.
- **4.7 Authority and Duties of Officers.** Except as otherwise provided in these bylaws, the officers of the Company shall have such powers and duties in the management of the Company as may be designated from time to time by the Board and, to the extent not so provided, as generally pertain to their respective offices, subject to the control of the Board.

ARTICLE V — INDEMNIFICATION

- **5.1 Indemnification of Directors and Officers in Third Party Proceedings.** Subject to the other provisions of this **Article V**, the Company shall indemnify, to the fullest extent permitted by the DGCL, as now or hereinafter in effect, any person who was or is a party or is threatened to be made a party to any threatened, pending or completed action, suit or proceeding, whether civil, criminal, administrative or investigative (a "**Proceeding**") (other than an action by or in the right of the Company) by reason of the fact that such person is or was a director or officer of the Company, or is or was a director or officer of the Company serving at the request of the Company as a director, officer, employee or agent of another corporation, partnership, joint venture, trust or other enterprise, against expenses (including attorneys' fees), judgments, fines and amounts paid in settlement actually and reasonably incurred by such person in connection with such Proceeding if such person acted in good faith and in a manner such person reasonably believed to be in or not opposed to the best interests of the Company, and, with respect to any criminal action or proceeding, had no reasonable cause to believe such person's conduct was unlawful. The termination of any Proceeding by judgment, order, settlement, conviction, or upon a plea of *nolo contendere* or its equivalent, shall not, of itself, create a presumption that the person did not act in good faith and in a manner which such person reasonably believed to be in or not opposed to the best interests of the Company, and, with respect to any criminal action or proceeding, had reasonable cause to believe that such person's conduct was unlawful.
- 5.2 Indemnification of Directors and Officers in Actions by or in the Right of the Company. Subject to the other provisions of this Article V, the Company shall indemnify, to the fullest extent permitted by the DGCL, as now or hereinafter in effect, any person who was or is a party or is threatened to be made a party to any threatened, pending or completed action or suit by or in the right of the Company to procure a judgment in its favor by reason of the fact that such person is or was a director or officer of the Company, or is or was a director or officer of the Company serving at the request of the Company as a director, officer, employee or agent of another corporation, partnership, joint venture, trust or other enterprise against expenses (including attorneys' fees) actually and reasonably incurred by such person in connection with the defense or settlement of such action or suit if such person acted in good faith and in a manner such person reasonably believed to be in or not opposed to the best interests of the Company; except that no indemnification shall be made in respect of any claim, issue or matter as to which such person shall have been adjudged to be liable to the Company unless and only to the extent that the Court of Chancery or the court in which such action or suit was brought shall determine upon application that, despite the adjudication of liability but in view of all the circumstances of the case, such person is fairly and reasonably entitled to indemnity for such expenses which the Court of Chancery or such other court shall deem proper.
- **5.3 Successful Defense.** To the extent that a present or former director or officer of the Company has been successful on the merits or otherwise in defense of any action, suit or proceeding described in **section 5.1** or **section 5.2**, or in defense of any claim, issue or matter therein, such person shall be indemnified against expenses (including attorneys' fees) actually and reasonably incurred by such person in connection therewith.
- **5.4** *Indemnification of Others.* Subject to the other provisions of this **Article V**, the Company shall have power to indemnify its employees and agents to the extent not prohibited by the DGCL or other applicable law. The Board shall have the power to delegate to such person or persons the determination of whether employees or agents shall be indemnified.
- **5.5 Advanced Payment of Expenses.** Expenses (including attorneys' fees) incurred by an officer or director of the Company in defending any Proceeding shall be paid by the Company in advance of the final disposition of such Proceeding upon receipt of a written request therefor (together with documentation reasonably evidencing such expenses) and an undertaking by or on behalf of the person to repay such amounts if it shall ultimately be determined that the person is not entitled to be indemnified under this **Article V** or the DGCL. Such expenses (including attorneys' fees) incurred by former directors and officers or other employees and agents may be so paid upon such terms and conditions, if any, as the Company deems appropriate. The right to advancement of expenses shall not apply to any Proceeding for which indemnity is excluded pursuant to these bylaws.

- **5.6 Limitation on Indemnification**. Subject to the requirements in **section 5.3** and the DGCL, the Company shall not be obligated to indemnify any person pursuant to this **Article V** in connection with any Proceeding (or any part of any Proceeding):
- (i) for which payment has actually been made to or on behalf of such person under any statute, insurance policy, indemnity provision, vote or otherwise, except with respect to any excess beyond the amount paid;
- (ii) for an accounting or disgorgement of profits pursuant to Section 16(b) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or similar provisions of federal, state or local statutory law or common law, if such person is held liable therefor (including pursuant to any settlement arrangements);
- (iii) for any reimbursement of the Company by such person of any bonus or other incentive-based or equity-based compensation or of any profits realized by such person from the sale of securities of the Company, as required in each case under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (including any such reimbursements that arise from an accounting restatement of the Company pursuant to Section 304 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002 (the "Sarbanes-Oxley Act"), or the payment to the Company of profits arising from the purchase and sale by such person of securities in violation of Section 306 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act), if such person is held liable therefor (including pursuant to any settlement arrangements);
- (iv) initiated by such person, including any Proceeding (or any part of any Proceeding) initiated by such person against the Company or its directors, officers, employees, agents or other indemnitees, unless (a) the Board authorized the Proceeding (or the relevant part of the Proceeding) prior to its initiation, (b) the Company provides the indemnification, in its sole discretion, pursuant to the powers vested in the Company under applicable law, (c) otherwise required to be made under **section 5.7** or (d) otherwise required by applicable law; or
 - (v) if prohibited by applicable law.
- **Determination; Claim.** If a claim for indemnification or advancement of expenses under this **Article V** is not paid by the Company or on its behalf within 90 days after receipt by the Company of a written request therefor, the claimant shall be entitled to an adjudication by a court of competent jurisdiction of his or her entitlement to such indemnification or advancement of expenses. To the extent not prohibited by law, the Company shall indemnify such person against all expenses actually and reasonably incurred by such person in connection with any action for indemnification or advancement of expenses from the Company under this **Article V**, to the extent such person is successful in such action. In any such suit, the Company shall, to the fullest extent not prohibited by law, have the burden of proving that the claimant is not entitled to the requested indemnification or advancement of expenses.

- **5.8 Non-Exclusivity of Rights.** The indemnification and advancement of expenses provided by, or granted pursuant to, this **Article V** shall not be deemed exclusive of any other rights to which those seeking indemnification or advancement of expenses may be entitled under the certificate of incorporation or any statute, bylaw, agreement, vote of stockholders or disinterested directors or otherwise, both as to action in such person's official capacity and as to action in another capacity while holding such office. The Company is specifically authorized to enter into individual contracts with any or all of its directors, officers, employees or agents respecting indemnification and advancement of expenses, to the fullest extent not prohibited by the DGCL or other applicable law.
- **5.9 Insurance**. The Company may purchase and maintain insurance on behalf of any person who is or was a director, officer, employee or agent of the Company, or is or was serving at the request of the Company as a director, officer, employee or agent of another corporation, partnership, joint venture, trust or other enterprise against any liability asserted against such person and incurred by such person in any such capacity, or arising out of such person's status as such, whether or not the Company would have the power to indemnify such person against such liability under the provisions of the DGCL.
- **5.10 Survival.** The rights to indemnification and advancement of expenses conferred by this **Article V** shall continue as to a person who has ceased to be a director, officer, employee or agent and shall inure to the benefit of the heirs, executors and administrators of such a person.
- **5.11** *Effect of Repeal or Modification.* Any amendment, alteration or repeal of this **Article V** shall not adversely affect any right or protection hereunder of any person in respect of any act or omission occurring prior to such amendment, alteration or repeal.
- **Certain Definitions.** For purposes of this **Article V**, references to the "**Company**" shall include, in addition to the resulting corporation, any constituent corporation (including any constituent of a constituent) absorbed in a consolidation or merger which, if its separate existence had continued, would have had power and authority to indemnify its directors, officers, employees or agents, so that any person who is or was a director, officer, employee or agent of such constituent corporation as a director, officer, employee or agent of another corporation, partnership, joint venture, trust or other enterprise, shall stand in the same position under the provisions of this **Article V** with respect to the resulting or surviving corporation as such person would have with respect to such constituent corporation if its separate existence had continued. For purposes of this **Article V**, references to "**other enterprises**" shall include employee benefit plans; references to "**fines**" shall include any excise taxes assessed on a person with respect to an employee benefit plan; and references to "**serving at the request of the Company**" shall include any service as a director, officer, employee or agent of the Company which imposes duties on, or involves services by, such director, officer, employee or agent with respect to an employee benefit plan, its participants or beneficiaries; and a person who acted in good faith and in a manner such person reasonably believed to be in the interest of the participants and beneficiaries of an employee benefit plan shall be deemed to have acted in a manner "**not opposed to the best interests of the Company**" as referred to in this **Article V**.

ARTICLE VI — STOCK

6.1 Stock Certificates; Partly Paid Shares. The shares of the Company shall be represented by certificates, provided that the Board may provide by resolution or resolutions that some or all of any or all classes or series of its stock shall be uncertificated shares. Any such resolution shall not apply to shares represented by a certificate until such certificate is surrendered to the Company. Every holder of stock represented by certificates shall be entitled to have a certificate signed by, or in the name of the Company by the Chairperson of the Board or Vice-Chairperson of the Board, or the President or a Vice-President, and by the Treasurer or an Assistant Treasurer, or the Secretary or an Assistant Secretary of the Company representing the number of shares registered in certificate form. Any or all of the signatures on the certificate may be a facsimile. In case any officer, transfer agent or registrar who has signed or whose facsimile signature has been placed upon a certificate has ceased to be such officer, transfer agent or registrar before such certificate is issued, it may be issued by the Company with the same effect as if such person were such officer, transfer agent or registrar at the date of issue. The Company shall not have power to issue a certificate in bearer form.

The Company may issue the whole or any part of its shares as partly paid and subject to call for the remainder of the consideration to be paid therefor. Upon the face or back of each stock certificate issued to represent any such partly paid shares, or upon the books and records of the Company in the case of uncertificated partly paid shares, the total amount of the consideration to be paid therefor and the amount paid thereon shall be stated. Upon the declaration of any dividend on fully paid shares, the Company shall declare a dividend upon partly paid shares of the same class, but only upon the basis of the percentage of the consideration actually paid thereon.

- **Special Designation on Certificates.** If the Company is authorized to issue more than one class of stock or more than one series of any class, then the powers, the designations, the preferences, and the relative, participating, optional or other special rights of each class of stock or series thereof and the qualifications, limitations or restrictions of such preferences and/or rights shall be set forth in full or summarized on the face or back of the certificate that the Company shall issue to represent such class or series of stock; provided that, except as otherwise provided in Section 202 of the DGCL, in lieu of the foregoing requirements there may be set forth on the face or back of the certificate that the Company shall issue to represent such class or series of stock, a statement that the Company will furnish without charge to each stockholder who so requests the powers, designations, preferences and relative, participating, optional or other special rights of each class of stock or series thereof and the qualifications, limitations or restrictions of such preferences and/or rights. Within a reasonable time after the issuance or transfer of uncertificated stock, the Company shall send to the registered owner thereof a written notice containing the information required to be set forth or stated on certificates pursuant to this **section 6.2** or Sections 156, 202(a) or 218(a) of the DGCL or with respect to this **section 6.2** a statement that the Company will furnish without charge to each stockholder who so requests the powers, designations, preferences and relative, participating, optional or other special rights of each class of stock or series thereof and the qualifications, limitations or restrictions of such preferences and/or rights. Except as otherwise expressly provided by law, the rights and obligations of the holders of uncertificated stock and the rights and obligations of the holders of certificates representing stock of the same class and series shall be identical.
- **Lost Certificates.** Except as provided in this **section 6.3**, no new certificates for shares shall be issued to replace a previously issued certificate unless the latter is surrendered to the Company and cancelled at the same time. The Company may issue a new certificate of stock or uncertificated shares in the place of any certificate theretofore issued by it, alleged to have been lost, stolen or destroyed, and the Company may require the owner of the lost, stolen or destroyed certificate, or such owner's legal representative, to give the Company a bond sufficient to indemnify it against any claim that may be made against it on account of the alleged loss, theft or destruction of any such certificate or the issuance of such new certificate or uncertificated shares.
- **6.4 Dividends**. The Board, subject to any restrictions contained in the certificate of incorporation or applicable law, may declare and pay dividends upon the shares of the Company's capital stock. Dividends may be paid in cash, in property, or in shares of the Company's capital stock, subject to the provisions of the certificate of incorporation.

The Board may set apart out of any of the funds of the Company available for dividends a reserve or reserves for any proper purpose and may abolish any such reserve.

6.5 Stock Transfer Agreements. The Company shall have power to enter into and perform any agreement with any number of stockholders of any one or more classes of stock of the Company to restrict the transfer of shares of stock of the Company of any one or more classes owned by such stockholders in any manner not prohibited by the DGCL.

6.6 *Registered Stockholders*. The Company:

- (i) shall be entitled to recognize the exclusive right of a person registered on its books as the owner of shares to receive dividends and to vote as such owner;
 - (ii) shall be entitled to hold liable for calls and assessments the person registered on its books as the owner of shares; and
- (iii) shall not be bound to recognize any equitable or other claim to or interest in such share or shares on the part of another person, whether or not it shall have express or other notice thereof, except as otherwise provided by the laws of Delaware.
- **6.7 Transfers.** Transfers of record of shares of stock of the Company shall be made only upon its books by the holders thereof, in person or by an attorney duly authorized, and, if such stock is certificated, upon the surrender of a certificate or certificates for a like number of shares, properly endorsed or accompanied by proper evidence of succession, assignation or authority to transfer.

ARTICLE VII — MANNER OF GIVING NOTICE AND WAIVER

- **7.1 Notice of Stockholder Meetings.** Notice of any meeting of stockholders, if mailed, is given when deposited in the United States mail, postage prepaid, directed to the stockholder at such stockholder's address as it appears on the Company's records. An affidavit of the Secretary or an Assistant Secretary of the Company or of the transfer agent or other agent of the Company that the notice has been given shall, in the absence of fraud, be *prima facie* evidence of the facts stated therein.
- **7.2 Notice by Electronic Transmission**. Without limiting the manner by which notice otherwise may be given effectively to stockholders pursuant to the DGCL, the certificate of incorporation or these bylaws, any notice to stockholders given by the Company under any provision of the DGCL, the certificate of incorporation or these bylaws shall be effective if given by a form of electronic transmission consented to by the stockholder to whom the notice is given. Any such consent shall be revocable by the stockholder by written notice to the Company. Any such consent shall be deemed revoked if:
- (i) the Company is unable to deliver by electronic transmission two consecutive notices given by the Company in accordance with such consent; and
- (ii) such inability becomes known to the Secretary or an Assistant Secretary of the Company or to the transfer agent, or other person responsible for the giving of notice.

However, the inadvertent failure to treat such inability as a revocation shall not invalidate any meeting or other action.

Any notice given pursuant to the preceding paragraph shall be deemed given:

- (i) if by facsimile telecommunication, when directed to a number at which the stockholder has consented to receive notice;
- (ii) if by electronic mail, when directed to an electronic mail address at which the stockholder has consented to receive notice;
- (iii) if by a posting on an electronic network together with separate notice to the stockholder of such specific posting, upon the later of (A) such posting and (B) the giving of such separate notice; and
 - (iv) if by any other form of electronic transmission, when directed to the stockholder.

An affidavit of the Secretary or an Assistant Secretary or of the transfer agent or other agent of the Company that the notice has been given by a form of electronic transmission shall, in the absence of fraud, be *prima facie* evidence of the facts stated therein.

An "electronic transmission" means any form of communication, not directly involving the physical transmission of paper, that creates a record that may be retained, retrieved, and reviewed by a recipient thereof, and that may be directly reproduced in paper form by such a recipient through an automated process.

Notice by a form of electronic transmission shall not apply to Sections 164, 296, 311, 312 or 324 of the DGCL.

- **7.3 Notice to Stockholders Sharing an Address.** Except as otherwise prohibited under the DGCL, without limiting the manner by which notice otherwise may be given effectively to stockholders, any notice to stockholders given by the Company under the provisions of the DGCL, the certificate of incorporation or these bylaws shall be effective if given by a single written notice to stockholders who share an address if consented to by the stockholders at that address to whom such notice is given. Any such consent shall be revocable by the stockholder by written notice to the Company. Any stockholder who fails to object in writing to the Company, within 60 days of having been given written notice by the Company of its intention to send the single notice, shall be deemed to have consented to receiving such single written notice.
- **7.4 Notice to Person with Whom Communication is Unlawful.** Whenever notice is required to be given, under the DGCL, the certificate of incorporation or these bylaws, to any person with whom communication is unlawful, the giving of such notice to such person shall not be required and there shall be no duty to apply to any governmental authority or agency for a license or permit to give such notice to such person. Any action or meeting which shall be taken or held without notice to any such person with whom communication is unlawful shall have the same force and effect as if such notice had been duly given. In the event that the action taken by the Company is such as to require the filing of a certificate under the DGCL, the certificate shall state, if such is the fact and if notice is required, that notice was given to all persons entitled to receive notice except such persons with whom communication is unlawful.
- **7.5** *Waiver of Notice*. Whenever notice is required to be given under any provision of the DGCL, the certificate of incorporation or these bylaws, a written waiver, signed by the person entitled to notice, or a waiver by electronic transmission by the person entitled to notice, whether before or after the time of the event for which notice is to be given, shall be deemed equivalent to notice. Attendance of a person at a meeting shall constitute a waiver of notice of such meeting, except when the person attends a meeting for the express purpose of objecting at the beginning of the meeting, to the transaction of any business because the meeting is not lawfully called or convened. Neither the business to be transacted at, nor the purpose of, any regular or special meeting of the stockholders need be specified in any written waiver of notice or any waiver by electronic transmission unless so required by the certificate of incorporation or these bylaws.

ARTICLE VIII — GENERAL MATTERS

- **8.1** *Fiscal Year*. The fiscal year of the Company shall be fixed by resolution of the Board and may be changed by the Board.
- **8.2 Seal.** The Company may adopt a corporate seal, which shall be in such form as may be approved from time to time by the Board. The Company may use the corporate seal by causing it or a facsimile thereof to be impressed or affixed or in any other manner reproduced.
- **8.3 Annual Report.** The Company shall cause an annual report to be sent to the stockholders of the Company to the extent required by applicable law. If and so long as there are fewer than 100 holders of record of the Company's shares, the requirement of sending an annual report to the stockholders of the Company is expressly waived (to the extent permitted under applicable law).
- **8.4** *Construction; Definitions.* Unless the context requires otherwise, the general provisions, rules of construction, and definitions in the DGCL shall govern the construction of these bylaws. Without limiting the generality of this provision, the singular number includes the plural, the plural number includes the singular, and the term "person" includes both a corporation and a natural person.

ARTICLE IX — AMENDMENTS

These bylaws may be adopted, amended or repealed by the stockholders entitled to vote. However, the Company may, in its certificate of incorporation, confer the power to adopt, amend or repeal bylaws upon the directors. The fact that such power has been so conferred upon the directors shall not divest the stockholders of the power, nor limit their power to adopt, amend or repeal bylaws.

A bylaw amendment adopted by stockholders which specifies the votes that shall be necessary for the election of directors shall not be further amended or repealed by the Board.

