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

FORM 10-Q

(Mark One)

[X] QUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934 For the quarterly period ended December 31, 1996

Commission file number: 0-26642

MYRIAD GENETICS, INC. (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

DELAWARE

87-0494517

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

320 WAKARA WAY, SALT LAKE CITY, UT84108(Address of principal executive offices)(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (801) 584-3600

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days. Yes [X] No []

As of February 6, 1997, the registrant had 8,956,676 shares of common stock outstanding.

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	Dec. 31, 1996 (Unaudited)	June 30, 1996
Assets		
Current assets: Cash and cash equivalents Marketable investment securities Non trade receivables Prepaid expenses	\$ 15,259,726 24,747,865 123,896 316,050	\$ 13,235,680 37,212,454 79,066 88,423
Total current assets	40,447,537	50,615,623
Equipment and leasehold improvements:		
Equipment and leasehold improvements: Equipment Leasehold improvements Construction in progress	11,568,106 1,728,901 -	9,097,484 863,306 810,108
	13,297,007	10,770,898
Less accumulated depreciation and amortization	2 200 080	1 275 266
	2,200,089	1,375,366
Net equipment and leasehold improvements	11,096,918	9,395,532
Long-term marketable investment securities	22,284,617	19,554,646
Other assets	61,114	41,696
	\$ 73,890,186 =========	\$ 79,607,497 ========
Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity		
Accounts payable Accrued liabilities Deferred revenue Current portion of notes payable	\$ 2,253,282 1,038,801 5,699,735 325,279	\$ 2,193,285 786,791 5,661,376 308,658
Total current liabilities	9,317,097	8,950,110
Notes payable, less current portion Stockholders' equity Common stock, \$0.01 par value, 15,000,000 shares authorized; issued and outstanding 8,773,462 shares Dec. 31, 1996,	304,734	471,640
8,702,215 shares June 30, 1996	87,734	87,022
Additional paid-in capital Fair value adjustment on available-for-sale marketable	87,038,588	87,015,215
investment securities Deferred compensation Accumulated deficit	9,232 (1,642,246) (21,224,953)	(67,865) (1,907,513) (14,941,112)
Net stockholders' equity	64,268,355	70,185,747
	\$ 73,890,186 =======	\$ 79,607,497 ======

See accompanying notes to condensed consolidated financial statements.

MYRIAD GENETICS, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS

	Three Months Ended		Six Months Ended	
		Dec. 31, 1995 (Unaudited)	Dec. 31, 1996 (Unaudited)	
Revenues: Research revenue Genetic testing revenue	\$ 2,717,740 34,060	\$ 1,668,775 -	\$ 4,913,521 34,060	\$ 2,681,675 -
Total revenues	2,751,800	1,668,775	4,947,581	2,681,675
Expenses: Cost of goods sold Research and development expense Selling, general and administrative expense		2,796,727 485,753	24,283 9,139,897 3,757,067	5,177,913 893,911
Total expenses	7,066,545	3,282,480	12,921,247	6,071,824
Operating loss Other income (expense): Interest income Interest expense Gain/(loss) on sale of fixed assets	(4,314,745) 886,783 (17,739) (7,992)	986,533 (25,351) 1,200	(7,973,666) 1,735,277 (37,391) (7,992)	1,261,756 (52,396) (73,436)
	861,052	962,382	1,689,894	
Net loss	(\$3,453,693)		. , , ,	
Net loss per share	======================================	============ (\$0.08)	(,	· · ·
Weighted average shares outstanding	======================================	======================================	======================================	=========== 6,602,842

See accompanying notes to condensed consolidated financial statements.

	Three Months Ended		Six Months Ended	
	Dec. 31, 1996		Dec. 31, 1996	
Cash flows from operating activities: Net loss Adjustments to reconcile net loss to net cash, provided by (used in) operating activities:	(\$3,453,693)	(\$651,323)	(\$6,283,772)	(\$2,254,225)
Depreciation and amortization Loss (gain) on sale of equipment (Increase) decrease in non-trade	612,413 7,992	313,937 (1,200)		759,642 73,436
receivables (Increase) decrease in other assets (Decrease) increase in accounts	(106,909) (239,018)	1,355,428 175,271		
payable and accrued expenses (Decrease) increase in deferred	(149,832)		312,007	
revenue	(205,860)	(349,000)	38,359	1,201,000
Net cash (used in) provided by operating activities	(3,534,907)	2,090,739	(5,108,109)	639,866
Cash flows from investing activities: Capital expenditures Proceeds from sale of equipment Net change in marketable investment securities	(945,666) 7,500 4,966,190	(26,995,155)	(2,560,864) 7,500 9,811,717	36,375
Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities	4,028,024		7,258,353	
Cash flows from financing activities: Net payments of notes payable Net proceeds from issuance of common		(68,487)		
stock Net proceeds from issuance of preferred stock Conversion of preferred stock	(1,872)	49,095,544 - (109,414)	-	49,095,543 9,982,723 (109,414)
Net cash (used in) provided by financing activities	(77,971)			58,833,572
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents Cash and cash equivalents at beginning	415,146	21,392,848	2,024,046	16,684,237
of period	14,844,580	7,177,125	13,235,680	11,885,736
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	\$ 15,259,726	\$28,569,973 =======	\$15,259,726 =======	\$28,569,973 =======

See accompanying notes to condensed consolidated financial statements.

