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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
  A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of $130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

- The balance due by applicant is $130.

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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of
Yoji IKAWA, et al.
Appln. No.: 09/670,568
Filed: September 27, 2000
For: HUMAN p51 GENES AND GENE PRODUCTS THEREOF

Group Art Unit: 1645
Examiner: NOT YET ASSIGNED

SUBMISSION OF EXECUTED DECLARATION

ATTN: BOX MISSING PARTS
Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the “Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application filed under 37 CFR 1.53(b) - Filing Date Granted”, for the above application, Applicant respectfully submits herewith the Declaration for the above identified application properly executed by the inventors. Also enclosed please find an Information Disclosure Statement, PTO Form 1449 with references, executed Assignment and PTO Form 1595.

Checks for the statutory fee of $130.00 and Assignment recordation fee of $40.00 are attached. Please also charge any underpayment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. A duplicate copy of this paper is attached.

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