EXCLUSIVE PATENT LICENSE AGREEMENT

This Exclusive Patent License Agreement is made as of July 27, 2009 ("Effective Date") between Ensisheim Partners, LLC, a Washington limited liability company ("Licensor"), and Atossa Genetics, Inc., a Delaware corporation ("Atossa"). The parties agree as follows:

1. **DEFINITIONS**

- 1.1 "**First Commercial Sale**" means the initial transfer of a Licensed Product by Atossa, an affiliate or a sublicensee to a third party in exchange for cash or some equivalent to which value can be assigned in any country after all required marketing and pricing approvals have been granted, or otherwise permitted, by the authorities of such country, in each case for use or consumption of such Licensed Product in such country by the general public. Sales for test marketing, sampling and promotional uses, clinical trial purposes, or compassionate or similar use will not be considered a First Commercial Sale.
- 1.2 "**Licensed Patents**" means: (a) all patents and patent applications set forth in Exhibit A; (b) all divisions, substitutions, continuations, continuation-in-parts, reissues, reexaminations, and extensions of the patents and patent applications described in Section 1.1(a); (c) all foreign and international counterparts of the patents and patent applications described in Sections 1.1(a) and 1.1(b); and (d) all patents issuing from patent applications described in Sections 1.1(a), 1.1(b), and 1.1(c).
- 1.3 "Licensed Product" means any product the manufacture, use, or sale of which would, in the absence of the licenses granted in this Agreement, infringe a Valid Claim of a Licensed Patent in the country in which that product is made, used, or sold.
- 1.4 "Net Sales Revenues" means the gross amount collected by Atossa for the sale of a Licensed Product, less all: (a) normal and customary cash and trade discounts and rebates (including prompt payment and volume discounts); (b) duties and taxes (including excise, sales, use, and value added taxes); (c) insurance, freight, packaging, handling, shipment, and transportation expenses (including associated insurance costs); (d) amounts allowed or credited due to returns, rejections, recalls, rebates, charge backs, billing errors, or retroactive price reductions; and (e) sales commissions or fees paid. Net Sales Revenues excludes amounts collected by Atossa: (i) that are not directly related to sale of a Licensed Product, including amounts paid for support, maintenance, development, research, clinical trials, training, and products bundled with a Licensed Product; (ii) for transfers made to a third party for resale by the third party or to an affiliate; and (iii) for Licensed Products used for research and development or other non-commercial uses, supplied as commercial samples, or supplied as charitable donations.
- 1.5 "Valid Claim" means a pending or issued and unexpired claim of a Licensed Patent so long as that claim has not been: (a) irrevocably abandoned, withdrawn, or declared to be unpatentable, invalid, or unenforceable in an unappealable decision of a court or other authority of competent jurisdiction; or (b) found or admitted to be invalid or unenforceable through no fault or cause of Atossa, whether through reissue, re-examination, disclaimer or otherwise.

2. GRANT OF RIGHTS

- 2.1 <u>Licensed Patents</u>. Licensor hereby grants to Atossa and its affiliates an exclusive, worldwide, perpetual, irrevocable, royalty-bearing (as set forth in Section 3), license, with the right to grant and authorize sublicenses, under the Licensed Patents to do the following: (a) make, have made, use, sell, offer to sell, export, import, and otherwise distribute Licensed Products; (b) practice and perform any processes, methods, and procedures described in or that would infringe a Valid Claim of a Licensed Patent; and (c) otherwise exploit the Licensed Patents.
- 2.2 <u>Exclusivity</u>. The license granted in Section 2.1 is exclusive in that Licensor must not, directly or indirectly: (a) exercise or grant to any third party any license or other right under a Licensed Patent; or (b) develop or sell any products or services in the Exclusive Field that would infringe a Licensed Patent. Without limiting Atossa's rights or remedies at law, and without regard to whether Atossa has an adequate remedy at law, Atossa will have the right to seek equitable relief to prevent any breach or threatened breach of this Section 2.2.
- 2.3 Ownership of Licensed Patents. Licensor will at all times be the sole owner of all right, title, and interest (including intellectual property rights) in and to the Licensed Patents.
- 2.4 No Requirements. Atossa is not required to: (a) develop Licensed Products; (b) receive Licensor's or a third party's approval for any use of any Licensed Products; (c) attribute creation or development of any Licensed Product to Licensor; or (d) take action against any third party relating to the third party's use or exploitation of any Licensed Product.
- 2.5 <u>Rights in Bankruptcy</u>. All rights and licenses granted under or pursuant to this Agreement by Licensor to Atossa are, and will otherwise be deemed to be, for purposes of Section 365(n) of the United States Bankruptcy Code, licenses of rights to "intellectual property" as defined under Section 101(56) of the Bankruptcy Code. Atossa, as a licensee of the rights under this Agreement, will retain and may fully exercise all of its rights and elections under the Bankruptcy Code.

3. ROYALTY

- 3.1 <u>Royalty Rate</u>. Subject to Section <u>3.2</u>, Atossa will pay Licensor a royalty equal to two percent (2%) of Net Sales Revenues ("**Licensing Royalty**"). No more than one royalty payment will be due under this Agreement with respect to a sale of a particular Licensed Product, even if that Licensed Product is covered by multiple Valid Claims.
- 3.2 <u>Minimum Royalty.</u> Atossa will pay Licensor, in accordance with this Section, a minimum royalty of \$12,500 per fiscal quarter during the term of this Agreement, which will increase to a minimum royalty of \$25,000 per fiscal quarter beginning in the quarter in which the First Commercial Sale of a Licensed Product takes place (each, a "**Minimum Royalty**"). Atossa will pay Licensor a pro-rata portion of the first Minimum Royalty within 30 days of the Effective Date, and the Minimum Royalty for each subsequent fiscal quarter will be due upon the first day of that fiscal quarter. The Minimum Royalty for any given fiscal quarter is creditable against any Licensing Royalties due in that fiscal quarter.

- 3.3 Reduction for Third Party Payments. If Atossa's manufacture, sale, use, importation, or other exploitation of a Licensed Product is subject to one or more patents owned, controlled, or licensable by a third party and Atossa pays the third party to license such patents, then the Licensing Royalty will be reduced by the amount paid to the third party for such license, except that the Licensing Royalty payable to Licensor will not fall below 1% of Net Sales Revenues during any fiscal quarter.
- 3.4 <u>Reporting and Payment</u>. No later than 60 days after the end of each fiscal quarter during the term of this Agreement, Atossa will deliver to Licensor a written report of the Net Sales Revenues collected during the fiscal quarter. With each report submitted by Atossa, Atossa will deliver payment of the Licensing Royalty due for the applicable fiscal quarter to the extent not covered by any other payments made by Atossa that are creditable against Licensing Royalty payments, e.g., the applicable Minimum Royalty payment.

4. PROSECUTION AND MAINTENANCE OF THE LICENSED PATENTS

- 4.1 <u>Atossa's Rights</u>. Licensor grants to Atossa: (a) the right to prepare, file, prosecute, and maintain, in its own name and at its own expense, the Licensed Patents in any country; and (b) an irrevocable power of attorney to act on Licensor's behalf and to execute and file documents on Licensor's behalf to prepare, file, prosecute, and maintain these rights.
- 4.2 <u>Licensor's Obligations</u>. Licensor will consult with Atossa regarding the preparation, filing, prosecution, and maintenance of the Licensed Patents. Licensor will not prepare, file, prosecute, or maintain the Licensed Patents without Atossa's prior written consent. Licensor will have the right to prepare, file, prosecute, and maintain, in its own name and at its own expense, the Licensed Patents in any country where Atossa fails or declines to prosecute or maintain those rights. Licensor may exercise this right only if it notifies Atossa of its intent in writing and Atossa does not proceed to prosecute or maintain those rights within 60 days after the notice. Licensor will keep Atossa reasonably informed regarding Licensor's prosecution and maintenance of the Licensed Patents in accordance with this Section (e.g., status of patent filings and registrations).

5. ENFORCEMENT OF LICENSED PATENTS

- 5.1 Atossa's Rights. Licensor grants to Atossa the right to bring and prosecute lawsuits against third parties, in Atossa's own name or jointly with Licensor if required by law, for infringement of a Licensed Patent. This right includes bringing any legal action for infringement, defending any counter claim of invalidity or action of a third party for declaratory judgment for non-infringement or non-interference, and settling a suit. Atossa will be entitled to all of the damages, profits, and awards of whatever nature recoverable from the suit. Licensor will fully cooperate with Atossa in the prosecution of any such lawsuit at Atossa's expense.
- 5.2 <u>Licensor's Obligations</u>. Licensor will not bring or prosecute a lawsuit against any third party for infringement of a Licensed Patent without Atossa's prior written consent. In addition, if Atossa does not institute a lawsuit (including, but not limited to, temporary and permanent injunctive actions) within a reasonable period, but no more than 60 days following Licensor's written request to do so, Licensor will have the right to institute and

prosecute the lawsuit in its own name or jointly with Atossa if required by law. Atossa will fully cooperate with Licensor in the prosecution of any such lawsuit at Licensor's expense.

6. TERM AND TERMINATION

- 6.1 <u>Term.</u> This Agreement will take effect on the Effective Date and will continue in effect, on a country-by-country basis, until the date on which no further Licensing Royalty would be due in such country, unless terminated earlier in accordance with the terms of this Agreement.
- 6.2 <u>Termination by Atossa for Convenience</u>. Atossa may terminate this Agreement, in whole or as to any particular Licensed Patent or Licensed Product, for any reason or for no reason by notifying Licensor in writing. Termination in accordance with this Section <u>6.2</u> will take effect five days after Licensor receives Atossa's written notice of termination.

6.3 Effects of Termination or Expiration

- (a) <u>Payment or Refund</u>. Within 60 days after termination or expiration of the Agreement, Atossa will pay to Licensor all Licensing Royalties that it owes for sale of Licensed Products prior to the date of termination or expiration.
- (b) <u>Survival</u>. All rights and duties of the parties under this Agreement will terminate upon termination or expiration of this Agreement for any reason except that: (i) all sublicenses granted by Atossa prior to termination or expiration will survive termination; and (ii) Sections <u>6.3</u> and <u>8</u> will survive termination or expiration of this Agreement.

7. REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES

- 7.1 <u>Authorization</u>. Licensor represents and warrants that: (a) it is duly organized, validly existing, and in good standing in the jurisdiction stated in the preamble to this Agreement; (b) the execution and delivery of this Agreement by Licensor has been duly and validly authorized; and (c) this Agreement constitutes a valid, binding, and enforceable obligation of Licensor.
- 7.2 No Conflict. Licensor represents and warrants that: (a) the execution of this Agreement and Licensor's performance under this Agreement does not and will not violate, conflict with, or result in a material default under any other agreement, indenture, decree, judgment, lien, or encumbrance to which Licensor is a party or by which any of the Licensed Patents are or may become subject or bound; (b) Licensor has not granted any other rights under the Licensed Patents; and (c) Licensor will not grant any rights under any future agreement, nor will it permit or suffer any lien, obligation, or encumbrances, that will conflict with the full enjoyment by Atossa of its rights under this Agreement.
- 7.3 <u>Validity and Enforceability</u>. Licensor represents and warrants that: (a) to Licensor's knowledge, Licensor's rights to the Licensed Patents are valid and enforceable; and (b) Licensor does not know of any facts or circumstances that could impair the validity or enforceability of any of its rights to the Licensed Patents.

7.4 <u>Legal Proceedings</u>. Licensor represents and warrants that: (a) Licensor is not involved in any legal proceeding (litigation, arbitration, mediation, or otherwise) relating to the Licensed Patents; (b) Licensor has not received notice of a claim relating to the Licensed Patents; and (c) Licensor is not aware of any facts or circumstances that might lead to a legal proceeding relating to the Licensed Patents.

8. GENERAL

8.1 Remedies

- (a) <u>No Consequential Damages</u>. IN NO EVENT WILL EITHER PARTY HAVE LIABILITY TO THE OTHER PARTY FOR ANY INDIRECT, INCIDENTAL, SPECIAL, OR CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGES, EVEN IF ADVISED OF THE POSSIBILITY OF THESE DAMAGES. THESE LIMITATIONS WILL APPLY NOTWITHSTANDING ANY FAILURE OF ESSENTIAL PURPOSE OF ANY LIMITED REMEDY IN THIS AGREEMENT.
- (b) <u>Limitation to Damages</u>. Licensor's sole remedy, if any, in the event of a breach will be an action for monetary damages. Licensor will not be entitled to injunctive or other equitable relief or to terminate or rescind this Agreement or the licenses granted in this Agreement.
- 8.2 <u>Relationship</u>. Nothing in this Agreement may be construed as creating an employer-employee relationship, agency relationship, joint venture, or partnership between the parties.
- 8.3 <u>Assignability</u>. Neither this Agreement nor any rights or obligations under this Agreement may be assigned or otherwise transferred by Licensor, in whole or in part, whether voluntarily or by operation of law, without the prior written consent of Atossa. Atossa may assign this Agreement or any rights and obligations under this Agreement freely. Subject to the foregoing, this Agreement will be binding upon and will inure to the benefit of the parties and their respective successors and assigns. Any assignment in violation of the foregoing will be null and void.
- 8.4 <u>Further Assurances</u>. Each party agrees that it will execute and deliver such documents as may be required to implement any of the provisions of this Agreement.
- 8.5 Governing Law. This Agreement is governed by the laws of the State of Washington, without giving effect to provisions related to choice of laws or conflict of laws.
- 8.6 <u>Venue and Jurisdiction</u>. Venue and jurisdiction of any lawsuit involving this Agreement exists exclusively in the state and federal courts in King County, Washington, unless Atossa seeks injunctive relief that, in Atossa's judgment, would not be effective unless obtained in some other venue.
- 8.7 <u>Waiver</u>. The waiver by either party of any breach of any provision of this Agreement does not waive any other breach. The failure of any party to insist on strict performance of any covenant or obligation under this Agreement will not be a waiver of such

party's right to demand strict compliance in the future, nor will the same be construed as a novation of this Agreement.

- 8.8 <u>Severability.</u> If any part of this Agreement is found to be unenforceable, the remaining portions of this Agreement will remain in full force and effect.
- 8.9 <u>Drafting</u>. The parties have had an equal opportunity to participate in the drafting of this Agreement and the attached exhibits. No ambiguity will be construed against any party based upon a claim that that party drafted the ambiguous language.
- 8.10 <u>Headings</u>. The headings appearing at the beginning of several sections contained in this Agreement have been inserted for identification and reference purposes only and must not be used to construe or interpret this Agreement.
- 8.11 Notices. Any notice required or permitted to be given under this Agreement will be effective if it is in writing and sent by certified or registered mail, or insured courier, return receipt requested, to the appropriate party at the address set forth below and with the appropriate postage affixed. Either party may change its address for receipt of notice by notice to the other party in accordance with this Section. Notices will be deemed given two business days following the date of mailing or one business day following delivery to a courier.

To Atossa:

To Licensor:
Shu-Chih Chen Quay
Ensisheim Partners, LLC
4105 E Madison St, Suite 320

Seattle, WA 98112 With a copy to: Ms. Effie Toshav, Esq. Wilson Sonsini Goodrich & Rosati, PC 701 Fifth Ave., Suite 5100 Seatlle, WA 98104 Dr. Steven Quay Atossa Genetics, Inc. 4105 E. Madison St., Suite 320 Seattle, WA 98112

- 8.12 <u>Counterparts</u>. This Agreement may be executed in any number of identical counterparts, notwithstanding that the parties have not signed the same counterpart, with the same effect as if the parties had signed the same document. All counterparts will be construed as and constitute the same agreement.
- 8.13 <u>Entire Agreement</u>. This Agreement, including any exhibits, is the final and complete expression of all agreements between these parties and supersedes all previous oral and written agreements regarding these matters. It may be changed only by a written agreement signed by the party against whom enforcement is sought.

"Licensor"
Ensisheim Partners, LLC
Name: Shu-Chih Chen Quay
Title: Principal

Signature: /s/ Shu-Chih Chen Quay

Date: 27 July, 2009

"Atossa"
Atossa Genetics, Inc.
Name: Dr. Steven Quay
Title: President
Signature: /s/ Steven Quay

Signature: /s/ Steven Quay Date: 27 July, 2009

EXHIBIT A

LICENSED PATENTS

WWKMN Ref.	Title	Inventor(s) Priority	Application Number	Patent Number
(TTC Ref. No.)			Filing Date	Issue Date
Country				Due:
ATOS-0003	Methods and Kits for Obtaining and	Steven C. Quay	08/709,207	5,798,266
US	Assaying Mammary Fluid Samples	Debra L. Quay	08/27/96	08/25/98
(020424-000100US)	for Breast Diseases, Including Cancer			
				11.5 Yr MF-February 25,
				2010
ATOS-0005	Methods and Kits for Obtaining and	Steven C. Quay	40850/97	740,160
Australia	Assaying Mammary Fluid Samples	Debra L. Quay	08/22/97	
(020424-000100AU)	for Breast Diseases, Including Cancer	(claims priority to ATOS-0004 and		13th Yr MF-August 22, 2009
		ATOS-00003)		
ATOS-0006	Methods and Kits for Obtaining and	Steven C. Quay	2,264,277	2,264,277
Canada	Assaying Mammary Fluid Samples	Debra L. Quay	08/22/97	04/15/2008
(020424-000100CA)	for Breast Diseases, Including Cancer	(claims priority to ATOS-0004 and		
		ATOS-00003)		13 th Yr MF-August 22, 2009

WWKMN Ref. (TTC Ref. No.)	Title	Inventor(s) Priority	Application Number Filing Date	Patent Number Issue Date
Country			I'mig Date	Due:
PCT ATOS-0004?	Methods and Kits for Obtaining and Assaying Mammary Fluid Samples for Breast Diseases, Including Cancer	(claims priority to ATOS-0004 and	PCT/US97/14863 filed 08/22/97 WO 98/08976 published 03/05/1998	NATIONAL
ATOS-0007 European (020424-000100EP)	Kits for Obtaining and Assaying Mammary Fluid Samples for Breast Diseases, Including Cancer	Steven C. Quay Debra L. Quay (claims priority to ATOS-0004 and ATOS-00003)	97938551.5 08/22/97 Notice of Intent to Grant EU Validation-November 8, 2008	EP 0932699 - withdrawn January 8, 2009-2 Month Further Processing Request
ATOS-0025 Hong Kong (020424-000100HK)	Kits for Obtaining and Assaying Mammary Fluid Samples for Breast Diseases, Including Cancer	Steven C. Quay Debra L. Quay (claims priority to ATOS-0004 and ATOS-00003)	00100654.7 08/22/97	13 th Yr MF-August 22, 2009

WWKMN Ref. (TTC Ref. No.) Country	Title	()	Application Number Filing Date	Patent Number Issue Date Due:
ATOS-0026 Japan (020424-000100JP)	Methods and Kits for Obtaining and Assaying Mammary Fluid Samples for Breast Diseases, Including Cancer	Debra L. Quay	10-511772 03/01/99 08/22/97	Abandoned in Favor of CYTC-11-0407
ATOS-0027 US (020424-000110US)	Methods and Devices for Obtaining and Assaying Mammary Fluid Samples for Evaluating Breast Diseases, Including Cancer	Steven C. Quay Debra L. Quay (CIP of ATOS-0003)	09/027,362 02/20/98	6,287,521 B1 09/11/01 7.5 Yr MF-March 11, 2009
ATOS-0028 US (020424-000120US)	Methods and Devices for Obtaining and Assaying Mammary Fluid Samples for Evaluating Breast Diseases, Including Cancer	Steven C. Quay Debra L. Quay (Cont. of ATOS-0027 which is a CIP of ATOS-0003)	09/435,131 11/05/99	Abandoned