(1) BASIS OF PRESENTATION

The accompanying condensed unaudited consolidated financial statements have been prepared by Myriad Genetics, Inc. (the "Company") in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles for interim financial information and pursuant to the applicable rules and regulations of the Securities and Exchange Commission. The condensed unaudited consolidated financial statements include the accounts of the Company and its wholly-owned subsidiaries. All material intercompany accounts and transactions have been eliminated in consolidation. In the opinion of management, the accompanying financial statements contain all adjustments (consisting of normal and recurring accruals) necessary to present fairly all financial statements. The financial statements herein should be read in conjunction with the Company's audited consolidated financial statements and notes thereto for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1996, included in the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended June 30, 1996. Operating results for the three and six month periods ended December 31, 1996 may not necessarily be indicative of the results to be expected for any other interim period or for the full year.

(2) SUBSIDIARIES

During the quarter ended December 31, 1996, the Company established Myriad Financial, Inc. ("Financial"), a wholly owned subsidiary of the Company. Financial, a Utah corporation, is a leasing company through which the Company will lease equipment for its research, development, and production operations. Financial, along with Myriad Genetic Laboratories, Inc. ("Labs"), the Company's wholly owned genetic testing facility, constitute the subsidiaries of the Company.

MANAGEMENTOS DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS OF FINANCIAL CONDITION AND RESULTS OF OPERATIONS

OVERVIEW

Since inception, the Company has devoted substantially all of its resources to maintaining its research and development programs, establishing a genetic testing laboratory, and supporting collaborative research agreements. Revenues received by the Company primarily have been payments pursuant to collaborative research agreements. The Company has been unprofitable since its inception and, for the quarter ended December 31, 1996, the Company had a net loss of \$3,453,693 and as of December 31, 1996 had an accumulated deficit of \$21,224,953.

In October 1996, the Company announced the introduction of BRACAnalysis/TM/, a comprehensive BRCA1 and BRCA2 gene sequence analysis for susceptibility to breast and ovarian cancer. The Company, through its wholly owned subsidiary Labs, began accepting testing samples on a commercial basis on October 30, 1996. Genetic testing revenues of \$34,060 were recognized for the quarter ended December 31, 1996.

In August 1995, the Company completed a three-year collaborative research and development agreement with Eli Lilly and Company to locate and sequence the BRCA1 breast and ovarian cancer gene. This agreement has provided the Company with research funding and may in the future provide certain additional payments upon the attainment of research and regulatory milestones and royalty payments based on sales of any products resulting from the collaboration. The Company did not recognize revenue from this agreement during the quarter ended December 31, 1996.

In April 1995, the Company commenced a five-year collaborative research and development arrangement with Novartis (successor corporation to the merger of Ciba-Geigy, Ltd. and Sandoz, Ltd.). This collaboration provides the Company with an equity investment, research funding and potential milestone payments of up to \$60,000,000. The Company is entitled to receive royalties from sales of therapeutic products sold by Novartis. The Company recognized \$1,401,579 in revenue under this agreement for the quarter ended December 31, 1996.

In September 1995, the Company commenced a five-year collaborative research and development arrangement with Bayer Corporation ("Bayer"). This collaboration provides the Company with an equity investment, research funding and potential milestone payments of up to \$71,000,000. The Company is entitled to receive royalties from sales of therapeutic products sold by Bayer. The Company recognized \$1,316,161 in revenue under this agreement for the quarter ended December 31, 1996.

In January 1997, the Company announced the identification of the first major gene responsible for glioma, a form of brain cancer that is the leading killer of children with cancer. The brain cancer gene, known as BNC1, was located through a collaborative effort by scientists at the Company and the University of Texas M.D. Anderson Cancer Center ("M.D. Anderson"). It is anticipated that the location of BNC1 will accelerate development of new diagnostic and therapeutic approaches to brain cancer. There can be no assurance, however, that the identification of this gene will lead to the development of a diagnostic test or therapeutic products.