WWKMN Ref. (TTC Ref. No.) Country	Title	Inventor(s) Priority	Application Number Filing Date	Patent Number Issue Date Due:
ATOS-0040 US	Devices and Methods for Obtaining Mammary Fluid Samples for Evaluating Breast Diseases, Including Cancer	Steven C. Quay (Utility filing of ATOS-0030 and ATOS-0033	10/002,540 11/13/01	6,887,210 05/03/2005
ATOS-0041 US	Methods and Devices for Collecting, Handling and Processing Mammary Fluid Samples for Evaluating Breast Diseases, Including Cancer	Steven C. Quay (Utility filing of ATOS-0030 and ATOS-0033	10/001,041 11/13/01	6,689,073 02/10/2004
US	Methods and Devices for Collecting, Handling and Processing Mammary Fluid Samples for Evaluating Breast Diseases, Including Cancer	Steven C. Quay	60/248,134 11/13/00	EXPIRED

WWKMN Ref. (TTC Ref. No.) Country	Title	Inventor(s) Priority	Application Number Filing Date	Patent Number Issue Date Due:
US	Methods and Devices for Collecting, Handling and Processing Mammary Fluid Samples for Evaluating Breast Diseases, Including Cancer	Steven C. Quay	60/248,136 11/13/00	EXPIRED
ATOS-0042 PCT	Methods and Devices for Collecting, Handling and Processing Mammary Fluid Samples for Evaluating Breast Diseases, Including Cancer	Steven C. Quay (foreign filing of ATOS-0030 and ATOS -0033 both filed 11/13/00)	PCT/US01/46032 11/13/01 Publication No. WO 02/38032 A2 on May 16, 2002	NATIONAL
ATOS-0043 Australia		Steven C. Quay Debra L. Quay (Divisional of ATOS-0005 which claims priority to ATOS-0004 and ATOS-0003)	14725/02 01/31/02	781,187 13 th Yr MF- August 22, 2009

WWKMN Ref. (TTC Ref. No.) Country	Title	Inventor(s) Priority	Application Number Filing Date	Patent Number Issue Date Due:
ATOS-0070 U.S. Utility	Methods and Devices for Obtaining and Assaying Mammary Fluid Samples for Evaluating Breast Diseases, Including Cancer	Steven C. Quay Debra L. Quay (Cont. of ATOS-0028, which is a cont. of ATOS-0027, which is a CIP of ATOS-0003)	10/404,866 Filed 3/31/03	7,128,877 10/31/2006
US	Methods and Devices for Obtaining and Assaying Mammary Fluid Samples for Evaluating Breast Diseases, Including Cancer	Steven C. Quay	11/116,961 04/27/2005	Abandoned
JP	Methods and Devices for Obtaining and Assaying Mammary Fluid Samples for Evaluating Breast Diseases, Including Cancer	Steven C. Quay (claims priority to ATOS-0042, 60/248,134 & 60/248,136)	2003-343663 03/24/2004	
			11/13/2001	

WWKMN Ref. (TTC Ref. No.) Country	Title	Inventor(s) Priority	Application Number Filing Date	Patent Number Issue Date Due:
CA	Methods and Devices for Obtaining and Assaying Mammary Fluid Samples for Evaluating Breast Diseases, Including Cancer	Steven C. Quay (claims priority to ATOS-0042, 60/248,134 & 60/248,136)	2,427,967 08/22/1997	2,427,967 8 th Yr MF – November 13,
	Discusces, including currect		11/13/2001	2008
EP	Methods and Devices for Obtaining and Assaying Mammary Fluid Samples for Evaluating Breast Diseases, Including Cancer	Steven C. Quay (claims priority to ATOS-0042, 60/248,134 & 60/248,136)	01993422.3 11/13/2001	
JΡ	Methods and Devices for Obtaining and Assaying Mammary Fluid Samples for Evaluating Breast Diseases, Including Cancer	Steven C. Quay (claims priority to ATOS-0042, 60/248,134 & 60/248,136)	11/13/2001 4,050,612	4,050,612 10 th Yr MF – November 13, 2008

WWKMN Ref. (TTC Ref. No.) Country	Title	Inventor(s) Priority	Application Number Filing Date	Patent Number Issue Date Due:
	Methods and Devices for Obtaining and Assaying Mammary Fluid Samples for Evaluating Breast Diseases, Including Cancer	Steven C. Quay (claims priority to ATOS-0042, 60/248,134 & 60/248,136)	2002-227163 11/13/2001	8 th Yr MF – November 13, 2008
	Methods and Devices for Obtaining and Assaying Mammary Fluid Samples for Evaluating Breast Diseases, Including Cancer	Steven C. Quay (claims priority to ATOS-0042, 60/248,134 & 60/248,136)	03105927.4 11/13/2001	9 th Yr MF – August 19, 2009

June 17, 2010

Robert Kelly, President Atossa Genetics, Inc. 4105 E Madison St, Suite 320 Seattle, WA 98112

OBJECT: TERMINATION OF EXCLUSIVE PATENT LICENSE AGREEMENT

Dear Robert,

With this letter, we hereby terminate the Exclusive Patent License Agreement between Ensisheim Partners LLC ("Ensisheim") and Atossa Genetics, Inc. ("Atossa") dated July 27, 2009. The reason for this termination is that we have agreed that an assignment of all patent rights rather than a license is a better business arrangement.

Upon acceptance of this letter, Atossa will have no further obligation with respect to royalty payments to Ensisheim. Any accrued but unpaid royalties are immediately forgiven. Upon assignment, Atossa will have all responsibility for prosecution, maintenance, and enforcement and will indemnify Ensisheim from any and all claims against the patent estate. Ensisheim will retain no residual rights with respect to the patents and patent applications.

Thank you for your immediate attention to this matter.

Sincerely

STEVEN C. QUAY, M.D., PH.D.

/s/ Steven C. Quay

Chairman and CEO Atossa Genetics, Inc. 4105 E. Madison St, Suite 320 Seattle, WA 98112

Accepted on behalf of Atossa Genetics, Inc.

/s/ Robert Kelly

Robert Kelly, President

RESTATED AND AMENDED EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENT

THIS RESTATED AND AMENDED EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENT (this "<u>Agreement</u>") is made and entered into as of September 27, 2010 and restates and amends the Restated and Amended Employment Agreement made as of July 22, 2010 (the "<u>Prior Agreement</u>") by and between Steven C. Quay, M.D., Ph.D., an individual ("<u>Employee</u>"), and Atossa Genetics, Inc. a Delaware corporation, having its principal office at 4105 E. Madison Street, Suite 320, Seattle, WA 98112 (the "<u>Company</u>", and collectively with Employee referred to herein as the "<u>Parties</u>," and individually, as a "<u>Party</u>").

RECITALS

Whereas, the Company is engaged in the commercialization of a patented, FDA approved non-invasive test for the detection of pre-cancerous conditions that may lead to breast cancer;

Whereas, the Company has not yet completed development of its infrastructure and is in need of capital, management, infrastructure, accounting and various other critical elements including management and negotiations with sophisticated corporate entities and organizations;

Whereas, Employee is a founder of the Company;

Whereas, Employee desires to be employed by Company and Company desires to employ the Employee on the terms provided herein;

Whereas, the Employee and the Company desire to amend and restate the Prior Agreement and to accept the terms and conditions hereof in lieu of the terms and conditions provided under the Prior Agreement.

AGREEMENT

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual promises and agreements contained herein, the Parties agree as follows:

1. <u>Employment</u>. The Company hereby hires and employs Employee as Chief Executive Officer of the Company and Employee hereby accepts such employment with the Company on the terms and conditions set forth herein.

2. <u>Term & Position</u>.

(a) <u>Employment Term.</u> Subject to the terms and conditions set forth in Section 7 of this Agreement, the Employee and the Company shall each have the right to terminate Employee's employment hereunder. The term of Employee's employment hereunder is referred to herein as the "Employment Term."

- (b) <u>Position</u>. During the Employment Term, Employee shall be the Chief Executive Officer of the Company and shall be appointed Chairman of the Board of Directors.
- 3. <u>Duties and Responsibilities</u>. Employee shall serve the Company diligently and faithfully in the performance of his duties on the Company's behalf, which shall include duties and responsibilities as the Company may from time to time reasonably prescribe consistent with the duties and responsibilities of the Chief Executive Officer of the Company. Employee and the Board of Directors shall be responsible for strategy and tactics and for setting corporate goals during the Employment Term, as and if appropriate.
- 4. <u>Compensation</u>. For services rendered to the Company pursuant to this Agreement, Employee shall be entitled to receive the following cash and equity compensation:
 - (a) <u>Base Salary.</u> Employee shall be entitled to an initial base salary of \$250,000.00 per year, payable biweekly. The Company may elect to accrue payment of such base salary until the completion of a financing.
 - (b) <u>Bonus</u>. Employee shall be eligible to receive an annual cash performance bonus in an amount of up to 40% of his then-current base salary, subject to the achievement of goals established prospectively by the Compensation Committee of the board. The performance goals for 2010 will be set at the first board meeting following the completion of the Company's initial public offering.
 - (c) <u>Equity.</u> The Company will grant to Employee an option (the "<u>Option</u>") to purchase 565,833 shares of common stock at an exercise price per share equal to the fair market value per share on the date the option is granted, as determined by the Board of Directors. The Option will be subject to the terms and conditions applicable to options granted under an equity incentive plan to be adopted by the Board of Directors and stockholders of the Company (the "<u>Plan</u>"), and the applicable stock option agreement pursuant to the Plan, which will include the appropriate provisions contained in this Agreement. 25% of the shares of common stock underlying the option, or 141,458 shares, will vest on December 31, 2010, and the remaining 75%, or 424,375 shares, will vest in equal quarterly installments over the next three years, so long as Employee remains employed with the Company.
 - (d) <u>Change in Control</u>. In the event of a Change in Control (as defined below) during the Employment Term, Employee shall be entitled to receive a one-time bonus equal to 2.9 (two and nine-tenths) times his then-current base salary as set forth and determined above, or on any amendment to this Agreement, and all then-unvested shares of restricted stock, warrants and/or employee stock options, if any, then held by Employee shall accelerate and become fully vested as of immediately prior to the completion of the Change in Control. For purposes hereof, a "Change in Control" shall mean:

- (i) merger or consolidation in which (A) the Company is a constituent party or (B) a Subsidiary of the Company is a constituent party and the Company issues shares of its capital stock pursuant to such merger or consolidation, in each case except any such merger or consolidation involving the Company or a Subsidiary in which the shares of capital stock of the Company outstanding immediately prior to such merger or consolidation continue to represent, or are converted into or exchanged for shares of capital stock that represent, immediately following such merger or consolidation, at least a majority, by voting power, of the capital stock of (1) the surviving or resulting corporation or (2) if the surviving or resulting corporation is a wholly owned subsidiary of another corporation immediately following such merger or consolidation, the parent corporation of such surviving or resulting corporation; or
- (ii) the sale, lease, transfer, exclusive license or other disposition, in a single transaction or series of related transactions, by the Company or any Subsidiary of all or substantially all the assets of the Company and its Subsidiaries taken as a whole, except where such sale, lease, transfer, exclusive license or other disposition is to a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Company.
- 5. <u>Fringe Benefits.</u> During the Employment Term, the Company agrees to make available the following fringe benefits to Employee in accordance with the policies and plans adopted by the Company; said fringe benefits shall be no less favorable to the Employee than those provided to other key employees and officers of the Company. To the extent such benefits are based on length of service with the Company, Employee shall receive full credit for prior service with the Company.
 - (a) <u>Expenses</u>. Employee shall be expected to incur various business expenses and other out-of-pocket expenses customarily incurred by persons holding like positions, including but not limited to traveling, entertainment and similar expenses incurred by Employee in the performance of Employee's services for the benefit of the Company. Company shall reimburse Employee for all reasonable business expenses incurred or paid by Employee upon presentation of documentation reasonably acceptable to the Company and subject to any reimbursement policy adopted by the Company.
 - (b) <u>Health Insurance</u>. Participation in health, hospitalization, disability, dental and other insurance plans that the Company may have in effect for other executives, all of which shall be paid for by the Company with contribution by the Employee as set for the other executives, as and if appropriate.
 - (c) <u>Vacation</u>. Employee shall be entitled to six weeks of paid vacation per year for each full year of employment and pro rata for each partial year. Vacation time not taken during a calendar year is not accrued to the next calendar year.
- 6. <u>Termination</u>. Either the Company or Employee may terminate Employee's employment by the Company at the end of any calendar month, with or without "Cause" or "Good Reason" (as such terms are defined below), in its or his sole discretion, upon thirty (30) days' prior written notice of termination. In addition, Employee's employment by the Company shall terminate upon the death or Disability (as defined below) of Employee. Termination of Executive's employment as provided for herein shall terminate the Employment Term. For purposes of this Agreement, in the case of a termination of Employee's employment hereunder, the following terms shall have the following meanings:

- (a) "Good Reason" shall mean the Employee has complied with the Good Reason Process (as defined below) following the occurrence of any of the following events: (i) a material diminution in Employee's responsibilities, authority or duties at the Company that constitutes a demotion or (ii) a material diminution in Employee's base salary (other than a general reduction applicable to all executive employees of the Company) (each, a "Good Reason Condition").
- (b) "Good Reason Process" means that (i) Employee reasonably determines in good faith that a Good Reason Condition has occurred, (ii) Employee notifies the Company in writing of the occurrence of the Good Reason Condition within 60 days after the first occurrence of such condition; (iii) Employee cooperates in good faith with the Company's efforts, for a period not less than 30 days following such notice (the "Cure Period"), to remedy the Good Reason Condition; (iv) notwithstanding such efforts, the Good Reason Condition continues to exist; and (v) Employee terminates his employment within 60 days after the end of the Cure Period. If the Company cures the Good Reason Condition during the Cure Period, Good Reason will be deemed not to have occurred.
- (c) "Cause" shall mean: (i) Employee's willful and repeated failure reasonably to perform his duties hereunder or to comply with any reasonable and proper direction given by the Board if such failure of performance or compliance is not cured within thirty (30) days following receipt by Employee of written notice from the Company containing a description of such failures and non-compliance and a demand for immediate cure thereof; (B) Employee being found guilty in a criminal court of an offense involving moral turpitude; (C) Employee's commission of any material act of fraud or theft against the Company; or (D) Employee's material violation of any of the material terms, covenants, representations or warranties contained in this Agreement if such violation is not cured within thirty (30) days following receipt by Employee of written notice from the Company containing a description of the violation and a demand for immediate cure thereof.
- (d) "<u>Disability</u>" shall mean total and permanent disability as defined in Section 22(e)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended.

Severance. Subject to Section 6 hereof, if (i) the Company terminates the employment of Employee without Cause, or (ii) Employee terminates his employment for Good Reason, then Employee shall be entitled to receive all of his accrued and then-unpaid base salary, any bonus cash compensation earned by Employee through the effective date of termination (determined at the maximum annual rate for bonus cash compensation provided for above but on a prorated basis for the portion of the fiscal year that shall have elapsed when the termination occurs). In addition, subject to Employee's execution and nonrevocation of an agreement containing a release of any and all legal claims and other termination-related provisions in a form acceptable to the Company (the "Separation Agreement"), Employee shall be entitled to receive upon such termination an additional cash payment in the amount of twelve (12) months of such base salary (the "Severance Payment"), and notwithstanding the vesting and exercisability provisions otherwise applicable to the options issued to Employee under prior agreements, the vesting of all shares of common stock underlying such options shall accelerate as of the effective date of such termination, and such options shall remain exercisable for the remainder of their terms. The Company shall pay the Severance Payment in substantially equal installments over six (6) months (the "Severance Benefits Period") in accordance with the Company's standard payroll practice, in arrears beginning on the first payroll date that occurs following the thirtieth (30th) day after the date on which Employee's employment with the Company terminates; provided, that prior to such date, the Separation Agreement becomes effective. Solely for purposes of Section 409A of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the "Code"), each installment of the Severance Payment will be considered a separate payment. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Company shall not be required to pay any severance pay for any period following the effective date of termination of Employee's employment hereunder if Employee shall have materially violated the provisions of Sections 3, 8, 10 or 11 of this Agreement and such violation is not cured within thirty (30) days following receipt of written notice from the Company containing a description of the violation and a demand for immediate cure.

8. <u>Noncompetition and Non-Solicitation Commitment</u>. Employee hereby agrees as follows:

- (a) Agreement Not to Compete. Employee hereby covenants, and agrees that, during the Employment Term and for a period of twelve (12) months thereafter, he shall not within the United States directly or indirectly in any manner or capacity (whether alone or as a partner, joint venturer, stockholder or investor, creditor, principal, agent, advisor, employee, officer, director, licensor, licensee, salesman, broker or representative, for any "Person" (defined as any individual, corporation (including any non-profit corporation), general, limited or limited liability partnership, limited liability company, joint venture, estate, trust, association, organization, or other entity or governmental body), or through any agency or by any other means whatsoever) engage in the Business of the Company or any Subsidiary, except for on behalf of the Company or its affiliates. For purposes of the foregoing, the "Business of the Company," from time to time means the Company's business as is described in Part I, Item 1 ("Description of Business") of the Company's then most recent Annual Report on Form 10-K filed with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission, and the term "Subsidiary" means a corporation or other entity that is at least majority owned, directly or indirectly, by the Company.
- (b) <u>No Interference</u>. Employee shall not take any action to interfere with the relationships between the Company and its Affiliates, on the one hand, and their customers on the other, during the Non-Compete Period.
- (c) <u>Indirect Competition</u>. Employee further agrees that, during the Non-Compete Period, he shall not, directly or indirectly, assist or encourage any other Person in carrying out, directly or indirectly, any activity that would be prohibited by the foregoing provisions of this Section <u>8</u> if such activity were carried out by Employee.
- (d) <u>No Solicitation</u>. Employee agrees that during the Non-Compete Period, he will not, directly or indirectly, on behalf of himself or any other Person, solicit the hiring of or hire, on any basis, any Person employed by the Company or its Affiliates at the time of such solicitation.

9. Reasonable Restriction; Limits on Enforcement.

- (a) The parties hereto agree that the restrictions on the activities and business of Employee provided for in this Agreement, and the duration and territorial scope thereof, are, under all circumstances, reasonable and necessary to safeguard the interests of the Company and its Affiliates and to protect the goodwill acquired pursuant thereto.
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[SIGNATURE PAGE FOLLOWS]

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Atossa C	Genetics, Inc.			
Ву:	/s/ John Barnhart John Barnhart Director, Board of Directors	Ву:	/s/ Steven C. Quay Steven C. Quay, M.D., Ph.D.	
[SIGNATURE PAGE TO EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENT]				

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this Agreement as of September 27, 2010.

RESTATED AND AMENDED EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENT

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RECITALS

Whereas, the Company is engaged in the commercialization of a patented, FDA approved non-invasive test for the detection of pre-cancerous conditions that may lead to breast cancer;

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AGREEMENT

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual promises and agreements contained herein, the Parties agree as follows:

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(a) <u>Employment Term.</u> Subject to the terms and conditions set forth in Section 7 of this Agreement, the Employee and the Company shall each have the right to terminate Employee's employment hereunder. The term of Employee's employment hereunder is referred to herein as the "Employment Term."

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- (b) Anything in this Agreement to the contrary notwithstanding, if at the time of Employee's "separation from service" within the meaning of Section 409A of the Code, the Company determines that Employee is a "specified employee" within the meaning of Section 409A(a)(2)(B) (i) of the Code, then to the extent any payment or benefit that Employee becomes entitled to under this Agreement on account of her separation from service would be considered deferred compensation subject to the 20 percent additional tax imposed pursuant to Section 409A(a) of the Code as a result of the application of Section 409A(a)(2)(B)(i) of the Code, such payment shall not be payable and such benefit shall not be provided until the date that is the earlier of (A) six months and one day after Employee's separation from service or (B) Employee's death. If any such delayed cash payment is otherwise payable on an installment basis, the first payment shall include a catch-up payment covering amounts that would otherwise have been paid during the six-month period but for the application of this provision, and the balance of the installments will be payable in accordance with their original schedule.
- (c) To the extent that any payment or benefit described in this Agreement constitutes "non-qualified deferred compensation" under Section 409A of the Code, and to the extent that such payment or benefit is payable upon Employee's termination of employment, then such payments or benefits shall be payable only upon Employee's "separation from service." The determination of whether and when a separation from service has occurred shall be made in accordance with the presumptions set forth in Treasury Regulation Section 1.409A 1(h).

(d) All in-kind benefits provided and expenses eligible for reimbursement under this Agreement shall be provided by the Company or
incurred by Employee during the time periods set forth in this Agreement. All reimbursements shall be paid as soon as administratively practicable, be
in no event shall any reimbursement be paid after the last day of the taxable year following the taxable year in which the expense was incurred. The
amount of in-kind benefits provided or reimbursable expenses incurred in one taxable year shall not affect the in-kind benefits to be provided or the
expenses eligible for reimbursement in any other taxable year. Such right to reimbursement or in-kind benefits is not subject to liquidation or exchange
for another benefit.

24. <u>Counterparts and Electronic Signatures</u>. This Agreement may be executed in two or more counterparts and by facsimile or any electronic means, each of which shall be deemed an original but all of which together shall constitute one and the same Agreement.

[SIGNATURE PAGE FOLLOWS]

	IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this Agreement as of September 27, 2010.					
COMPANY:		EMPLOYEE:				
Atossa (Genetics, Inc.					
Ву:	/s/ John Barnhart John Barnhart Director, Board of Directors	Ву:	/s/ Shu-Chih Chen Shu-Chih Chen, Ph.D.			
[SIGNATURE PAGE TO EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENT]						

ATOSSA GENETICS INC.

2010 STOCK OPTION AND INCENTIVE PLAN

SECTION 1. GENERAL PURPOSE OF THE PLAN; DEFINITIONS

The name of the plan is the Atossa Genetics Inc. 2010 Stock Option and Incentive Plan (the "Plan"). The purpose of the Plan is to encourage and enable the officers, employees, Non-Employee Directors and other key persons (including Consultants and prospective employees) of Atossa Genetics Inc. (the "Company") and its Subsidiaries upon whose judgment, initiative and efforts the Company largely depends for the successful conduct of its business to acquire a proprietary interest in the Company. It is anticipated that providing such persons with a direct stake in the Company's welfare will assure a closer identification of their interests with those of the Company and its stockholders, thereby stimulating their efforts on the Company's behalf and strengthening their desire to remain with the Company.

The following terms shall be defined as set forth below:

- "Act" means the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and the rules and regulations thereunder.
- "Administrator" means either the Board or the compensation committee of the Board or a similar committee performing the functions of the compensation committee and which is comprised of not less than two Non-Employee Directors who are independent.
- "Award" or "Awards," except where referring to a particular category of grant under the Plan, shall include Incentive Stock Options, Non-Qualified Stock Options, Stock Appreciation Rights, Restricted Stock Units, Restricted Stock Awards, Unrestricted Stock Awards, Cash-Based Awards, Performance Share Awards and Dividend Equivalent Rights.
- "Award Certificate" means a written or electronic document setting forth the terms and provisions applicable to an Award granted under the Plan. Each Award Certificate is subject to the terms and conditions of the Plan.
 - "Board" means the Board of Directors of the Company.
 - "Cash-Based Award" means an Award entitling the recipient to receive a cash-denominated payment.
 - "Code" means the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, and any successor Code, and related rules, regulations and interpretations.
- "Consultant" means any natural person that provides bona fide services to the Company, and such services are not in connection with the offer or sale of securities in a capital-raising transaction and do not directly or indirectly promote or maintain a market for the Company's securities.

- "Covered Employee" means an employee who is a "Covered Employee" within the meaning of Section 162(m) of the Code.
- "Dividend Equivalent Right" means an Award entitling the grantee to receive credits based on cash dividends that would have been paid on the shares of Stock specified in the Dividend Equivalent Right (or other award to which it relates) if such shares had been issued to and held by the grantee.
 - "Effective Date" means the date on which the Plan is approved by stockholders as set forth in Section 21.
 - "Exchange Act" means the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and the rules and regulations thereunder.
- "Fair Market Value" of the Stock on any given date means the fair market value of the Stock determined in good faith by the Administrator; provided, however, that if the Stock is admitted to quotation on the National Association of Securities Dealers Automated Quotation System ("NASDAQ"), NASDAQ Global Market or another national securities exchange, the determination shall be made by reference to market quotations. If there are no market quotations for such date, the determination shall be made by reference to the last date preceding such date for which there are market quotations; provided further, however, that if the date for which Fair Market Value is determined is the first day when trading prices for the Stock are reported on a national securities exchange, the Fair Market Value shall be the "Price to the Public" (or equivalent) set forth on the cover page for the final prospectus relating to the Company's Initial Public Offering.
 - "Incentive Stock Option" means any Stock Option designated and qualified as an "incentive stock option" as defined in Section 422 of the Code.
- "Initial Public Offering" means the consummation of the first fully underwritten, firm commitment public offering pursuant to an effective registration statement under the Act covering the offer and sale by the Company of its equity securities, or such other event as a result of or following which the Stock shall be publicly held.
 - "Non-Employee Director" means a member of the Board who is not also an employee of the Company or any Subsidiary.
 - "Non-Qualified Stock Option" means any Stock Option that is not an Incentive Stock Option.
 - "Option" or "Stock Option" means any option to purchase shares of Stock granted pursuant to Section 5.
- "Performance-Based Award" means any Restricted Stock Award, Restricted Stock Units, Performance Share Award or Cash-Based Award granted to a Covered Employee that is intended to qualify as "performance-based compensation" under Section 162(m) of the Code and the regulations promulgated thereunder.

"Performance Criteria" means the criteria that the Administrator selects for purposes of establishing the Performance Goal or Performance Goals for an individual for a Performance Cycle. The Performance Criteria (which shall be applicable to the organizational level specified by the Administrator, including, but not limited to, the Company or a unit, division, group, or Subsidiary of the Company) that will be used to establish Performance Goals are limited to the following: earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization, net income (loss) (either before or after interest, taxes, depreciation and/or amortization), changes in the market price of the Stock, economic value-added, funds from operations or similar measure, sales or revenue, acquisitions or strategic transactions, operating income (loss), cash flow (including, but not limited to, operating cash flow and free cash flow), return on capital, assets, equity, or investment, stockholder returns, return on sales, gross or net profit levels, productivity, expense, margins, operating efficiency, customer satisfaction, working capital, earnings (loss) per share of Stock, sales or market shares and number of customers, any of which may be measured either in absolute terms or as compared to any incremental increase or as compared to results of a peer group.

"Performance Cycle" means one or more periods of time, which may be of varying and overlapping durations, as the Administrator may select, over which the attainment of one or more Performance Criteria will be measured for the purpose of determining a grantee's right to and the payment of a Restricted Stock Award, Restricted Stock Units, Performance Share Award or Cash-Based Award. Each such period shall not be less than 12 months.

"*Performance Goals*" means, for a Performance Cycle, the specific goals established in writing by the Administrator for a Performance Cycle based upon the Performance Criteria.

"Performance Share Award" means an Award entitling the recipient to acquire shares of Stock upon the attainment of specified Performance Goals.

"Restricted Stock Award" means an Award entitling the recipient to acquire, at such purchase price (which may be zero) as determined by the Administrator, shares of Stock subject to such restrictions and conditions as the Administrator may determine at the time of grant.

"Restricted Stock Units" means an Award of phantom stock units to a grantee.

"Sale Event" shall mean (i) the sale of all or substantially all of the assets of the Company on a consolidated basis to an unrelated person or entity, (ii) a merger, reorganization or consolidation pursuant to which the holders of the Company's outstanding voting power immediately prior to such transaction do not own a majority of the outstanding voting power of the resulting or successor entity (or its ultimate parent, if applicable) immediately upon completion of such transaction, (iii) the sale of all of the Stock of the Company to an unrelated person or entity, or (iv) any other transaction in which the owners of the Company's outstanding voting power prior to such transaction do not own at least a majority of the outstanding voting power of the Company or any successor entity immediately upon completion of the transaction other than as a result of the acquisition of securities directly from the Company.

"Sale Price" means the value as determined by the Administrator of the consideration payable, or otherwise to be received by stockholders, per share of Stock pursuant to a Sale Event.

"Section 409A" means Section 409A of the Code and the regulations and other guidance promulgated thereunder.

"Stock" means the Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share, of the Company, subject to adjustments pursuant to Section 3.

"Stock Appreciation Right" means an Award entitling the recipient to receive shares of Stock having a value equal to the excess of the Fair Market Value of the Stock on the date of exercise over the exercise price of the Stock Appreciation Right multiplied by the number of shares of Stock with respect to which the Stock Appreciation Right shall have been exercised.

"Subsidiary" means any corporation or other entity (other than the Company) in which the Company has at least a 50 percent interest, either directly or indirectly.

"Ten Percent Owner" means an employee who owns or is deemed to own (by reason of the attribution rules of Section 424(d) of the Code) more than 10 percent of the combined voting power of all classes of stock of the Company or any parent or subsidiary corporation.

"Unrestricted Stock Award" means an Award of shares of Stock free of any restrictions.

SECTION 2. ADMINISTRATION OF PLAN; ADMINISTRATOR AUTHORITY TO SELECT GRANTEES AND DETERMINE AWARDS

- (a) <u>Administration of Plan</u>. The Plan shall be administered by the Administrator.
- (b) <u>Powers of Administrator</u>. The Administrator shall have the power and authority to grant Awards consistent with the terms of the Plan, including the power and authority:
 - (i) to select the individuals to whom Awards may from time to time be granted;
- (ii) to determine the time or times of grant, and the extent, if any, of Incentive Stock Options, Non-Qualified Stock Options, Stock Appreciation Rights, Restricted Stock Awards, Restricted Stock Units, Unrestricted Stock Awards, Cash-Based Awards, Performance Share Awards and Dividend Equivalent Rights, or any combination of the foregoing, granted to any one or more grantees;
 - (iii) to determine the number of shares of Stock to be covered by any Award;
- (iv) to determine and modify from time to time the terms and conditions, including restrictions, not inconsistent with the terms of the Plan, of any Award, which terms and conditions may differ among individual Awards and grantees, and to approve the forms of Award Certificates;

- (v) to accelerate at any time the exercisability or vesting of all or any portion of any Award;
- (vi) subject to the provisions of Section 5(b), to extend at any time the period in which Stock Options may be exercised; and
- (vii) at any time to adopt, alter and repeal such rules, guidelines and practices for administration of the Plan and for its own acts and proceedings as it shall deem advisable; to interpret the terms and provisions of the Plan and any Award (including related written instruments); to make all determinations it deems advisable for the administration of the Plan; to decide all disputes arising in connection with the Plan; and to otherwise supervise the administration of the Plan.

All decisions and interpretations of the Administrator shall be binding on all persons, including the Company and Plan grantees.

- (c) <u>Award Certificate</u>. Awards under the Plan shall be evidenced by Award Certificates that set forth the terms, conditions and limitations for each Award which may include, without limitation, the term of an Award and the provisions applicable in the event employment or service terminates.
- (d) <u>Indemnification</u>. Neither the Board nor the Administrator, nor any member of either or any delegate thereof, shall be liable for any act, omission, interpretation, construction or determination made in good faith in connection with the Plan, and the members of the Board and the Administrator (and any delegate thereof) shall be entitled in all cases to indemnification and reimbursement by the Company in respect of any claim, loss, damage or expense (including, without limitation, reasonable attorneys' fees) arising or resulting therefrom to the fullest extent permitted by law and/or under the Company's articles or bylaws or any directors' and officers' liability insurance coverage which may be in effect from time to time and/or any indemnification agreement between such individual and the Company.
- (e) <u>Foreign Award Recipients</u>. Notwithstanding any provision of the Plan to the contrary, in order to comply with the laws in other countries in which the Company and its Subsidiaries operate or have employees or other individuals eligible for Awards, the Administrator, in its sole discretion, shall have the power and authority to: (i) determine which Subsidiaries shall be covered by the Plan; (ii) determine which individuals outside the United States are eligible to participate in the Plan; (iii) modify the terms and conditions of any Award granted to individuals outside the United States to comply with applicable foreign laws; (iv) establish subplans and modify exercise procedures and other terms and procedures, to the extent the Administrator determines such actions to be necessary or advisable (and such subplans and/or modifications shall be attached to this Plan as appendices); provided, however, that no such subplans and/or modifications shall increase the share limitations contained in Section 3(a) hereof; and (v) take any action, before or after an Award is made, that the Administrator determines to be necessary or advisable to obtain approval or comply with any local governmental regulatory exemptions or approvals. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Administrator may not take any actions hereunder, and no Awards shall be granted, that would violate the Exchange Act or any other applicable United States securities law, the Code, or any other applicable United States governing statute or law.

SECTION 3. STOCK ISSUABLE UNDER THE PLAN; MERGERS; SUBSTITUTION

- (a) Stock Issuable. The maximum number of shares of Stock reserved and available for issuance under the Plan shall be 2,263,320 shares (the "Initial Limit"), subject to adjustment as provided in Section 3(b), plus on January 1, 2012 and each January 1 thereafter, the number of shares of Stock reserved and available for issuance under the Plan shall be cumulatively increased by 4 percent (4%) of the number of shares of Stock issued and outstanding on the immediately preceding December 31 (the "Annual Increase"). Subject to such overall limitation, the maximum aggregate number of shares of Stock that may be issued in the form of Incentive Stock Options shall not exceed the Initial Limit cumulatively increased on January 1, 2012 and on each January 1 thereafter by the lesser of the Annual Increase for such year or 50% of the Initial Limit, subject in all cases to adjustment as provided in Section 3(b). For purposes of this limitation, the shares of Stock underlying any Awards that are forfeited, canceled, held back upon exercise of an Option or settlement of an Award to cover the exercise price or tax withholding, reacquired by the Company prior to vesting, satisfied without the issuance of Stock or otherwise terminated (other than by exercise) shall be added back to the shares of Stock available for issuance under the Plan. In the event the Company repurchases shares of Stock on the open market, such shares shall not be added to the shares of Stock available for issuance under the Plan. Subject to such overall limitations, shares of Stock may be issued up to such maximum number pursuant to any type or types of Award; provided, however, that Stock Options or Stock Appreciation Rights with respect to no more than 50% of the Initial Limit may be granted to any one individual grantee during any one calendar year period. The shares available for issuance under the Plan may be authorized but unissued shares of Stock or shares of Stock reacquired by the Company.
- Changes in Stock. Subject to Section 3(c) hereof, if, as a result of any reorganization, recapitalization, reclassification, stock dividend, stock split, reverse stock split or other similar change in the Company's capital stock, the outstanding shares of Stock are increased or decreased or are exchanged for a different number or kind of shares or other securities of the Company, or additional shares or new or different shares or other securities of the Company or other non-cash assets are distributed with respect to such shares of Stock or other securities, or, if, as a result of any merger or consolidation, sale of all or substantially all of the assets of the Company, the outstanding shares of Stock are converted into or exchanged for securities of the Company or any successor entity (or a parent or subsidiary thereof), the Administrator shall make an appropriate or proportionate adjustment in (i) the maximum number of shares reserved for issuance under the Plan, including the maximum number of shares that may be issued in the form of Incentive Stock Options, (ii) the number of Stock Options or Stock Appreciation Rights that can be granted to any one individual grantee and the maximum number of shares that may be granted under a Performance-Based Award, (iii) the number and kind of shares or other securities subject to any then outstanding Awards under the Plan, (iv) the repurchase price, if any, per share subject to each outstanding Restricted Stock Award, and (v) the exercise price for each share subject to any then outstanding Stock Options and Stock Appreciation Rights under the Plan, without changing the aggregate exercise price (i.e., the exercise price multiplied by the number of Stock Options and Stock Appreciation Rights) as to which such Stock Options and Stock Appreciation Rights remain exercisable. The Administrator shall also make equitable or proportionate adjustments in the number of shares subject to outstanding Awards and the exercise price and the terms of outstanding Awards to take into consideration cash dividends paid other than in the ordinary course or any other extraordinary corporate event. The adjustment by the Administrator shall be final, binding and conclusive. No fractional shares of Stock shall be issued under the Plan resulting from any such adjustment, but the Administrator in its discretion may make a cash payment in lieu of fractional shares.

- (c) Mergers and Other Transactions. Except as the Administrator may otherwise specify with respect to particular Awards in the relevant Award Certificate, in the case of and subject to the consummation of a Sale Event, the Plan and all outstanding Awards granted hereunder shall terminate, unless provision is made in connection with the Sale Event in the sole discretion of the parties thereto for the assumption or continuation of Awards theretofore granted by the successor entity, or the substitution of such Awards with new Awards of the successor entity or parent thereof, with appropriate adjustment as to the number and kind of shares and, if appropriate, the per share exercise prices, as such parties shall agree (after taking into account any acceleration hereunder). In the event of such termination, (i) the Company shall have the option (in its sole discretion) to make or provide for a cash payment to the grantees holding Options and Stock Appreciation Rights, in exchange for the cancellation thereof, in an amount equal to the difference between (A) the Sale Price multiplied by the number of shares of Stock subject to outstanding Options and Stock Appreciation Rights (to the extent then exercisable (after taking into account any acceleration hereunder) at prices not in excess of the Sale Price) and (B) the aggregate exercise price of all such outstanding Options and Stock Appreciation Rights; or (ii) each grantee shall be permitted, within a specified period of time prior to the consummation of the Sale Event as determined by the Administrator, to exercise all outstanding Options and Stock Appreciation Rights held by such grantee. The Administrator shall also have the discretion to accelerate the vesting of all other Awards.
- (d) <u>Substitute Awards</u>. The Administrator may grant Awards under the Plan in substitution for stock and stock based awards held by employees, directors or other key persons of another corporation in connection with the merger or consolidation of the employing corporation with the Company or a Subsidiary or the acquisition by the Company or a Subsidiary of property or stock of the employing corporation. The Administrator may direct that the substitute awards be granted on such terms and conditions as the Administrator considers appropriate in the circumstances. Any substitute Awards granted under the Plan shall not count against the share limitation set forth in Section 3(a).

SECTION 4. ELIGIBILITY

Grantees under the Plan will be such full or part-time officers and other employees, Non-Employee Directors and key persons (including Consultants and prospective employees) of the Company and its Subsidiaries as are selected from time to time by the Administrator in its sole discretion.

SECTION 5. STOCK OPTIONS

Any Stock Option granted under the Plan shall be in such form as the Administrator may from time to time approve.

Stock Options granted under the Plan may be either Incentive Stock Options or Non-Qualified Stock Options. Incentive Stock Options may be granted only to employees of the Company or any Subsidiary that is a "subsidiary corporation" within the meaning of Section 424(f) of the Code. To the extent that any Option does not qualify as an Incentive Stock Option, it shall be deemed a Non-Qualified Stock Option.

Stock Options granted pursuant to this Section 5 shall be subject to the following terms and conditions and shall contain such additional terms and conditions, not inconsistent with the terms of the Plan, as the Administrator shall deem desirable. If the Administrator so determines, Stock Options may be granted in lieu of cash compensation at the optionee's election, subject to such terms and conditions as the Administrator may establish.