In February 1997, the Company announced that the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office had granted a patent covering the AGT (Angiotensinogen) gene mutation. The composition of matter patent on the gene mutation, which is believed to be associated with an individual's risk for salt-dependent hypertension, was issued to the University of Utah, and is exclusively licensed to the Company for therapeutic applications, and co-exclusively licensed to the Company for diagnostic applications. There can be no assurance, however, that the patenting of this gene will lead to the development of a diagnostic test or therapeutic products.

The Company intends to enter into additional collaborative relationships to locate and sequence genes associated with other common diseases as well as continuing to fund internal research projects. There can be no assurance that the Company will be able to enter into additional collaborative relationships on terms acceptable to the Company. The Company expects to incur losses for at least the next several years, primarily due to expansion of its research and development programs, increased staffing costs, and expansion of its facilities. Additionally, the Company expects to incur substantial sales, marketing and other expenses in connection with building its genetic predisposition testing business. The Company expects that losses will fluctuate from quarter to quarter and that such fluctuations may be substantial.

RESULTS OF OPERATIONS FOR THE THREE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1996 AND 1995

Research revenues for the quarter ended December 31, 1996 increased \$1,048,965 from the same quarter of 1995. The increase was attributable to the Company's corporate research collaboration agreements providing ongoing research funding. Research revenue from the corporate collaboration agreements is recognized as related costs are incurred. Consequently, as these programs progress and costs increase, revenues increase proportionately.

In October 1996, the Company announced the introduction of BRACAnalysis/TM/, a comprehensive BRCA1 and BRCA2 gene sequence analysis for susceptibility to breast and ovarian cancer. The Company, through its wholly owned subsidiary Labs, began accepting testing samples on a commercial basis on October 30, 1996. Genetic testing revenues of \$34,060 were recognized in the quarter ended December 31, 1996. The Company anticipates genetic testing revenue to increase in the future as cancer centers develop internal protocols for handling samples, additional insurance companies offer reimbursement for such tests, and market awareness of such tests is increased. There can be no assurance that any of these factors will be realized. The Company also anticipates an improved gross margin in the future as increased sales reduce inefficiencies related to underutilization of capacity.

Research and development expenses for the quarter ended December 31, 1996 increased to \$5,045,154 from \$2,796,727 for the same quarter of 1995. This increase was primarily due to an increase in research activities as a result of progress in the Company's collaborations with Novartis and Bayer as well as those programs funded by the Company, including the successful collaborative effort by the Company and scientists at M.D. Anderson in discovering and sequencing the BNC1 brain cancer gene. The increased level of research spending includes third party research programs, increased depreciation charges related to purchasing of additional equipment, the hiring of additional personnel and the associated increase in use of laboratory supplies and reagents. Such expenses will likely increase to the extent that the Company enters into additional research agreements with third parties.

Selling, general and administrative expenses for the quarter ended December 31, 1996 increased \$1,511,355 from the same quarter of 1995. The increase was primarily attributable to costs associated with the launch of BRACAnalysis/TM/ as well as additional administrative, sales, marketing and education personnel, market research activities, educational material development, facilities-related costs and deferred compensation related to grants of stock options and warrants. The Company expects its general and administrative expenses will continue to increase in support of its genetic predisposition testing business and its research and development efforts.

Interest income for the quarter ended December 31, 1996 decreased to \$886,783 from \$986,533 for the same quarter of the prior year. This decrease was primarily due to the decreased funds available for investment, which were spent in the ordinary course of business, including the establishment of a genetic predisposition testing lab and internally funded research programs. Interest expense for the quarter ended December 31, 1996, amounting to \$17,739, was due entirely to borrowings under the Company's equipment financing facility.

RESULTS OF OPERATIONS FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1996 AND 1995

Research revenues increased to \$4,913,521 in the first six months of fiscal year 1997 from \$2,681,675 in the first six months of fiscal year 1996. The increase was attributable to the Novartis and Bayer research collaboration agreements providing ongoing research funding.

Genetic testing revenues of \$34,060 were recognized in the six months ended December 31, 1996. The Company did not perform any genetic tests on a commercial basis in the six months ended December 31, 1995.

Research and development expenses for the six months ended December 31, 1996 increased to \$9,139,897 from \$5,177,913 for the prior year. This increase was primarily due to an increase in research activities as a result of the Company's collaborations with Novartis and Bayer, and an increase in Company funded research projects including third party research programs, increased depreciation charges related to purchasing additional equipment, the hiring of additional personnel and the associated increase in use of laboratory supplies and reagents. The Company also incurred increased development expenses during the six month period related to the beta testing and validation of the Company's BRACAnalysis/TM/ genetic predisposition test for mutations of the BRCA1 and BRCA2 breast and ovarian cancer genes. Such expenses will also likely increase to the extent that the Company enters into additional research agreements with third parties and continues to develop additional commercial tests.