- (a) <u>Exercise Price</u>. The exercise price per share for the Stock covered by a Stock Option granted pursuant to this Section 5 shall be determined by the Administrator at the time of grant but shall not be less than 100 percent of the Fair Market Value on the date of grant. In the case of an Incentive Stock Option that is granted to a Ten Percent Owner, the option price of such Incentive Stock Option shall be not less than 110 percent of the Fair Market Value on the grant date.
- (b) Option Term. The term of each Stock Option shall be fixed by the Administrator, but no Stock Option shall be exercisable more than ten years after the date the Stock Option is granted. In the case of an Incentive Stock Option that is granted to a Ten Percent Owner, the term of such Stock Option shall be no more than five years from the date of grant.
- (c) <u>Exercisability; Rights of a Stockholder</u>. Stock Options shall become exercisable at such time or times, whether or not in installments, as shall be determined by the Administrator at or after the grant date. The Administrator may at any time accelerate the exercisability of all or any portion of any Stock Option. An optionee shall have the rights of a stockholder only as to shares acquired upon the exercise of a Stock Option and not as to unexercised Stock Options.
- (d) <u>Method of Exercise</u>. Stock Options may be exercised in whole or in part, by giving written or electronic notice of exercise to the Company, specifying the number of shares to be purchased. Payment of the purchase price may be made by one or more of the following methods to the extent provided in the Option Award Certificate:
 - (i) In cash, by certified or bank check or other instrument acceptable to the Administrator;
- (ii) Through the delivery (or attestation to the ownership) of shares of Stock that have been purchased by the optionee on the open market or that have been beneficially owned by the optionee for at least six months and that are not then subject to restrictions under any Company plan. Such surrendered shares shall be valued at Fair Market Value on the exercise date;

- (iii) By the optionee delivering to the Company a properly executed exercise notice together with irrevocable instructions to a broker to promptly deliver to the Company cash or a check payable and acceptable to the Company for the purchase price; provided that in the event the optionee chooses to pay the purchase price as so provided, the optionee and the broker shall comply with such procedures and enter into such agreements of indemnity and other agreements as the Administrator shall prescribe as a condition of such payment procedure; or
- (iv) With respect to Stock Options that are not Incentive Stock Options, by a "net exercise" arrangement pursuant to which the Company will reduce the number of shares of Stock issuable upon exercise by the largest whole number of shares with a Fair Market Value that does not exceed the aggregate exercise price.

Payment instruments will be received subject to collection. The transfer to the optionee on the records of the Company or of the transfer agent of the shares of Stock to be purchased pursuant to the exercise of a Stock Option will be contingent upon receipt from the optionee (or a purchaser acting in his stead in accordance with the provisions of the Stock Option) by the Company of the full purchase price for such shares and the fulfillment of any other requirements contained in the Option Award Certificate or applicable provisions of laws (including the satisfaction of any withholding taxes that the Company is obligated to withhold with respect to the optionee). In the event an optionee chooses to pay the purchase price by previously-owned shares of Stock through the attestation method, the number of shares of Stock transferred to the optionee upon the exercise of the Stock Option shall be net of the number of attested shares. In the event that the Company establishes, for itself or using the services of a third party, an automated system for the exercise of Stock Options, such as a system using an internet website or interactive voice response, then the paperless exercise of Stock Options may be permitted through the use of such an automated system.

(e) <u>Annual Limit on Incentive Stock Options</u>. To the extent required for "incentive stock option" treatment under Section 422 of the Code, the aggregate Fair Market Value (determined as of the time of grant) of the shares of Stock with respect to which Incentive Stock Options granted under this Plan and any other plan of the Company or its parent and subsidiary corporations become exercisable for the first time by an optionee during any calendar year shall not exceed \$100,000. To the extent that any Stock Option exceeds this limit, it shall constitute a Non-Qualified Stock Option.

SECTION 6. STOCK APPRECIATION RIGHTS

- (a) Exercise Price of Stock Appreciation Rights. The exercise price of a Stock Appreciation Right shall not be less than 100 percent of the Fair Market Value of the Stock on the date of grant.
- (b) <u>Grant and Exercise of Stock Appreciation Rights</u>. Stock Appreciation Rights may be granted by the Administrator independently of any Stock Option granted pursuant to Section 5 of the Plan.

(c) <u>Terms and Conditions of Stock Appreciation Rights</u>. Stock Appreciation Rights shall be subject to such terms and conditions as shall be determined from time to time by the Administrator. The term of a Stock Appreciation Right may not exceed ten years.

SECTION 7. RESTRICTED STOCK AWARDS

- (a) <u>Nature of Restricted Stock Awards</u>. The Administrator shall determine the restrictions and conditions applicable to each Restricted Stock Award at the time of grant. Conditions may be based on continuing employment (or other service relationship) and/or achievement of pre-established performance goals and objectives. The terms and conditions of each such Award Certificate shall be determined by the Administrator, and such terms and conditions may differ among individual Awards and grantees.
- (b) Rights as a Stockholder. Upon the grant of the Restricted Stock Award and payment of any applicable purchase price, a grantee shall have the rights of a stockholder with respect to the voting of the Restricted Stock, subject to such conditions contained in the Restricted Stock Award Certificate. Unless the Administrator shall otherwise determine, (i) uncertificated Restricted Stock shall be accompanied by a notation on the records of the Company or the transfer agent to the effect that they are subject to forfeiture until such Restricted Stock are vested as provided in Section 7(d) below, and (ii) certificated Restricted Stock shall remain in the possession of the Company until such Restricted Stock is vested as provided in Section 7(d) below, and the grantee shall be required, as a condition of the grant, to deliver to the Company such instruments of transfer as the Administrator may prescribe.
- (c) Restrictions. Restricted Stock may not be sold, assigned, transferred, pledged or otherwise encumbered or disposed of except as specifically provided herein or in the Restricted Stock Award Certificate. Except as may otherwise be provided by the Administrator either in the Award Certificate or, subject to Section 18 below, in writing after the Award is issued, if a grantee's employment (or other service relationship) with the Company and its Subsidiaries terminates for any reason, any Restricted Stock that has not vested at the time of termination shall automatically and without any requirement of notice to such grantee from or other action by or on behalf of, the Company be deemed to have been reacquired by the Company at its original purchase price (if any) from such grantee or such grantee's legal representative simultaneously with such termination of employment (or other service relationship), and thereafter shall cease to represent any ownership of the Company by the grantee or rights of the grantee as a stockholder. Following such deemed reacquisition of unvested Restricted Stock that are represented by physical certificates, a grantee shall surrender such certificates to the Company upon request without consideration.
- (d) <u>Vesting of Restricted Stock</u>. The Administrator at the time of grant shall specify the date or dates and/or the attainment of pre-established performance goals, objectives and other conditions on which the non-transferability of the Restricted Stock and the Company's right of repurchase or forfeiture shall lapse. Subsequent to such date or dates and/or the attainment of such pre-established performance goals, objectives and other conditions, the shares on which all restrictions have lapsed shall no longer be Restricted Stock and shall be deemed "vested." Except as may otherwise be provided by the Administrator either in the Award Certificate or, subject to Section 18 below, in writing after the Award is issued, a grantee's rights in any shares of Restricted Stock that have not vested shall automatically terminate upon the grantee's termination of employment (or other service relationship) with the Company and its Subsidiaries and such shares shall be subject to the provisions of Section 7(c) above.

SECTION 8. RESTRICTED STOCK UNITS

- (a) Nature of Restricted Stock Units. The Administrator shall determine the restrictions and conditions applicable to each Restricted Stock Unit at the time of grant. Conditions may be based on continuing employment (or other service relationship) and/or achievement of pre-established performance goals and objectives. The terms and conditions of each such Award Certificate shall be determined by the Administrator, and such terms and conditions may differ among individual Awards and grantees. At the end of the deferral period, the Restricted Stock Units, to the extent vested, shall be settled in the form of shares of Stock. To the extent that an award of Restricted Stock Units is subject to Section 409A, it may contain such additional terms and conditions as the Administrator shall determine in its sole discretion in order for such Award to comply with the requirements of Section 409A.
- (b) <u>Election to Receive Restricted Stock Units in Lieu of Compensation</u>. The Administrator may, in its sole discretion, permit a grantee to elect to receive a portion of future cash compensation otherwise due to such grantee in the form of an award of Restricted Stock Units. Any such election shall be made in writing and shall be delivered to the Company no later than the date specified by the Administrator and in accordance with Section 409A and such other rules and procedures established by the Administrator. Any such future cash compensation that the grantee elects to defer shall be converted to a fixed number of Restricted Stock Units based on the Fair Market Value of Stock on the date the compensation would otherwise have been paid to the grantee if such payment had not been deferred as provided herein. The Administrator shall have the sole right to determine whether and under what circumstances to permit such elections and to impose such limitations and other terms and conditions thereon as the Administrator deems appropriate. Any Restricted Stock Units that are elected to be received in lieu of cash compensation shall be fully vested, unless otherwise provided in the Award Certificate.
- (c) Rights as a Stockholder. A grantee shall have the rights as a stockholder only as to shares of Stock acquired by the grantee upon settlement of Restricted Stock Units; provided, however, that the grantee may be credited with Dividend Equivalent Rights with respect to the phantom stock units underlying his Restricted Stock Units, subject to such terms and conditions as the Administrator may determine.
- (d) <u>Termination</u>. Except as may otherwise be provided by the Administrator either in the Award Certificate or, subject to Section 18 below, in writing after the Award is issued, a grantee's right in all Restricted Stock Units that have not vested shall automatically terminate upon the grantee's termination of employment (or cessation of service relationship) with the Company and its Subsidiaries for any reason.

SECTION 9. UNRESTRICTED STOCK AWARDS

<u>Grant or Sale of Unrestricted Stock</u>. The Administrator may, in its sole discretion, grant (or sell at par value or such higher purchase price determined by the Administrator) an Unrestricted Stock Award under the Plan. Unrestricted Stock Awards may be granted in respect of past services or other valid consideration, or in lieu of cash compensation due to such grantee.

SECTION 10. CASH-BASED AWARDS

Grant of Cash-Based Awards. The Administrator may, in its sole discretion, grant Cash-Based Awards to any grantee in such number or amount and upon such terms, and subject to such conditions, as the Administrator shall determine at the time of grant. The Administrator shall determine the maximum duration of the Cash-Based Award, the amount of cash to which the Cash-Based Award pertains, the conditions upon which the Cash-Based Award shall become vested or payable, and such other provisions as the Administrator shall determine. Each Cash-Based Award shall specify a cash-denominated payment amount, formula or payment ranges as determined by the Administrator. Payment, if any, with respect to a Cash-Based Award shall be made in accordance with the terms of the Award and may be made in cash or in shares of Stock, as the Administrator determines.

SECTION 11. PERFORMANCE SHARE AWARDS

- (a) <u>Nature of Performance Share Awards</u>. The Administrator may, in its sole discretion, grant Performance Share Awards independent of, or in connection with, the granting of any other Award under the Plan. The Administrator shall determine whether and to whom Performance Share Awards shall be granted, the Performance Goals, the periods during which performance is to be measured, and such other limitations and conditions as the Administrator shall determine.
- (b) <u>Rights as a Stockholder</u>. A grantee receiving a Performance Share Award shall have the rights of a stockholder only as to shares actually received by the grantee under the Plan and not with respect to shares subject to the Award but not actually received by the grantee. A grantee shall be entitled to receive shares of Stock under a Performance Share Award only upon satisfaction of all conditions specified in the Performance Share Award Certificate (or in a performance plan adopted by the Administrator).
- (c) <u>Termination</u>. Except as may otherwise be provided by the Administrator either in the Award agreement or, subject to Section 18 below, in writing after the Award is issued, a grantee's rights in all Performance Share Awards shall automatically terminate upon the grantee's termination of employment (or cessation of service relationship) with the Company and its Subsidiaries for any reason.

SECTION 12. PERFORMANCE-BASED AWARDS TO COVERED EMPLOYEES

(a) Performance-Based Awards. Any employee or other key person providing services to the Company and who is selected by the Administrator may be granted one or more Performance-Based Awards in the form of a Restricted Stock Award, Restricted Stock Units, Performance Share Awards or Cash-Based Award payable upon the attainment of Performance Goals that are established by the Administrator and relate to one or more of the Performance Criteria, in each case on a specified date or dates or over any period or periods determined by the Administrator. The Administrator shall define in an objective fashion the manner of calculating the Performance Criteria it selects to use for any Performance Cycle. Depending on the Performance Criteria used to establish such Performance Goals, the Performance Goals may be expressed in terms of overall Company performance or the performance of a division, business unit, or an individual. The Administrator, in its discretion, may adjust or modify the calculation of Performance Goals for such Performance Cycle in order to prevent the dilution or enlargement of the rights of an individual (i) in the event of, or in anticipation of, any unusual or extraordinary corporate item, transaction, event or development, (ii) in recognition of, or in anticipation of, any other unusual or nonrecurring events affecting the Company, or the financial statements of the Company, or (iii) in response to, or in anticipation of, changes in applicable laws, regulations, accounting principles, or business conditions provided however, that the Administrator may not exercise such discretion in a manner that would increase the Performance-Based Award granted to a Covered Employee. Each Performance-Based Award shall comply with the provisions set forth below.

- (b) <u>Grant of Performance-Based Awards</u>. With respect to each Performance-Based Award granted to a Covered Employee, the Administrator shall select, within the first 90 days of a Performance Cycle (or, if shorter, within the maximum period allowed under Section 162(m) of the Code) the Performance Criteria for such grant, and the Performance Goals with respect to each Performance Criterion (including a threshold level of performance below which no amount will become payable with respect to such Award). Each Performance-Based Award will specify the amount payable, or the formula for determining the amount payable, upon achievement of the various applicable performance targets. The Performance Criteria established by the Administrator may be (but need not be) different for each Performance Cycle and different Performance Goals may be applicable to Performance-Based Awards to different Covered Employees.
- (c) <u>Payment of Performance-Based Awards</u>. Following the completion of a Performance Cycle, the Administrator shall meet to review and certify in writing whether, and to what extent, the Performance Goals for the Performance Cycle have been achieved and, if so, to also calculate and certify in writing the amount of the Performance-Based Awards earned for the Performance Cycle. The Administrator shall then determine the actual size of each Covered Employee's Performance-Based Award, and, in doing so, may reduce or eliminate the amount of the Performance-Based Award for a Covered Employee if, in its sole judgment, such reduction or elimination is appropriate.
- (d) <u>Maximum Award Payable</u>. The maximum Performance-Based Award payable to any one Covered Employee under the Plan for a Performance Cycle is up to 50% of the Initial Limit (subject to adjustment as provided in Section 3(b) hereof) or \$500,000 in the case of a Performance-Based Award that is a Cash-Based Award.

SECTION 13. <u>DIVIDEND EQUIVALENT RIGHTS</u>

(a) <u>Dividend Equivalent Rights</u>. A Dividend Equivalent Right may be granted hereunder to any grantee as a component of an award of Restricted Stock Units, Restricted Stock Award or Performance Share Award or as a freestanding award. The terms and conditions of Dividend Equivalent Rights shall be specified in the Award Certificate. Dividend equivalents credited to the holder of a Dividend Equivalent Right may be paid currently or may be deemed to be reinvested in additional shares of Stock, which may thereafter accrue additional equivalents. Any such reinvestment shall be at Fair Market Value on the date of reinvestment or such other price as may then apply under a dividend reinvestment plan sponsored by the Company, if any. Dividend Equivalent Rights may be settled in cash or shares of Stock or a combination thereof, in a single installment or installments. A Dividend Equivalent Right granted as a component of an award of Restricted Stock Units, Restricted Stock Award or Performance Share Award may provide that such Dividend Equivalent Right shall be settled upon settlement or payment of, or lapse of restrictions on, such other Award, and that such Dividend Equivalent Right shall expire or be forfeited or annulled under the same conditions as such other Award. A Dividend Equivalent Right granted as a component of a Restricted Stock Units, Restricted Stock Award or Performance Share Award may also contain terms and conditions different from such other Award.

- (b) <u>Interest Equivalents</u>. Any Award under this Plan that is settled in whole or in part in cash on a deferred basis may provide in the grant for interest equivalents to be credited with respect to such cash payment. Interest equivalents may be compounded and shall be paid upon such terms and conditions as may be specified by the grant.
- (c) <u>Termination</u>. Except as may otherwise be provided by the Administrator either in the Award Certificate or, subject to Section 18 below, in writing after the Award is issued, a grantee's rights in all Dividend Equivalent Rights or interest equivalents granted as a component of an award of Restricted Stock Units, Restricted Stock Award or Performance Share Award that has not vested shall automatically terminate upon the grantee's termination of employment (or cessation of service relationship) with the Company and its Subsidiaries for any reason.

SECTION 14. TRANSFERABILITY OF AWARDS

- (a) Transferability. Except as provided in Section 14(b) below, during a grantee's lifetime, his or her Awards shall be exercisable only by the grantee, or by the grantee's legal representative or guardian in the event of the grantee's incapacity. No Awards shall be sold, assigned, transferred or otherwise encumbered or disposed of by a grantee other than by will or by the laws of descent and distribution or pursuant to a domestic relations order. No Awards shall be subject, in whole or in part, to attachment, execution, or levy of any kind, and any purported transfer in violation hereof shall be null and void.
- (b) <u>Administrator Action</u>. Notwithstanding Section 14(a), the Administrator, in its discretion, may provide either in the Award Certificate regarding a given Award or by subsequent written approval that the grantee (who is an employee or director) may transfer his or her Awards (other than any Incentive Stock Options or Restricted Stock Units) to his or her immediate family members, to trusts for the benefit of such family members, or to partnerships in which such family members are the only partners, provided that the transferee agrees in writing with the Company to be bound by all of the terms and conditions of this Plan and the applicable Award. In no event may an Award be transferred by a grantee for value.
- (c) <u>Family Member</u>. For purposes of Section 14(b), "family member" shall mean a grantee's child, stepchild, grandchild, parent, stepparent, grandparent, spouse, former spouse, sibling, niece, nephew, mother-in-law, father-in-law, son-in-law, daughter-in-law, brother-in-law, or sister-in-law, including adoptive relationships, any person sharing the grantee's household (other than a tenant of the grantee), a trust in which these persons (or the grantee) have more than 50 percent of the beneficial interest, a foundation in which these persons (or the grantee) control the management of assets, and any other entity in which these persons (or the grantee) own more than 50 percent of the voting interests.

(d) <u>Designation of Beneficiary</u>. Each grantee to whom an Award has been made under the Plan may designate a beneficiary or beneficiaries to exercise any Award or receive any payment under any Award payable on or after the grantee's death. Any such designation shall be on a form provided for that purpose by the Administrator and shall not be effective until received by the Administrator. If no beneficiary has been designated by a deceased grantee, or if the designated beneficiaries have predeceased the grantee, the beneficiary shall be the grantee's estate.

SECTION 15. TAX WITHHOLDING

- (a) <u>Payment by Grantee</u>. Each grantee shall, no later than the date as of which the value of an Award or of any Stock or other amounts received thereunder first becomes includable in the gross income of the grantee for Federal income tax purposes, pay to the Company, or make arrangements satisfactory to the Administrator regarding payment of, any Federal, state, or local taxes of any kind required by law to be withheld by the Company with respect to such income. The Company and its Subsidiaries shall, to the extent permitted by law, have the right to deduct any such taxes from any payment of any kind otherwise due to the grantee. The Company's obligation to deliver evidence of book entry (or stock certificates) to any grantee is subject to and conditioned on tax withholding obligations being satisfied by the grantee.
- (b) <u>Payment in Stock</u>. Subject to approval by the Administrator, a grantee may elect to have the Company's minimum required tax withholding obligation satisfied, in whole or in part, by authorizing the Company to withhold from shares of Stock to be issued pursuant to any Award a number of shares with an aggregate Fair Market Value (as of the date the withholding is effected) that would satisfy the withholding amount due.