Selling, general and administrative expenses for the six months ended December 31, 1996 increased \$2,863,156 from the six month period in the prior year. The increase was primarily attributable to costs associated with the launch of BRACAnalysis/TM/ as well as additional administrative, sales, marketing and education personnel, market research activities, educational material development, facilities-related costs and deferred compensation related to grants of stock options and warrants. The Company expects its general and administrative expenses will continue to increase in support of its genetic predisposition testing business and its research and development efforts.

Interest income for the first six months of fiscal year 1997 increased to \$1,735,277 from \$1,261,756 for the first six months of fiscal year 1996. This increase was primarily due to the increased funds available for investment, which were raised in the Company's private placement of preferred stock in February 1995, its research and development collaborations entered into with Novartis and Bayer in April 1995 and September 1995, respectively, and its initial public offering in October 1995. Interest expense for the six months ended December 31, 1996, amounting to \$37,391, was due entirely to borrowings under the Company's equipment financing facility. The loss on sale of fixed assets of \$7,992 in the six months ended December 31, 1996 and \$73,436 in the six months ended December 31, 1995 is the result of the sale of out-dated equipment.

LIQUIDITY AND CAPITAL RESOURCES

Net cash used in operating activities was \$3,534,907 during the quarter ended December 31, 1996 as compared to net cash provided of \$2,090,739 during the same quarter of the prior fiscal year. Non-trade receivables increased \$106,909 between September 30, 1996 and December 31, 1996, primarily as a result of amounts due from the Company's payroll service which were subsequently collected in January 1997. Accounts payable decreased between September 30, 1996 and December 31, 1996 due to payments to service providers scheduled for December 1996.

The Company's investing activities provided cash of \$4,028,024 in the three months ended December 31, 1996 and used cash of \$29,615,534 in the three months ended December 31, 1995. Investing activities were comprised primarily of capital expenditures for research equipment, office furniture, and facility improvements and marketable investment securities purchased from cash raised from the Company's initial public offering in October 1995. During the quarter ended December 31, 1996, the Company shifted a portion of its investment in marketable securities from longer term investments to cash and cash equivalents in order to provide for ongoing corporate expenditures.

Financing activities used \$77,971 during the quarter ended December 31, 1996. The Company reduced the amount of principal owing on its equipment financing facility by \$76,099. In addition, several warrants were exercised during the period. Financing activities provided \$48,917,643 in the quarter ended December 31, 1995 primarily as a result of the Company's initial public offering concluded in October 1995.

The Company anticipates that its existing capital resources, including the net proceeds of its initial public offering and interest earned thereon, will be adequate to maintain its current and planned operations for at least the next two years, although no assurance can be given that changes will not occur that would consume available capital resources before such time. The Company's future capital requirements will be substantial and will depend on many factors, including progress of the Company's research and development programs, the results and cost of clinical correlation testing of the Company's genetic tests, the costs of filing, prosecuting and enforcing patent claims, competing technological and market developments, payments received under collaborative agreements, changes in collaborative research relationships, the costs associated with potential commercialization of its gene discoveries, if any, including the development of manufacturing, marketing and sales capabilities, the cost and availability of third-party financing for capital expenditures and administrative and legal expenses. Because of the Company's significant longterm capital requirements, the Company intends to raise funds when conditions are favorable, even if it does not have an immediate need for additional capital at such time.

CERTAIN FACTORS THAT MAY AFFECT FUTURE RESULTS OF OPERATIONS

The Company believes that this report on Form 10-Q contains certain forwardlooking statements as that term is defined in the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. Such statements are based on management's current expectations and are subject to a number of factors and uncertainties which could cause actual results to differ materially from those described in the forward-looking statements. The Company cautions investors that there can be no assurance that actual results or business conditions will not differ materially from those projected or suggested in such forward-looking statements as a result of various factors, including, but not limited to, the following: intense competition related to the discovery of disease-related genes and the possibility that others may discover, and the Company may not be able to gain rights with respect to, genes important to the establishment of a successful genetic testing business; difficulties inherent in developing genetic tests once genes have been discovered; the Company's limited experience in operating a genetic testing laboratory; the Company's limited marketing and sales experience and the risk that BRACAnalysis/TM/ and any other tests which the Company develops may not be able to be marketed at acceptable prices or receive commercial acceptance in the markets that the Company is targeting or expects to target; uncertainty as to whether there will exist adequate reimbursement for the Company's services from government, private healthcare insurers and thirdparty payors; and uncertainties as to the extent of future government regulation of the Company's business. As a result, the Company's future development efforts involve a high degree of risk. For further information, refer to the more specific risks and uncertainties disclosed throughout this Quarterly Report on Form 10-0.

ITEM 1. LEGAL PROCEEDINGS.

The Company is not a party to any litigation in any court, and management is not aware of any contemplated proceeding by any governmental authority against the Company.

ITEM 2. CHANGES IN SECURITIES.

During the three months ended December 31, 1996, the Company issued a total of 27,074 shares of Common Stock to various Directors and consultants of the Company pursuant to the exercise of stock options at a weighted average exercise price of \$0.54 per share.

No person acted as an underwriter with respect to the transactions set forth above. In each of the foregoing instances, the Company relied on Rule 701 promulgated under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, for the exemption from the registration requirements of the Securities Act, since no public offerings were involved.

ITEM 3. DEFAULTS UPON SENIOR SECURITIES.

None.

ITEM 4. SUBMISSION OF MATTERS TO A VOTE OF SECURITY HOLDERS.

On November 15, 1996, the Company held its Annual Meeting of Shareholders (the "Annual Meeting"). A quorum of 5,516,777 shares of Common Stock of the Company (of a total 8,725,907 outstanding shares, or approximately 63%) was represented at the Annual Meeting in person or by proxy, which was held to vote on the following proposals:

1. To elect eight members to the Board of Directors. Nominees for Directors were Walter Gilbert, Ph.D., Wolfgang Hartwig, Ph.D., Arthur H. Hayes, Jr., M.D., John J. Horan, Alan J. Main, Ph.D., Peter D. Meldrum, Mark H. Skolnick, Ph.D., and Dale A. Stringfellow, Ph.D.

2. To consider and act upon a proposal to amend the Company's 1992 Employee, Director and Consultant Stock Option Plan to increase the aggregate number of shares of Common Stock authorized for issuance thereunder and to limit the number of shares of Common Stock that may be granted pursuant to stock options to any employee in any one year period.

3. To consider and act upon a proposal to ratify the appointment of KPMG Peat Marwick LLP as the Company's independent public accountants for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1997.

Each of the proposals was adopted, with the vote totals as follows:

PROPOSAL 1: FOR

FOR WITHHELD

33,560

Walter Gilbert, Ph.D. 5,483,217

Wolfgang Hartwig, Ph.D.	5,483,217	33,560
Arthur H. Hayes, Jr., M.D.	5,483,217	33,560
John J. Horan	5,483,017	33,760
Alan J. Main, Ph.D.	5,483,017	33,760
Peter D. Meldrum	5,483,217	33,560
Mark H. Skolnick, Ph.D.	5,483,117	33,660
Dale A. Stringfellow, Ph.D.	5,483,017	33,760

PROPOSAL 2:

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For	2,588,609
Aggingt	1 009 210
Against	1,008,319
Abstain	29,280
Broker Non-Vote	1,890,569

PROPOSAL 3:

For	5,508,522
Against	5,780
Abstain	2,475

ITEM 5. OTHER INFORMATION.

None.

ITEM 6. EXHIBITS AND REPORTS ON FORM 8-K.

(a) Exhibits

The following is a list of exhibits filed as part of this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q.

Exhibit

Number Description

- 10.1 Patent and Technology License Agreement dated December 2, 1996 among the Board of Regents of the University of Texas System, the University of Texas M.D. Anderson Cancer Center and the Company. The Company has excluded from this Exhibit 10.1 portions of the Patent and Technology License Agreement for which the Company has requested confidential treatment from the Securities and Exchange Commission. The portions of the Patent and Technology License Agreement for which confidential treatment has been requested are marked "[]" and such confidential portions have been filed separately with the Securities and Exchange Commission.
- 10.2 Myriad Genetics, Inc. 1992 Employee, Director and Consultant Stock Option Plan (filed as Exhibit 10.1 to the Company's Registration Statement on Form S-1, File No. 33-95970, effective October 5, 1995), as amended on November 15, 1996.
- 11.1 Statement Regarding Computation of Net Loss Per Share
- 27.1 Financial Date Schedule



(b) Reports on Form 8-K

No reports on Form 8-K were filed during the quarter ended December 31, 1996.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

MYRIAD GENETICS, INC.

Date:	February 14, 1997	By: /s/ Peter D. Meldrum Peter D. Meldrum President and Chief Executive Officer
Date:	February 14, 1997	/s/ Jay M. Moyes Jay M. Moyes Vice President of Finance (principal financial and accounting officer)

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MYRIAD GENETICS, INC. HAS OMITTED FROM THIS EXHIBIT 10.1 PORTIONS OF THE AGREEMENT FOR WHICH MYRIAD GENETICS, INC. HAS REQUESTED CONFIDENTIAL TREATMENT FROM THE SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION. THE PORTIONS OF THE AGREEMENT FOR WHICH CONFIDENTIAL TREATMENT HAS BEEN REQUESTED ARE MARKED "[]" AND SUCH CONFIDENTIAL PORTIONS HAVE BEEN FILED SEPARATELY WITH THE SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION.