SECTION 16. SECTION 409A AWARDS

To the extent that any Award is determined to constitute "nonqualified deferred compensation" within the meaning of Section 409A (a "409A Award"), the Award shall be subject to such additional rules and requirements as specified by the Administrator from time to time in order to comply with Section 409A. In this regard, if any amount under a 409A Award is payable upon a "separation from service" (within the meaning of Section 409A) to a grantee who is then considered a "specified employee" (within the meaning of Section 409A), then no such payment shall be made prior to the date that is the earlier of (i) six months and one day after the grantee's separation from service, or (ii) the grantee's death, but only to the extent such delay is necessary to prevent such payment from being subject to interest, penalties and/or additional tax imposed pursuant to Section 409A. Further, the settlement of any such Award may not be accelerated except to the extent permitted by Section 409A.

SECTION 17. TRANSFER, LEAVE OF ABSENCE, ETC.

For purposes of the Plan, the following events shall not be deemed a termination of employment:

- (a) a transfer to the employment of the Company from a Subsidiary or from the Company to a Subsidiary, or from one Subsidiary to another; or
- (b) an approved leave of absence for military service or sickness, or for any other purpose approved by the Company, if the employee's right to reemployment is guaranteed either by a statute or by contract or under the policy pursuant to which the leave of absence was granted or if the Administrator otherwise so provides in writing.

SECTION 18. AMENDMENTS AND TERMINATION

The Board may, at any time, amend or discontinue the Plan and the Administrator may, at any time, amend or cancel any outstanding Award for the purpose of satisfying changes in law or for any other lawful purpose, but no such action shall adversely affect rights under any outstanding Award without the holder's consent. The Administrator is specifically authorized to exercise its discretion to reduce the exercise price of outstanding Stock Options or Stock Appreciation Rights or effect the repricing through cancellation and re-grants. To the extent required under the rules of any securities exchange or market system on which the Stock is listed, to the extent determined by the Administrator to be required by the Code to ensure that Incentive Stock Options granted under the Plan are qualified under Section 422 of the Code, or to ensure that compensation earned under Awards qualifies as performance-based compensation under Section 162(m) of the Code, Plan amendments shall be subject to approval by the Company stockholders entitled to vote at a meeting of stockholders. Nothing in this Section 18 shall limit the Administrator's authority to take any action permitted pursuant to Section 3(b) or 3(c).

SECTION 19. STATUS OF PLAN

With respect to the portion of any Award that has not been exercised and any payments in cash, Stock or other consideration not received by a grantee, a grantee shall have no rights greater than those of a general creditor of the Company unless the Administrator shall otherwise expressly determine in connection with any Award or Awards. In its sole discretion, the Administrator may authorize the creation of trusts or other arrangements to meet the Company's obligations to deliver Stock or make payments with respect to Awards hereunder, provided that the existence of such trusts or other arrangements is consistent with the foregoing sentence.

SECTION 20. GENERAL PROVISIONS

(a) <u>No Distribution</u>. The Administrator may require each person acquiring Stock pursuant to an Award to represent to and agree with the Company in writing that such person is acquiring the shares without a view to distribution thereof.

- (b) Delivery of Stock Certificates. Stock certificates to grantees under this Plan shall be deemed delivered for all purposes when the Company or a stock transfer agent of the Company shall have mailed such certificates in the United States mail, addressed to the grantee, at the grantee's last known address on file with the Company. Uncertificated Stock shall be deemed delivered for all purposes when the Company or a Stock transfer agent of the Company shall have given to the grantee by electronic mail (with proof of receipt) or by United States mail, addressed to the grantee, at the grantee's last known address on file with the Company, notice of issuance and recorded the issuance in its records (which may include electronic "book entry" records). Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, the Company shall not be required to issue or deliver any certificates evidencing shares of Stock pursuant to the exercise of any Award, unless and until the Administrator has determined, with advice of counsel (to the extent the Administrator deems such advice necessary or advisable), that the issuance and delivery of such certificates is in compliance with all applicable laws, regulations of governmental authorities and, if applicable, the requirements of any exchange on which the shares of Stock are listed, quoted or traded. All Stock certificates delivered pursuant to the Plan shall be subject to any stop-transfer orders and other restrictions as the Administrator deems necessary or advisable to comply with federal, state or foreign jurisdiction, securities or other laws, rules and quotation system on which the Stock is listed, quoted or traded. The Administrator may place legends on any Stock certificate to reference restrictions applicable to the Stock. In addition to the terms and conditions provided herein, the Administrator may require that an individual make such reasonable covenants, agreements, and representations as the Administrator, in its discretion, deems necessary or advisable in order to comply with
- (c) <u>Stockholder Rights</u>. Until Stock is deemed delivered in accordance with Section 20(b), no right to vote or receive dividends or any other rights of a stockholder will exist with respect to shares of Stock to be issued in connection with an Award, notwithstanding the exercise of a Stock Option or any other action by the grantee with respect to an Award.
- (d) <u>Other Compensation Arrangements; No Employment Rights</u>. Nothing contained in this Plan shall prevent the Board from adopting other or additional compensation arrangements, including trusts, and such arrangements may be either generally applicable or applicable only in specific cases. The adoption of this Plan and the grant of Awards do not confer upon any employee any right to continued employment with the Company or any Subsidiary.
- (e) <u>Trading Policy Restrictions</u>. Option exercises and other Awards under the Plan shall be subject to the Company's insider trading policies and procedures, as in effect from time to time.
- (f) <u>Forfeiture of Awards under Sarbanes-Oxley Act.</u> If the Company is required to prepare an accounting restatement due to the material noncompliance of the Company, as a result of misconduct, with any financial reporting requirement under the securities laws, then any grantee who is one of the individuals subject to automatic forfeiture under Section 304 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002 shall reimburse the Company for the amount of any Award received by such individual under the Plan during the 12-month period following the first public issuance or filing with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission, as the case may be, of the financial document embodying such financial reporting requirement.

SECTION 21. EFFECTIVE DATE OF PLAN

This Plan shall become effective upon stockholder approval in accordance with applicable state law, the Company's bylaws and articles of incorporation, and applicable stock exchange rules or pursuant to written consent. No grants of Stock Options and other Awards may be made hereunder after the tenth anniversary of the Effective Date and no grants of Incentive Stock Options may be made hereunder after the tenth anniversary of the date the Plan is approved by the Board.

SECTION 22. GOVERNING LAW

This Plan and all Awards and actions taken thereunder shall be governed by, and construed in accordance with, the laws of the State of Delaware, applied without regard to conflict of law principles.

DATE APPROVED BY BOARD OF DIRECTORS: September 28, 2010

DATE APPROVED BY STOCKHOLDERS: September 28, 2010

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	Subscription Agreement
Name of Subscriber:	
Number of Shares Purchased () share minimum):	
Subscription Amount (\$ per share):	
State of Residence:	

- 1. **Subscription.** The undersigned hereby subscribes to the number of shares set forth above of the common stock of Atossa Genetics, Inc. (the "Investment Securities") a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware (the "Company"), and agrees to pay for such Investment Securities the amount set forth above in cash or by check subject to collection upon execution of this subscription agreement.
 - 2. Agreements and Understandings of the Undersigned. The undersigned agrees and understands that:
- 2.1. The undersigned is entitled to full information about the Company and its principals. Written materials describing the Company and the Investment Securities (the "Investment Documents") have been furnished to the undersigned prior to execution of this subscription agreement and the undersigned has been given the time required to read such materials, alone or with the undersigned's advisor(s).
- 2.2. If the undersigned has made any deposit, escrow or other payment in whole or in part toward the purchase of the Investment Securities offered hereby before executing this subscription agreement, the undersigned may elect to either: (i) ratify the undersigned's investment and receive a credit in full for such payment by execution of this subscription agreement; or (ii) have returned on demand the full amount of such payment, less distributions received by the undersigned, if any, plus lawful interest, at which time the undersigned will have no interest in or further obligation in regard to the Investment Securities offered hereby.
- 2.3. The undersigned (or the entity for which the undersigned is acting, if any) will not offer or sell all or any part of the undersigned's Investment Securities until and unless the Investment Securities are registered under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended and under applicable state laws or unless the undersigned has delivered to the Company an opinion of counsel satisfactory to it that such registration is not required.
- 2.4. No Federal or state agency has made any finding or determination as to the fairness for investment, nor recommendation or endorsement, of the Investment Securities.
- 2.5. If the undersigned is neither a United States citizen nor a resident of the United States, then the undersigned agrees: (a) to supply the Company with any and all information necessary so that the Company may satisfy any and all United States legal reporting requirements; and (b) to indemnify the Company for any liability incurred by the Company as a result of its failure to withhold any taxes or comply with any reporting requirements because the undersigned did not provide the necessary information to the Company to enable it to withhold the necessary taxes or fully comply with such requirements. Furthermore, if the undersigned is a foreign investor who fails to timely file U.S. Internal Revenue Service Form 4224 with the Company (the first such Form must be filed in duplicate with the Company prior to the acceptance of this subscription), the undersigned agrees, at the request of the Company, to execute any and all documents and instruments requested by the Company in order to consummate a sale or disposition of the Investment Securities as required to comply with law.

- 2.6. If the undersigned is an organization (other than a cooperative described in Section 521 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended) whose income from the Company will be exempt from United States income tax, the undersigned shall so advise the Company.
- 2.7. THE OFFERING OF THESE SECURITIES IS NOT REGISTERED UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933, AS AMENDED. AS SUCH THE UNDERSIGNED MUST BEAR THE ECONOMIC RISK OF THE INVESTMENT FOR AN INDEFINITE PERIOD OF TIME BECAUSE THE SECURITIES CANNOT BE SOLD UNLESS THEY ARE SUBSEQUENTLY REGISTERED UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OR AN EXEMPTION FROM SUCH REGISTRATION IS AVAILABLE. RESTRICTIONS WILL BE PLACED ON THE TRANSFERABILITY OF THE SECURITIES.
- 2.8. THESE SECURITIES HAVE NOT BEEN APPROVED OR DISAPPROVED BY THE STATE OR JURISDICTION OF THE UNDERSIGNED'S RESIDENCE NOR HAS THE STATE OR JURISDICTION OF THE UNDERSIGNED'S RESIDENCE PASSED UPON THE ACCURACY OR ADEQUACY OF ANY INFORMATIONAL MATERIALS.
- 2.9. THESE SECURITIES HAVE NOT BEEN APPROVED OR DISAPPROVED BY THE SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION NOR HAS THE COMMISSION PASSED UPON THE ACCURACY OR ADEQUACY OF ANY INFORMATIONAL MATERIALS. ANY REPRESENTATION TO THE CONTRARY IS A CRIMINAL OFFENSE.
 - 3. **Warranties of the Undersigned.** The undersigned represents and warrants that:
 - 3.1. The undersigned has reached the age of majority in the state or country in which the undersigned resides.
- 3.2. The undersigned (or the entity for which the undersigned is acting, if any) intends to retain indefinitely, and has no present arrangement, understanding or agreement for disposing of the Investment Securities and takes such Investment Securities solely for the account of the name(s) which appear below.
- 3.3. If a trust, corporation, partnership, or other entity, the undersigned: (i) is duly organized and validly existing under the laws of the state of formation; (ii) is duly authorized and empowered to purchase the Investment Securities; (iii) was not organized exclusively for the purpose of acquiring the Investment Securities and has an independent reason for existence beyond such investment; (iv) has duly authorized the signatory hereto to execute this subscription agreement on behalf of the undersigned, and, upon such execution, the subscription agreement and any related documents shall be a binding obligation of the undersigned; and (v) will, upon request of counsel to the Company, furnish evidence of the representations and warranties of this subparagraph, including certified copies of the certificate (articles) of incorporation, articles of (limited) partnership, or other creating or implementing documents.
- 3.4. If the undersigned is not an Accredited Investor (described hereinafter) under Regulation D of the General Rules and Regulations of the Securities and Exchange Commission, the undersigned, either alone or with an advisor(s), has such knowledge and experience in financial and business matters that the undersigned is capable of evaluating the merits and risks of the prospective investment.
- 3.5. It has been called to the undersigned's attention that this investment involves a high degree of risk, and no assurances are or have been made regarding the economic advantages, if any, which may inure to the benefit of investors. The economic benefit from an investment in the Investment Securities depends on the ability of the Company to successfully conduct its business activities. The accomplishment of such goals in turn depends on many factors beyond the control of the Company or its management. Accordingly, the suitability for any particular investor of a purchase of the Investment Securities will depend upon, among other things, such investor's investment objectives and such investor's ability to accept speculative risks, including the risk of a total loss of investment in the Investment Securities. The undersigned and the undersigned's advisor(s), if any, have carefully reviewed and understand the risk of, and other considerations relating to, a purchase of the Investment Securities.

- 3.6. The undersigned is able to bear the economic risks of this investment, is able to hold the Investment Securities for an indefinite period of time, and has sufficient net worth to sustain a loss of the entire investment in the Company in the event such loss should occur.
- 3.7. The undersigned and the undersigned's advisor(s), if any, have relied only upon the information contained in the Investment Documents made available to the undersigned and the undersigned's advisor(s). Any other information concerning this offering, whether oral or written, may be incomplete or inaccurate. Only the Investment Documents are intended to be an accurate description of the offering and its terms.
- 3.8. The Company has answered all inquiries that the undersigned and the undersigned's advisor(s), if any, have made of it concerning the Company or any other matters relating to the business and proposed operation of the Company and the offer and sale of the Investment Securities. No oral statement, printed material, or inducement which is contrary to the information contained in the Investment Documents has been given or made by or on behalf of the Company to the undersigned or the undersigned's advisor(s), if any.
- 3.9. All of the representations and information provided by the undersigned in this subscription agreement and any additional information which the undersigned has furnished to the Company with respect to the undersigned's financial position and business experience is accurate and complete as of the date that this subscription agreement was executed by the undersigned. If there should be any material adverse change in such representations or information prior to the sale of the Investment Securities subscribed for herein to the undersigned, the undersigned will immediately furnish accurate and complete information concerning any such material change to the Company.
- 3.10. The undersigned represents, if the undersigned is subject to the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 ("ERISA"), that in making the proposed investment the undersigned is aware of and has taken into consideration the diversification requirements of Section 404(a)(1)(C) of ERISA, and has concluded that the proposed investment is a prudent one.
- 4. **"Non-Resident Alien" Status (if applicable).** By indication below, the undersigned represents and warrants that the undersigned (or the entity for which the undersigned is acting, if any) is not a citizen of the United States or Canada and is not, and has no present intention of becoming, a resident of the United States (defined as being any natural person physically present within the United States for at least 183 days in a 12-month consecutive period or any entity who maintained an office in the United States at any time during a 12-month consecutive period). The undersigned understands that the Company may rely upon the representations and warranty of this paragraph as a basis for an exemption from registration of the Investment Securities under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and the provisions of relevant state securities laws.

_ CHECK HERE IF NOT A CITIZEN/RESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OR CANADA.

5. "Accredited Investor" Status. Unless indicated otherwise herein, the undersigned falls within one of the following definitions of Accredited Investor:

For individuals:

- The undersigned is a natural person whose individual net worth, or joint net worth with spouse, exceeds \$1,000,000 at the time of purchase of the Investment Securities.
- The undersigned is a natural person who had an individual income in excess of \$200,000 in each of the last two years or joint income with spouse in excess of \$300,000 in each of those years and reasonably expects to reach the same income level in the current year.
- The undersigned is either a director, executive officer or general partner of the Company, or adirector, executive officer or general partner of a general partner of the Company.

If an Accredited Investor, the undersigned further certifies that: (i) the undersigned (or the undersigned's professional advisor(s)) has the capacity to protect the undersigned's interests in this investment; (ii) the undersigned is able to bear the economic risks of this investment; and (iii) the amount of the investment does not exceed 10% of the undersigned's net worth or joint net worth with spouse.

For entities:

- The undersigned is an institutional investor as provided in Regulation Section 230.501(a)(1) under the Securities Act of 1933.
- The undersigned is a private business development company within the meaning of Section 202(a)(22) of the Investment Advisers Act of 1940.
- The undersigned is any organization described in Section 501©(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, not formed for the specific purpose of acquiring the Investment Securities, with total assets in excess of \$5,000,000.
- The undersigned is a trust with total assets in excess of \$5,000,000, not formed for the special purpose of acquiring the Investment Securities, whose investment is directed by a person described in Regulation Section 230.506(b)(2)(ii) under the Securities Act of 1933.
- The undersigned is an entity owned entirely by any of the persons described above.
- 6. **Suitability Information for Investors who are not Accredited Investors.** If the undersigned does *not* meet the definition above of an Accredited Investor, the undersigned must be able to check the following category as applicable.

IF NOT AN ACCREDITED INVESTOR YOU MUST BE ABLE TO CHECK THIS CATEGORY:

I have such knowledge and experience in financial and business matters that I (alone or together with a Purchaser Representative) am capable of evaluating the merits and risks of this investment.

If the undersigned is not an Accredited Investor, the Company may require that the undersigned utilize the services of a Purchaser Representative or equivalent advisor who may be required to complete a Purchaser Representative Questionnaire.

7. Acceptance and Conditions of Investment.

The undersigned agrees and is aware that:

- 7.1. The Company reserves the unrestricted right to reject any subscription, and no subscription will be binding unless and until accepted by it. A subscription from a non-accredited investor will not be accepted if the maximum limitation on the number of non-accredited investors has already been reached.
 - 7.2. A legend in substantially the following form will be placed on any certificate(s) evidencing the Investment Securities:

THESE SECURITIES CANNOT BE SOLD, TRANSFERRED OR OTHERWISE DISPOSED OF BY ANY INVESTOR TO ANY OTHER PERSON OR ENTITY UNLESS SUBSEQUENTLY REGISTERED UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933, AS AMENDED, AND UNDER APPLICABLE LAW OF THE STATE OR JURISDICTION WHERE SOLD, TRANSFERRED OR DISPOSED OF, UNLESS SUCH SALE, TRANSFER OR DISPOSITION SHALL QUALIFY UNDER AN ALLOWED EXEMPTION TO SUCH REGISTRATION.

7.3. Stop transfer instructions will be placed with respect to the Investment Securities so as to restrict resale or other transfer thereof subject to further items hereof, including the provisions of the legend set forth above.