PATENT AND TECHNOLOGY LICENSE AGREEMENT

THIS fourteen (14) page AGREEMENT ("AGREEMENT") is made on this 2nd day

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of December, 1996 by and between the BOARD OF REGENTS ("BOARD") of THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS SYSTEM ("SYSTEM"), an agency of the State of Texas, whose address is 201 West 7th Street, Austin, Texas 78701, THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS M. D. ANDERSON CANCER CENTER ("MDA"), a component Institution of the SYSTEM and Myriad Genetics, Inc., a Delaware corporation having a principal place of business located at 390 Wakara Way, Salt Lake City, Utah 84108 ("LICENSEE").

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RECITALS

- A. BOARD owns certain TECHNOLOGY RIGHTS related to LICENSED SUBJECT MATTER, which were developed at MDA, a component institution of SYSTEM.
- B. BOARD desires to have the LICENSED SUBJECT MATTER developed in the LICENSED FIELD and used for the benefit of LICENSEE, BOARD, SYSTEM, MDA, the inventor, and the public as outlined in the Intellectual Property Policy promulgated by the BOARD.
- C. LICENSEE wishes to obtain a license from BOARD to practice LICENSED SUBJECT $\ensuremath{\mathsf{MATTER}}$.

NOW, THEREFORE, IN CONSIDERATION OF THE MUTUAL COVENANTS AND PREMISES HEREIN CONTAINED, THE PARTIES HERETO AGREE AS FOLLOWS:

I. EFFECTIVE DATE

1.1 Subject to approval by BOARD, this AGREEMENT shall be effective as of the date written herein above ("EFFECTIVE DATE").

II. DEFINITIONS

As used in this AGREEMENT, the following terms shall have the meanings indicated:

- 2.1 AFFILIATE shall mean any business entity more than 50% owned by LICENSEE, any business entity which owns more than 50% of LICENSEE, or any business entity that is more than 50% owned by a business entity that owns more than 50% of LICENSEE.
- 2.2 LICENSED FIELD shall mean all human and animal diagnostic, preventive and therapeutic applications within the LICENSED SUBJECT MATTER.
- 2.3 LICENSED PRODUCTS shall mean any product or service SOLD by LICENSEE comprising or making use of LICENSED SUBJECT MATTER pursuant to this AGREEMENT.
- 2.4 LICENSED SUBJECT MATTER shall mean inventions and discoveries defined herein as PATENT RIGHTS or as TECHNOLOGY RIGHTS.
- 2.5 LICENSED TERRITORY shall mean the entire world.

- 2.6 NET SALES shall mean the gross amounts invoiced by LICENSEE from the SALE of LICENSED PRODUCTS less sales discounts actually granted in amounts customary in the trade, including but not limited to pharmacy incentive programs and all other similar sales incentive programs, all governmental and healthcare rebates, hospital performance incentive program rebates or charge backs, sales and/or use taxes actually paid, import and/or export duties actually paid, outbound transportation actually prepaid or allowed, insurance and postage, amounts actually allowed or credited due to returns (not exceeding the original billing or invoice amount) and any uncollectable amounts owed to LICENSEE from SALES of LICENSED PRODUCTS.
- 2.7 PATENT RIGHTS shall only mean any and all of BOARD'S rights in information or discoveries claimed in invention disclosures, patents, and/or patent applications, whether domestic or foreign, and all divisionals, substitutions, renewals, continuations, continuations-in-part, reissues, reexaminations or extensions thereof, and any letters patent that issue thereon as set forth in Exhibit I hereto, subject to the limitations, if any, set forth therein.
- 2.8 SALE or SOLD shall mean the transfer or disposition of a LICENSED PRODUCT for value to a party other than LICENSEE or an AFFILIATE.
- 2.9 Subject to the limitations, if any, set forth in Exhibit I hereto, TECHNOLOGY RIGHTS shall mean BOARD'S rights in any technical information, know-how, process, procedure, composition, device, method, formula, protocol, technique, software, design, drawing or data created by the inventors listed in Exhibit I hereto and relating to the subject matter of PATENT RIGHTS which is not claimed in PATENT RIGHTS but which is necessary for practicing PATENT RIGHTS.

III. LICENSE

- 3.1 BOARD, through MDA, hereby grants to LICENSEE a royalty-bearing, exclusive license under LICENSED SUBJECT MATTER to make, have made, use and/or sell LICENSED PRODUCTS within LICENSED TERRITORY for use within LICENSED FIELD and, subject to Paragraph 4.5 herein, shall extend to BOARD's undivided interest in any LICENSED SUBJECT MATTER developed during the term of this AGREEMENT and jointly owned by BOARD and LICENSEE. This grant shall be subject to Paragraph 14.2 and 14.3, hereinbelow , the payment by LICENSEE to BOARD of all consideration as provided in Paragraph 4.2 of this AGREEMENT, and shall be further subject to rights retained by BOARD and MDA to:
 - (A) Publish the general scientific findings from research related to LICENSED SUBJECT MATTER, subject to ARTICLE V herein under; AND

- (B) Subject to the provisions of ARTICLE XI herein below, use any information contained in LICENSED SUBJECT MATTER for research, teaching, patient care, and other educationally related purposes.
- 3.2 LICENSEE shall have the right to extend the license granted herein to any AFFILIATE provided that such AFFILIATE consents to be bound by all of the terms and conditions of this AGREEMENT.
- 3.3 Subject to the Paragraph 3.4 herein below, LICENSEE shall have the right to grant sublicenses under LICENSED SUBJECT MATTER consistent with the terms of this AGREEMENT provided that LICENSEE shall be responsible for its sublicensees relevant to this AGREEMENT, and for diligently collecting all amounts due LICENSEE from subicensees. In the event a sublicensee pursuant hereto becomes bankrupt, insolvent or is placed in the hands of a receiver or trustee, LICENSEE, to the extent allowed under applicable law and in a timely manner, agrees to use its best reasonable efforts to collect any and all consideration owed to LICENSEE and to have the sublicense agreement confirmed or rejected by a court of proper jurisdiction.
- 3.4 LICENSEE agrees to deliver to MDA a true and correct copy of each sublicense granted by LICENSEE, and any modification or termination thereof, within thirty (30) days after execution, modification, or termination.
- 3.5 Upon termination of this AGREEMENT, BOARD and MDA agree to accept as successors to LICENSEE, existing sublicensees in good standing at the date of termination provided that such sublicensees consent in writing to be bound by all of the terms and conditions of this AGREEMENT.

IV. CONSIDERATION, PAYMENTS AND REPORTS

- 4.1 In consideration of rights granted by BOARD to LICENSEE under this AGREEMENT, LICENSEE agrees to pay MDA the following:
 - (A) All out-of-pocket expenses incurred by MDA in filing, prosecuting, enforcing and maintaining PATENT RIGHTS licensed hereunder, for so long as, and in such countries as, this AGREEMENT remains in effect. MDA will invoice LICENSEE upon a quarterly basis for expenses incurred by MDA, and the amounts invoiced will be due and payable by LICENSEE within thirty (30) days thereafter; AND
 - (B) A non-refundable prepaid royalty in the amount of [] which shall not reduce the amount of any other payment provided for in this ARTICLE IV, and which shall be due and payable within thirty (30) days after execution of this agreement by LICENSEE; AND

(C) A running royalty equal to [] of LICENSEE'S NET SALES of LICENSED PRODUCTS in national political jurisdictions in the LICENSED TERRITORY where LICENSED SUBJECT MATTER is covered by one (1) or more issued patents or pending patent applications. Such royalties shall be reduced to [] of the rate stated above for LICENSEE'S NET SALES of LICENSED PRODUCTS in national political jurisdictions in the LICENSED TERRITORY where BOARD and LICENSEE decide not to file patent applications and therefore LICENSED SUBJECT MATTER is NOT covered by one (1) or more issued patents or pending patent applications.

(D) [] of all consideration (royalties not included) other than Research and Development ("R&D") money and direct equity investment received by LICENSEE from (i) any sublicensee pursuant to Paragraphs 3.3 and 3.4 herein above and (ii) any assignee pursuant to Paragraph 12.1 hereinbelow, including but not limited to up-front payments, marketing, distribution, franchise, option, license, or documentation fees, bonus and milestone payments, plus[

] of NET SALES of LICENSED PRODUCTS of sublicensee and LICENSEE (if applicable), all payable within thirty (30) days after March 31, June 30, September 30, and December 31 of each year during the term of this AGREEMENT, at which time LICENSEE shall also deliver to BOARD and MDA a true and accurate report, giving such particulars of the business conducted by LICENSEE and its sublicensees, if any exist, during the preceding three (3) calendar months under this AGREEMENT as necessary for BOARD to account for LICENSEE's payments hereunder. Such report shall include all pertinent data, including, but not limited to: (a) the total quantities of LICENSED PRODUCTS produced; (b) the total SALES, (c) the calculation of royalties thereon; (d) the total royalties (or minimum royalties) so computed and due MDA; and (e) all other amounts due MDA herein. Simultaneously with the delivery of each such report, LICENSEE shall pay to MDA the amount, if any, due for the period of such report. If no payments are due, it shall be so reported. Should LICENSEE be obligated to pay running royalties to third parties to avoid infringing such third parties' patent rights which otherwise because of infringement would preclude LICENSEE from practicing LICENSED SUBJECT MATTER, LICENSEE may reduce the running royalty due MDA by such running royalties to such third parties, provided, however, the running royalty due MDA shall in no case be less than one-half the rates stated herein.