- 7.4. Unless otherwise provided by law, the legend and stop transfer instructions described above will be placed with respect to any new certificate(s) or other document(s) issued upon presentment by the undersigned of certificate(s) or other document(s) for transfer.
- 8. **Registration Rights.** The undersigned, or subsequent holder of the Investment Securities, shall have the right to have the Investment Securities included in the first registration statement effected by the Company for any of its stock or other securities under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, (other than a registration statement relating solely to the sale of securities to participants in a Company stock plan, a Form S-4 registration statement, or a registration on any other form which does not include substantially the same information as would be required to be included in a registration statement covering the sale of the Investment Securities). Holders who wish their Investment Securities included in such registration statement shall comply with reasonable conditions imposed by the Company, including the furnishing of certain information required to be included in the registration statement. The expenses of the registration statement will be borne by the Company except for expenses (such as the advice of an attorney, accountant or financial advisor) incurred by the holder individually.
- 9. **Accuracy of Information Given.** The undersigned certifies that the undersigned has given the information contained herein to the best of the undersigned's knowledge and answers thereto are complete and accurate. The undersigned agrees that the foregoing representations and warranties shall survive the purchase of the Investment Securities as well as any acceptance of this subscription for the Investment Securities.
- 10. **Election of Purchaser Representative.** The undersigned understands that the undersigned is entitled to be advised by a Purchaser Representative or an equivalent advisor in making a decision to invest and that (unless the undersigned is an Accredited Investor) the undersigned must be so advised if the undersigned does not have sufficient knowledge and experience in financial and business matters to evaluate the merits and risks of this investment.
- 11. **Indemnification.** The undersigned acknowledges that the undersigned understands the meaning and legal consequences of the representations and warranties hereof, and hereby agrees to indemnify and hold harmless the Company, its affiliates, attorneys, accountants, agents, employees and any selling securityholder from and against any and all loss, damage or liability, including, without limitation, reasonable attorneys fees incurred as a result of such breach, due to or arising out of a breach of any such representations or warranties. This indemnification shall not require that the Company shall have been determined by any Federal, state or other authority or person to have qualified for any exemption from the registration provisions of Federal or state securities laws, rules or regulations.
- 12. **Arbitration.** The undersigned hereby agrees that any and all claims (other than claims for injunctive or other equitable relief) now or at any time hereafter as to which the Company, its affiliates, attorneys, accountants, agents or employees and the undersigned, the undersigned's successors or assigns may be adverse parties, whether arising out of this agreement or from any other cause, will be resolved by arbitration before the American Arbitration Association. Each party irrevocably consents to subject matter and personal jurisdiction before the American Arbitration Association. The parties covenant that under no conditions will any of them file any action at law against any other or bring any claim in any forum other than before the American Arbitration Association, and they agree that any litigation, if filed, shall be immediately dismissed upon application and shall be referred for arbitration hereunder with costs and attorneys' fees to the prevailing party. The situs of arbitration and any counterclaims shall be selected by the person against whom arbitration is sought provided that such situs is within the United States and is the situs of such person's principal residence or place of business. Any dispute concerning situs shall be determined by the American Arbitration Association.

The parties shall restrict themselves to claims for compensatory damages. No claims shall be made by any party for lost profits, punitive or similar damages. The parties agree that any award or decision by the American Arbitration Association shall be final and non-appealable except as to errors of law. Any appeal from an award of the arbitrator shall be taken to the appropriate court having jurisdiction over the situs of the arbitration. No bond shall be required of any party on appeal, and no enforcement of the award shall be granted until a determination of the appeal is final or until time to take an appeal has expired. Each party shall pay their own attorneys fees and costs of the arbitration and any appeal.

It is the intent of the parties and their affiliates to deal with all disputes between them by arbitration to the maximum degree allowed by law (including claims against any party's current or former attorneys, accountants, agents, employees, successors or assigns), and if any claim or claims should be held not subject to arbitration, only such claim or claims shall be excluded from this paragraph.

PLEASE EXECUTE THE ATTACHED SIGNATURE PAGE

ATOSSA GENETICS, INC.

Signature Page to Subscription Agreement

Name of Subscriber		
Street		
City, State, Zip Code		
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Amount of Subscription		
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Taxpayer Identification Number(Social	Security number for individuals	
Status (if not individual):		
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ATOSSA GENETICS, INC.		
By:		
Date:		

SUBLEASE AGREEMENT

This Sublease Agreement (this "Sublease") is made effective as of September 29, 2010, by and between CompleGen, Inc. ("Tenant"), and Atossa Genetics, Inc. ("Subtenant"). The Tenant has previously entered into a lease agreement with Alexandria Real Estate Equities, Inc. (the "Landlord"), said lease agreement dated June 26, 2006 (the "Prime Lease") with a First amendment dated October 1, 2009, which is incorporated by reference and has been provided to Subtenant. Tenant now desires to sublet the leased property to the Subtenant and the Subtenant desires to sublet the leased property from the Tenant. Therefore, the parties agree as follows:

PREMISES. Tenant, in consideration of the payments provided in the Sublease, subleases to the Subtenant laboratory rooms 622 and 621, located on the 6th floor of the Seattle Life Sciences Building, at 1124 Columbia Street, Seattle, WA 98104-2050 (the "Premises"). Subtenant shall share CompleGen's leased cold room (laboratory room 647), lunch room (Room 644) and conference room (Room 644A). A sketch of the Premises subject to this Sublease is attached as Exhibit A.

TERM AND POSSESSION. The term of this Sublease shall commence on September 30, 2010, and unless terminated sooner pursuant to the terms of this Sublease, it shall terminate in six months on March 31, 2011. Sublease will continue on a month to month basis at the expiration of the original sublease term provided that either party may terminate the option by giving two (2) months written notice. The Subtenant shall be entitled to possession on the first day of the term of this Sublease, and shall yield possession to the Tenant on the last day of the term of this Sublease, unless otherwise agreed by both parties in writing, or sooner if this Sublease is terminated pursuant to the terms of the Sublease by either party.

SUBLEASE PAYMENTS. The Subtenant shall pay to the Tenant monthly payments of \$3,657.05 per month, payable in advance on the first day of each month. Sublease payments shall be made to the Tenant at 1124 Columbia Street, Suite 662, Seattle, WA 98104-2050, which may be changed from time to time by the Tenant upon providing written notice.

ADDITIONAL RENT. In addition to Sublease payments, Subtenant agrees to pay to Tenant as additional rent: (i) Subtenant's share, equal to 13.25%, of "Net Operating Expenses" as defined in the Prime Lease, which share is based on a formula of 1,296 square feet divided by 9,778 square feet, and (ii) any and all other amounts Subtenant expressly assumes or agrees to pay under the provisions of this Sublease, including, without limitation, any and all other sums that may become due by reason of any default of Subtenant or failure to comply with the agreements, terms, covenants and conditions of this Sublease to be performed by Subtenant, after any applicable notice and cure period.

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SERVICES. The Subtenant will arrange and pay separately to third parties for all Subtenant's communication needs, including but not limited to telephone, facsimile, copier and internet access expenses. Charges for janitorial service will be the responsibility of Subtenant.

SECURITY DEPOSIT. A security deposit of \$3,657.05 is due on signing of this agreement, provided that this amount shall be refunded in full within 2 business days if the Tenant does not obtain Landlord approval for this Sublease as contemplated below under the caption "Landlord's Consent."

TENANT IMPROVEMENTS. The passage way in the northwest corner of Room 622 to 625 shall be closed by a wall or other substantial structure to prevent unauthorized access to 622 at a cost of up to \$200.00 to the Subtenant. Otherwise, the Subtenant shall accept the space in "as is" condition. Subtenant shall be permitted to install security keypads, at Subtenant's expense, on its dedicated space in laboratory rooms 622 and 625. Upon request the Subtenant shall return the premises to its original condition and configuration.

NOTICE. Notices under this Sublease shall not be deemed valid unless given or served in writing and forwarded by mail, postage prepaid, addressed as follows and sent to every interested party:

TENANT:

Name: CompleGen, Inc.

Address: 1124 Columbia Street, Suite 600

Seattle, WA 98104

Attention: John Swindle, PhD, President & CEO

SUBTENANT:

Name: Atossa Genetics, Inc. Address: 4105 E Madison St, Ste 320

Seattle, WA 98112

Attention: Steven Quay, MD, PhD, Chairman, President & CEO

LANDLORD:

Name: Alexandria Real Estate Equities, Inc. Address: 385 East Colorado Blvd, Suite #229

Pasadena, CA 91101 Attention: General Counsel

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Such addresses may be changed from time to time by any party by providing notice to the other interested party(ies) as described above.

GOVERNING LAW. This Lease shall be construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Washington.

LANDLORD'S CONSENT. The Prime Lease requires the prior written consent of the Landlord to any sublease of the Premises. The terms and conditions of this Sublease are conditional upon the Landlord's written consent to this Sublease. The Tenant agrees to use the Tenant's best efforts to obtain such consent within 20 days of signing of the sublease, however this must be obtained before the Subtenant may take possession. Should the Landlord refuse to consent to this Sublease, this Sublease shall be null and void and neither party shall have any further obligations or liabilities under its terms.

INCORPORATION OF PRIME LEASE. This Sublease Agreement is subject to all of the terms of the Prime Lease with the same force and effect as if each provision of the Prime Lease were included in this Sublease, excepting as otherwise provided herein. Tenant covenants that it has provided Subtenant a full and complete copy of the Prime Lease. All of the terms which Tenant is bound to comply with under the Prime Lease shall, to the extent only that they apply to the Premises and except as otherwise provided herein, be binding upon Subtenant. All of the obligations of Landlord set forth in the Prime Lease shall, to the extent that they apply to the Premises, inure to Subtenant's benefit provided, however, that this shall not be construed to establish any direct obligations on the part of the Landlord to Subtenant under the terms of the Prime Lease, nor any direct obligation on the part of Subtenant to Landlord. It is the intention of the parties that, except as otherwise provided in this Sublease, the relationship between Tenant and Subtenant shall be governed by the language of the various sections and the covenants of the Prime Lease as if those sections were included in this Sublease in full, and the words "Landlord", "Tenant" and "Lease" as used in the Prime Lease, shall refer to, respectively, "Tenant", "Subtenant" and "Sublease". To the extent that action is required by the Landlord to effect the terms of the Prime Lease or Sublease, Tenant agrees to assist Subtenant and use its best efforts to effect such action on the part of Landlord in a commercially reasonable manner.

REPRESENTATION. Tenant hereby represents to Subtenant that Tenant is using commercially reasonable best efforts to comply with the terms of the Prime Lease and covenants that it will use commercially reasonable best efforts to continue to comply with the terms of the Prime Lease during the term of this Sublease.

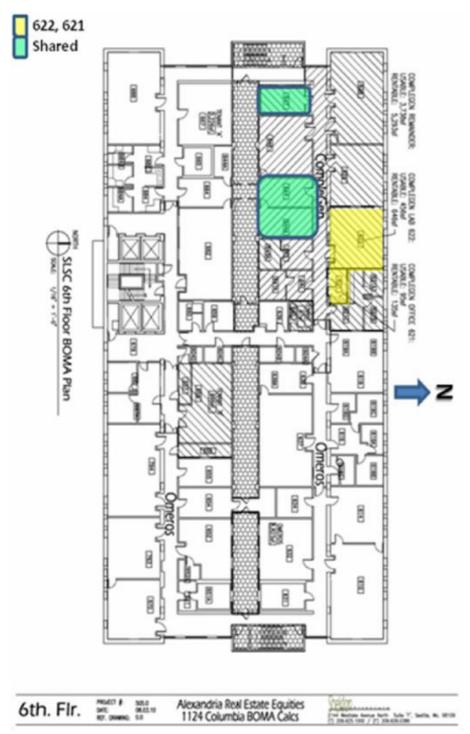
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INDEMNIFICATION. (a) Except to the extent caused by the negligence or willful misconduct of Tenant, its agents, employees, contractors or invitees, Subtenant shall indemnify, defend with counsel reasonably acceptable to Tenant and hold Tenant harmless from and against any and all claims, liabilities, judgments, causes of action, damages, costs and expenses (including reasonable attorneys' and experts' fees) caused by or arising in connection with: (i) the use, occupancy or condition of the Premises by Subtenant; (ii) the negligence or willful misconduct of Subtenant or its agents, employees, contractors, or invitees; or (iii) a breach of Subtenant's obligations under this Sublease or the provisions of the Prime Lease assumed by Subtenant hereunder. Subtenant's indemnification of Tenant shall survive termination of this Sublease. (b) Except to the extent caused by the negligence or willful misconduct of Subtenant, its agents, employees, contractors or invitees, Tenant shall indemnify, defend with counsel reasonably acceptable to Subtenant and hold Subtenant harmless from and against any and all claims, liabilities, judgments, causes of action, damages, costs and expenses (including reasonable attorneys' and experts' fees) caused by or arising in connection with: (i) a breach of Tenant's representations or obligations under the Prime Lease to the extent those obligations are not assumed by Subtenant under this Sublease; or (iii) the negligence or willful misconduct of Tenant, its agents, employees, contractors or invitees occurring on the Subleased Premises. Tenant's indemnification of Subtenant shall survive termination of this Sublease.

INSURANCE. The Subtenant, at its sole cost and expense shall maintain during the Term of the Sublease, risk property insurance in an amount reasonably expected to cover the full replacement cost of all property and improvements installed or placed in the Premises by the Subtenant at the Subtenant's expense. The Subtenant must have workers' compensation insurance with no less than the minimum limits required by law, employer's liability insurance with such limits as required by law and commercial general liability insurance with a minimum limit of \$2,000,000 per occurrence for bodily injury and property damage with respect to the Premises. The commercial general liability insurance policy shall name CompleGen and the Landlord Parties, Alexandria Real Estate Equities, Inc., including its employees and agents as additional insureds. A Certificate of Insurance consistent with the foregoing terms must be submitted to the Landlord before taking possession of the premises.

Dated: September 29, 2010

TENANT	SUBTENANT
/s/ John Swindle	/s/ Steven C. Quay
CompleGen, Inc.	Atossa Genetics, Inc.
President & CEO	Chairman, President & CEO
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Atossa Genetics Proposal for CFO Services

Prepared for Atossa Genetics For Internal Use Only May 28, 2010 Proposal Valid for 30 Days

Agreement

This is an Agreement ("Agreement") made as of June 3, 2010, by and between Atossa Genetics, Inc.(also referred to herein as, "Atossa Genetics," "client," or "customer") and Chris Benjamin, (also referred to herein as "consultant," "CFO" or "Chris Benjamin") individually referred to as a "party" and collectively referred to herein as the "parties." This Agreement shall take the place of any and all other agreements that may have been agreed to in verbal, or written, form between the parties.

RECITALS

Whereas, the Company is in the business of developing scientific diagnostic products and testing in the health industry and in the conduct of such business desires to hire the services of consultant as further described in this Agreement;

Whereas, the Consultant has expertise in accounting and finance, as well as knowledge and expertise in public reporting requirements and accounting packages that may be helpful to the Company:

Therefore, in consideration of the mutual promises set forth in this Agreement, it is agreed by and between Atossa Genetics and Chris Benjamin, as follows:

Overview

Atossa Genetics is looking for an interim CFO to help with the accounting and financial reporting of the client's business in present and future stages and throughout the process of going public from a financial, accounting and regulatory perspective. This role has the potential to become full time, at which point both parties can discuss the potential for changing the terms of the proposal below if it is a fit for both sides; notwithstanding the foregoing, however, Atossa Genetics shall determine, in its sole authority, whether, or not a full-time opportunity might be made available to Chris Benjamin.

Most notably in the near future, Atossa Genetics is looking for guidance on:

- · Accounting system recommendations, selection assistance & implementation
- · Proper setup of accounting policies & procedures for a publicly traded company

· Filing of reports with the SEC as required

Below in the Project Specifications section is a detailed listing of what the CFO role would potentially encompass.

Project Specifications

This engagement's services shall include Chris Benjamin working as a CFO for Atossa Genetics and performing all tasks customarily performed by a CFO for a venture which is currently in startup, development as well going public (IPO) phase.

The responsibilities of the CFO will include, but not limited to:

- · Accounting system recommendation, selection assistance & implementation
- · Proper setup and positioning of any accounting policies and procedures to be compliant as a reporting company
- · Timely, in best practice, SEC required reporting and filing
- · Timely, in best practice, Quarterly audit facilitation
- · Creation and/or revision of financial forecasts to benchmark future performance
- · Review monthly accounting from a managerial perspective
- · Financial reporting & analysis to add depth and knowledge to the monthly numbers
- · Cash flow recommendations to maximize cash utilization
- · General business advice
- · Liaison to investors (if applicable)
- · Federal & State tax returns (if applicable)
- · Any other consulting required by Atossa Genetics where the consultant can add valuable input and advice

Tenure & Commencement

Consultant shall begin work for client on July 1, 2010 and the client may terminate the relationship at any time, after having given 30 days' notice to consultant. Said notice may be given by email to chrisb@roguecfo.com. The client is responsible for any unbilled hours up until the date of termination, and the consultant is responsible for the refund of any unused retainer. Any payments due in either direction will be due within 30 days of the official contract ending date.

Fee Schedule

				Hours		
4	Atossa Genetics Proposed Fee Structure	Fixed M	onthly Price	Available	Rate Po	er Hour
Ī	Monthly Retainer	\$	2,250	25	\$	90
	Hourly Rate for Excess Hours Over Monthly Allotment**				\$	100

** Consultant shall immediately notify Atossa Genetics when the monthly hours have been used in their entirety in any given month and provide a fixed quote for work which will need to be completed prior to commencing any additional work on behalf of Atossa Genetics for that month. Consultant agrees herein that ALL WORK performed for Atossa Genetics whall be the sole property of Atossa Genetics and consultant's work is a "work for hire," owned exclusively and entirely by Atossa Genetics.

A retainer of \$2,250 each month for 25 hours of work to be paid at the beginning of each month, shall be paid to consultant. Based on the tasks a CFO would typically perform for a venture of Atossa Genetics size and its desires to grow and explore options it is estimated that 25 hours shall be sufficient. The client's retainer will guarantee the allocation of time and services by the consultant to work for the client as needed, with this arrangement commencing on July 1, 2010, with the first payment due to consultant at that time.

In the event that the monthly hours exceed 25, additional hours will be billed in the subsequent month at a rate of \$100/hour, provided, however, that any hours performed in excess of 25 each month, shall be approved in writing by Atossa Genetics prior to the consultant's commencement of work past 25 hours, in order for any work performed in excess of 25 hours to be qualified for payment herein, under the terms of this Agreement.

Payments

Payment for the month are due at the beginning of the month by the 3rd (i.e. July's retainer would be due by July 3rd). Consultant shall submit an invoice approximately 1 week before the end of the month for the upcoming month.

Payments can be made through multiple methods. For address, banking information or to put your credit card on file, contact Chris Benjamin chrisb@roguecfo.com.

- · Paypal: chrisb@roguecfo.com
- · Wire Transfer
- Check
- · Visa/Mastercard/Amex

Conflicts of Interest

Consultant is is required to declare any interest that may prevent him from offering disinterested advice. Consultant is unaware of any current conflicts of interest and, should any conflicts appear in the future, client may rest assured that he will bring them to the client's attention immediately.

Confidentiality

Consultant is bound by professional secrecy and may not disclose any of the client's confidential information without the client's written consent unless required to do so by law. Consultant will not use any client's information for personal benefit, regardless of whether or not it actually causes the client harm.

Necessary data

The client will provide the consultant with all the reasonably necessary documents and financial data currently available to enable consultant to do his job accurately and effectively. Any questions after reviewing the data provided by the client will be brought up as soon as possible so the project can be completed in a timely manner.

Assumptions

Any assumptions consultant makes will be both reasonable and realistic, and they will be disclosed to the client in writing in any documents provided to the client.

Recommendations

Consultant will discuss with the client any recommendations he may have based on his observations. These may or may not be outside the scope of the consultant's engagement, and are meant solely as professional feedback to help the client with the business, based on best business practices experienced by the industry within which the client works. However, it is understood that CFO shall focus nearly 100% of his time on the finance and reporting requirements outlined in the Project Specifications and any work involving Recommendations within the framework of this paragraph (other than the Project Specifications) shall be approved in writing by Atossa Genetics prior to their analysis and commencement with respect to the time spent on them each month under the terms of this Agreement.

Such recommendations may include:

- · The advantages and disadvantages of the various alternatives;
- · The costs of the various alternatives;
- The risks involved in the various alternatives;
- The time sensitivity of recommendations;
- · The consequences of no action being taken; and
- The impact of a change in the assumptions on the projected results.

The client is obliged to inform the advisor if he or she does not understand any of the above points.

In Closing

Thanks for giving Rogue CFO Consulting the opportunity to present our ideas and costs for your consideration. We are very excited the path and direction Atossa Genetics is taking and are excited to establish a long term partnership! Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any questions and we are looking forward to working with you soon.

Sincerely, Chris Benjamin
425.879.5304 - Cell 818.528.5430 - Offic

chrisb@roguecfo.com

The terms and conditions of this Agreement are agreed to as follows:

Agreement & Signature

/s/ Chris Benjamin

Chris Benjamin, Rogue CFO Consulting

Date: 6/3/2010

Atossa Genetics, Inc.

Print Name

/s/ Robert L. Kelly

By: Robert L. Kelly

Its: President

June 3, 2010

Rogue CFO Consulting

http://www.roguecfo.com

chrisb@roguecfo.com

BUSINESS CONSULTANT AGREEMENT

This Business Consultant Agreement ("Agreement") is made effective January 1, 2011.

BETWEEN: Dr. Edward Sauter, MD, (the "Consultant"), an individual with his main address located at:

1812 Belmont Road

Grand Forks, ND 58201

AND: Atossa Genetics, Inc. (the "Company"), a company organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, with its head

office located at:

4105 E. Madison St., Suite 320

Seattle, WA 98112

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants set forth herein and intending to be legally bound, the parties hereto agree as follows:

A. CONSULTATION SERVICES

The company hereby employs the consultant as a member of the Scientific Advisory Board to perform the following services in accordance with the terms and conditions set forth in this agreement: Provide scientific advice to the board of directors and officers of the Company; recommend additional qualified individuals to join the SAB, and participate in meetings of the SAB.

B. TERMS OF AGREEMENT

This agreement will begin the effective date of this agreement and will end December 31, 2011. Either party may cancel this agreement on 30 days notice to the other party in writing, by certified mail or personal delivery. This agreement can be extended on an annual basis upon mutual written agreement of the parties.

C. TIME DEVOTED BY CONSULTANT

It is anticipated the consultant will spend approximately four hours per month in fulfilling its obligations under this contract. The particular amount of time may vary from month to month. However, the consultant shall devote a minimum of four hours per month to its duties in accordance with this agreement.

D. PLACE WHERE SERVICES WILL BE RENDERED

The consultant will perform most services in accordance with this contract at a location of consultant's discretion. In addition, the consultant will perform services on the telephone and at such other places as necessary to perform these services in accordance with this agreement.

E. COMPENSATION, BENEFITS AND EXPENSES

5.1 Compensation

In consideration of the services to be rendered hereunder, Consultant shall be paid \$250.00 per hour.

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5.2 Benefits

Other than the compensation specified in this 5.1, Consultant shall not be entitled to any direct or indirect compensation for services performed hereunder.

5.3 Expenses

The Company shall reimburse Consultant for reasonable travel and other business expenses incurred in the performance of the duties hereunder in accordance with the Company's general policies, as they may be amended from time to time during the course of this Agreement.

6 INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR

Both the company and the consultant agree that the consultant will act as an independent contractor in the performance of its duties under this contract. Accordingly, the consultant shall be responsible for payment of all taxes including Federal, State and local taxes arising out of the consultant's activities in accordance with this contract, including by way of illustration but not limitation, Federal and State income tax, Social Security tax, Unemployment Insurance taxes, and any other taxes or business license fee as required.

7 CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION

The consultant agrees that any information received by the consultant during any furtherance of the consultant's obligations in accordance with this contract, which concerns the personal, financial or other affairs of the company will be treated by the consultant in full confidence and will not be revealed to any other persons, firms or organizations.

8 USE OF WORK PRODUCT

Except as specifically set forth in writing and signed by Company and Consultant, Consultant shall have all copyright and patent rights with respect to all materials developed under this contract, and Company is hereby granted a non-exclusive, royalty-free license, with a right to sublicense, to use and employ such materials within the Company's business.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this Agreement as of December 17th, 2010.

COMPANY	CONSULIANI	
/s/ Steven C. Quay Authorized Signature	/s/ Edward R. Sauter Authorized Signature	
Steven C. Quay, President and CEO Print Name and Title	Edward R. Sauter Print Name and Title	
December 17, 2010	December 17, 2010	
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Atossa Genetics, Inc.

Proposal for: Prototype Development Confidential PR-10-48 June 30, 2010

Steven C. Quay M.D., Ph.D. President Atossa Genetics, Inc 4105 E. Madison St. Suite 320 Seattle, WA 98112 C: 206-419-4873 F: 206-325-6087 steven.c.quay@gmail.com

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Jeff Martinez
Director of Sales & Business Development
HLB, LLC
355 N. Canal St
Chicago, IL 60606
312-454-1116, ext 326
Jmartinez@hlb.com

Goal of Prototype Development

The goal of this proposal is to deliver 20 functional prototypes of the original trigger design and facilitate the fabrication of 10,000 disposables of the original disposable design that has already passed the FDA. Since the disposable will not be changed in the final design and because of the large quantity being requested a more permanent tool must be developed. Atossa is responsible for developing this one-to-one relationship with the selected supplier. The estimated cost for the disposables (\$114,400) is not part of this proposal. The disposables kit quote does not include secondary packaging and sterilization since this has not been identified as a requirement to-date.

Phase 1: Prototype Development

This phase outlines the steps needed to have 20 trigger prototypes of the original design developed through the process of urethane cast molding (and cast silicone for the diaphragm). Cost includes all urethane molds and the cost for 20 piece parts. Assembly of trigger Units will be done by HLB.

Notes & Assumptions:

- Trigger Prototypes will be assembled and checked for proper fit. No performance testing will be done due to lack of performance targets (amount of suction required, etc.)
- · HLB will not modify the existing design (CAD Data). 2D documentation and part fabrication will be based on existing CAD. If modifications are required, it will be quoted separately
- Disposables are not part of the quote
- · Atossa Genetics will have a direct relationship with the supplier that develops the tooling (PTI) for the disposables

Deliverables:

- · 20 Trigger Assemblies (hand assembled Urethane Cast Parts)
- · 2D Control drawings (Critical dimensions only)
- · Test plan
- Test results

Tasks:

- 1.1 Create 2D control drawings of all parts
- 1.2 Develop SLA for urethane molding and evaluate (receive client sign-off)
- 1.3 Support development of the urethane molds
- 1.4 Develop urethane molds review FAI data
- 1.5 Assemble and test (fit and basic function) of 1st prototype
- 1.6 Create Test Document
- 1.7 Assemble remaining 19 Trigger units
- 1.8 Test each prototype for suction
- 1.9 Document suction test results and insights from assembly
- 1.8 Ship prototypes to Atossa

Projected completion time: 4-6 weeks

Professional Fees: \$44,800

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PROVISIONS

If the above proposal is accepted, a retainer in the amount of \$10,000 is due prior to the start of any work. This retainer invoice is due upon receipt. All invoices are due within thirty (30) days of issuance date. (Please see Payments/Security Interest clause in our Terms and Conditions.)

This contract is valid for sixty days from date of issue and will be re-quoted, if required, upon expiration. All estimates in this proposal are a result of our best judgment at this point in time. Based upon the developmental nature of this project, we reserve the right to re-quote as the project progresses and our original assumptions are modified. Additional work may be required to complete this project. We will alert you to this possibility. We will progress up to the dollar limits stated in this proposal and then stop until we review the status of the project and Amendments or Change Orders are agreed upon and properly authorized in writing.

This proposal is subject to the Terms and Conditions attached hereto. In the event of any conflict between the terms of these Terms and Conditions and the proposal, the terms of the proposal shall govern.

A written authorization and purchase order are required in order to commence work. Written authorization may be done by letter or a signature on this document. Please fax a signed copy of this proposal or letter and purchase order to us at (312) 454.9019

Jeff Martinez	Atossa Genetics, Inc. Steven C. Quay, M.D., Ph.D. President
BY: /s/ Jeff Martinez	BY: /s/ Steven C. Quay, M.D., Ph.D.
DATE: 7-23-2010	DATE: July 22, 2010

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Terms and Conditions

- 1. <u>Services</u> Upon the execution and delivery by Client of the proposal attached hereto and made a part hereof (the "Proposal"), HLB shall perform for Client the services (the "Services") described in the Proposal and in any Change Orders (as hereinafter defined). The Proposal, these Terms and Conditions and any Change Orders are collectively referred to as the "Agreement."
- 2. <u>Compensation</u> [As compensation for the Services, Client shall pay to HLB the amount set forth in the Proposal, as increased or decreased pursuant to any fee adjustments set forth in any Change Orders (the "Fees"). The obligations of HLB pursuant to this Agreement shall not apply in the event that all Fees and Expenses due to HLB from Client are not timely paid.]
- 3. <u>Scheduling</u> Client understands that the product design services to be performed by HLB are unique, extremely complex and involve a great degree of Client/HLB interaction and discussion. The schedule for completion of the Services set forth in the Proposal is an estimate of the time required to complete the Services. The time actually required to complete the Services or any portion thereof will be subject to Client availability, timely delivery of information by Client to HLB, unforeseen design issues, design changes and modifications requested by Client pursuant to Change Orders and other matters which generally effect product design services. HLB shall properly staff all projects and will use its commercially reasonable efforts to meet all agreed upon schedules.
- 4. <u>Change Orders</u> In the event that Client requests any modifications to the Services, HLB shall prepare and deliver to Client a written summary describing such modifications and the changes in the Services necessary to effectuate such modifications (a "Change Order"). The Change Order will also set forth the additional Fees, if any, and an estimate of the revised schedule for completion of the Services as a result of such modifications to the Services. After receipt of a Client request, verbal or written, for modifications to the Services, HLB may elect not to continue or complete the Services until HLB receives a signed copy of the Change Order from Client and the schedule for completion of the Services shall be extended by the number of days elapsed between the receipt of the modification request from Client and HLB's receipt of the signed Change Order. The execution of the Change Order by Client shall constitute authorization from Client to HLB to proceed with the Services as modified by the Change Order and Client's consent to the increase or decrease in the Fees and revised schedule set forth in the Change Order.
- 5. <u>Charges for External Resources</u> To provide the Services HLB may use external resources to include travel companies; third party vendors with specialized knowledge or expertise; manufacturers or distributors of materials, parts and product/part modelers. Client shall pay charges for these external resources. HLB will notify the Client if charges for these services/items change due to a Change Order. HLB shall have the right to require the Client to pay directly to the vendor any of these charges.
- 6. <u>Invoices and Payments</u> [Unless otherwise provided in the Proposal, at the end of every month and the completion of a phase, HLB shall issue an invoice to Client (an "Invoice") for all work performed to date, plus all Charges for External Resources in connection with the Services during the period covered by such Invoice. Client shall pay to HLB the amount set forth in each Invoice within thirty (30) days of receipt of such Invoice. Any amount which is not paid when due shall bear interest at the rate of 1.5% per month or portion thereof from the date such amount became due through the date on which payment is received by HLB. All payments shall be made to HLB at 345 North Canal Street, Chicago, Illinois 60606.]

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- 7. <u>Inspections</u> Client shall have the right, upon reasonable prior notice to HLB and during HLB's normal business hours, to inspect and review HLB's facilities and pertinent technical, project and financial records with respect to the Services; provided, however, that Client shall execute such confidentiality agreements as are required by HLB. All such inspections and reviews shall be subject to HLB's security and safety requirements.
- 8. <u>Termination</u> Client or HLB may, by written 30 day advance notice to each other (a "Termination Notice"), terminate the Services at any time. No Termination Notice shall be effective until actual written receipt thereof by the non-terminating party. HLB shall cease performance of the Services as soon as is reasonably possible following the non-terminating party's receipt of a Termination Notice. Following termination of the Services, HLB shall provide to Client an Invoice for all work performed through the termination date plus all Expenses in connection with the termination of the Services (collectively, the "Termination Payment"). HLB shall prepare a final Invoice with respect to the Termination Payment as soon as is practicable following its receipt or delivery of a Termination Notice. HLB will use reasonable efforts to

minimize continuing charges and expenses associated with any termination of this Agreement and the Services; provided, however, that HLB shall have the right to disassemble, organize and return all materials and equipment in connection with the Services.

- 9. Technical Data Client shall promptly furnish to HLB all necessary technical and other data
- necessary to perform the Services. Client represents that it has the right to use all such information and hereby grants to HLB the right to use such information as contemplated by the Proposal. All reports, designs, information, inventions and materials ("Project Information") developed for Client by HLB shall be the property of HLB until the completion or termination of the Services and payment in full of all amounts due to HLB, at which time, all Project Information shall be provided to and shall become the property of Client. HLB shall have the right to retain for its records copies of all such Project Information, data, drawings, specifications, reports, estimates, summaries, and other information and materials. HLB shall
- maintain as confidential all Project Information for a period of five (5) years following completion of the Services by HLB or termination of the Services by Client unless such Project Information: (i) was available to the public prior to the HLB's receipt thereof, (ii) becomes available to the public following HLB's receipt thereof through no fault of HLB, (iii) was in the possession of HLB prior to the date hereof, or (iv) has been developed by HLB as a result of activities carried out independently of the Services and without access to technical information made in connection with the Services.
- 10. <u>Inventions/Patent Rights</u> At Client's cost and expense, HLB will perform all lawful and necessary acts, sign all patent, trademark and copyright applications, oaths, assignments and other papers necessary to apply for, obtain and assign to Client the Letters Patent trademarks and copyrights for any and all such inventions and discoveries. Client shall conduct and pay for all searches and other aspects of the patent, trademark or copyright application processes and the assignment thereof to Client and costs and expenses incident thereto (including attorneys' fees and expenses).
- 11. **Proprietary Technology**. In the event that the Services require use of proprietary technology (patents, confidential information or know-how) which belongs to HLB, then HLB will negotiate, under reasonable terms, a license to Client of the rights to such technology. Any use of HLB's proprietary technology which is anticipated by HLB prior to the commencement of the Services shall be disclosed to Client prior to the commencement of the Services.

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- 12. <u>Disclaimers</u> HLB makes no representations or warranties (i) regarding the intellectual property rights of Client in any invention, discovery, design or product produced pursuant to the Services (collectively, the "Products"), (ii) regarding any actual or potential infringement of the Products on any intellectual property or other rights of any person or entity and (iii) regarding the prior development or current existence of any invention, discovery, design or product similar to the Products. HLB expressly disclaims all liability and responsibility regarding safety testing or warnings necessary or desirable in connection with any of the Products. HLB shall have no liability or responsibility to conduct any investigation or inquiry with respect to the foregoing; provided, however, that HLB shall disclose to Client all infringements upon the rights or patents of others and all violations of federal, state or local laws of which HLB has actual knowledge. HLB will make reasonable efforts to comply with any federal, state or local laws with respect to the Products.
- 13. <u>Limits of Liability</u> EXCEPT AS SET FORTH IN THIS AGREEMENT, HLB HEREBY DISCLAIMS ALL WARRANTIES, WHETHER EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, WITH RESPECT TO THE SERVICES AND/OR PRODUCTS, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, ANY IMPLIED WARRANTY OF MERCHANTABILITY, FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE AND/OR TITLE AND, EXCEPT AS SET FORTH IN THIS AGREEMENT, THE SERVICES AND/OR PRODUCTS ARE PROVIDED "AS IS". HLB will not be liable for any indirect, direct, special, or consequential losses or damages, including, without limitation, loss of business or lost profits, regardless of the form of action, whether in contract, tort or otherwise, and regardless of whether the cause of action arises from the Services and/or Products or any component

thereof, or from performance by HLB under this Agreement or any action or failure to act by HLB. In no event shall HLB's liability hereunder exceed the amount of Fees paid by Client to HLB pursuant to this Agreement.

- 14. <u>Deliveries</u> All deliveries from HLB to Client shall be F.O.B. shipping point and title and risk of loss with respect to such deliveries shall pass to Client at the shipping point.
- 15. <u>Personnel</u> Each of HLB and Client agrees that neither HLB nor Client, respectively, shall solicit or employ the employees of Client or HLB, respectively, during the performance of the Services and for a period of twelve (12) months following the completion of the Services.
- 16. **Waiver** Any waiver by any party of its rights under the Agreement shall be in writing and signed by the party waiving such right. The failure of either party to enforce any of the provisions of this Agreement or any rights in respect thereto, or to exercise any election herein provided, shall not waive such provisions, rights or elections or subsequent breaches thereof.
- 17. <u>Force Majeure</u> HLB shall not be liable for delays in or non-performance of the Services as a result of strikes, lockouts, fires, war conditions, accidents, foreign or domestic governmental controls or other actions, embargoes or other causes beyond such HLB's control.
- 18. **Relationship of Parties** The relationship of the parties shall be that of independent contractors and not as partners or joint venturers. Each party is, and is intended to be, engaged in its own and entirely separate business.
- 19. <u>Assignment/Benefit</u> This Agreement and the rights and obligations in connection herewith and therewith to Client may only be assigned with the prior written consent of HLB. Any assignment in contravention hereof shall be null and void. This Agreement shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the parties and their respective representatives, successors and assigns.

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- 20. <u>Notices</u> All notices and other communications given hereunder shall be in writing and deemed to have been given when (i) personally delivered, (ii) one (1) business day after delivery to a nationally recognized overnight courier service for next business day delivery, (iii) upon the written confirmation of receipt following the transmission of a facsimile or (iv) three (3) days after being mailed by certified mail, postage prepaid, to the addresses of HLB or Client as set forth in the Proposal or to such other addresses as either party hereto may request by notice given as aforesaid.
- 21. <u>Governing Law</u> This Agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Illinois. In the event of any dispute, action or proceeding in connection with this Agreement, the Services or any documents, instruments or transactions in connection therewith, the non-prevailing party shall pay all costs and expenses (including reasonable attorneys' and paralegals' fees and expenses) incurred by the prevailing party in connection with such dispute, action or proceeding.
- 22. Jurisdiction and Venue HLB AND CLIENT IRREVOCABLY AGREE THAT ALL ACTIONS OR PROCEEDINGS IN ANY WAY, MANNER OR RESPECT, ARISING OUT OF OR FROM OR RELATED TO THIS AGREEMENT, THE SERVICES OR ANY DOCUMENTS, INSTRUMENT OR TRANSACTION IN CONNECTION HEREWITH OR THEREWITH SHALL BE HEARD OR LITIGATED EXCLUSIVELY IN COURTS HAVING SITUS WITHIN THE CITY OF CHICAGO, COOK COUNTY, STATE OF ILLINOIS. HLB AND CLIENT CONSENT AND SUBMIT TO THE JURISDICTION OF ANY LOCAL, STATE OR FEDERAL COURT LOCATED WITHIN SAID CITY, COUNTY AND STATE AND IRREVOCABLY WAIVE ANY RIGHT TO TRANSFER OR CHANGE VENUE OF ANY SUCH ACTION OR PROCEEDING OR OBJECT TO THE JURISDICTION OF ANY SUCH COURT OVER THE PARTIES HERETO.
- 23. Entire Agreement/Conflict This Agreement constitutes the entire agreement and understanding between the parties with respect to the Services and supersede all previous negotiations, agreements and representations between the parties, written or oral, all of which shall be deemed to be merged into this Agreement. In the event of any conflict between the terms of these Terms and Conditions and the Proposal, the terms of the Proposal shall govern.

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CONSENT OF INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM

We hereby consent to the use in this Registration Statement on Form S-1 of Atossa Genetics Inc. (a development stage company) of our report dated May 5, 2011 relating to the financial statements as of December 31, 2010 and 2009, and for the year ended December 31, 2010 and the period from April 30, 2009 (date of inception) through December 31, 2009 appearing in the Prospectus, which is part of this Registration Statement. We also consent to the reference to us under the heading "Experts" in such Prospectus.

/s/ KCCW Accountancy Corp.

Diamond Bar, California February 13, 2012