- 4.2 As further consideration to BOARD and MDA, LICENSEE at its sole cost and expense agrees to use its reasonable commercial efforts to:

 (a) isolate the [
 (b) identify mutations of said gene.
- 4.3 During the Term of this AGREEMENT and for one (1) year thereafter, LICENSEE shall keep complete and accurate records of its and its sublicensees' SALES and NET SALES of LICENSED PRODUCTS to enable the royalties payable hereunder to be determined. LICENSEE shall permit MDA or its representatives, at MDA's expense, to periodically examine its books, ledgers, and records once annually during regular business hours and with reasonable advanced notice for the purpose of and to the extent necessary to verify any report required under this AGREEMENT. In the event that the amounts due to MDA are determined to have been underpaid in an amount equal to or greater than five percent (5%) of the total amount due during the period of time so examined, LICENSEE shall pay the cost of such examination, and accrued interest at the highest allowable rate.
- 4.4 Upon the request of MDA but not more often than once per calendar year, LICENSEE shall deliver to MDA a written report as to LICENSEE'S (and sublicensees') efforts and accomplishments during the preceding year in diligently commercializing LICENSED SUBJECT MATTER in the LICENSED TERRITORY and LICENSEE'S (and sublicensees') commercialization plans for the upcoming year.
- 4.5 All amounts payable hereunder by LICENSEE shall be payable in United States funds without deductions for taxes, assessments, fees, or charges of any kind. Checks shall be made payable to The University of Texas M. D. Anderson Cancer Center and mailed by U.S. Mail to Box 297402, Houston, Texas 77297 Attention: Manager, Sponsored Programs.
- 4.6 No payments due or royalty rates under this AGREEMENT shall be reduced as the result of co-ownership of LICENSED SUBJECT MATTER by BOARD and another party, including LICENSEE.

V. PUBLICATION

5.1 MDA shall have the right to publish the general scientific findings related to the LICENSED SUBJECT MATTER, provided such publication, presentation or public disclosure is submitted to LICENSEE at least sixty (60) days prior to submitting it to a journal, editor, or other third party. LICENSEE shall have sixty (60) days after receipt to review the proposed publication, presentation or public disclosure.

6.1 It is agreed by LICENSEE and MDA that in the event an invention, whether patentable or not, is made solely by LICENSEE or jointly by LICENSEE and MDA under the Article 4.2 hereof, LICENSEE shall assign all its right, title and interest in said invention to MDA, and MDA shall be the sole owner of such invention. If after consultation with LICENSEE it is agreed by MDA and LICENSEE that a new patent application should be filed for LICENSED SUBJECT MATTER, MDA will prepare and file appropriate patent applications, and LICENSEE will pay the cost of searching, preparing, filing, prosecuting and maintaining same. If LICENSEE notifies MDA that it does not intend to pay the cost of an application, or the prosecution or maintenance thereof in a national political jurisdiction, then MDA may file, prosecute or maintain such application at its own expense and LICENSEE shall have no rights to such patent application or patent in that national ploitical jurisdiction. MDA shall provide LICENSEE with a copy of the application for which LICENSEE has paid the cost of filing, as well as copies of any documents received or filed during prosecution thereof.

VII. INFRINGEMENT BY THIRD PARTIES

- 7.1 LICENSEE shall have the obligation of enforcing at its expense any patent exclusively licensed hereunder against infringement by third parties and shall be entitled to retain recovery from such enforcement. LICENSEE shall pay MDA a royalty on any monetary recovery to the extent that such monetary recovery by LICENSEE is held to be damages or a reasonable royalty in lieu thereof. In the event that LICENSEE does not file suit against a substantial infringer of such patents within six (6) months of knowledge thereof, then BOARD and MDA shall have the right to enforce any patent licensed hereunder on behalf of itself and LICENSEE, with MDA retaining all recoveries from such enforcement.
- 7.2 In any suit or dispute involving an infringer, the parties shall cooperate fully, and upon the request and at the expense of the party bringing suit, the other party shall make available to the party bringing suit at reasonable times and under appropriate conditions all relevant personnel, records, papers, information, samples, specimens, and the like which are in its possession.
- 7.3 In the event that an action for infringment is brought against LICENSEE, its AFFILIATES or sublicensees by a third party because of manufacture, use or sale of LICENSED PRODUCTS, LICENSEE shall defend, at its own cost, any such third party claim or action. MDA shall cooperate fully in such defense and furnish to LICENSEE all evidence and assistance.

VIII. PATENT MARKING

8.1 LICENSEE agrees that all packaging containing individual LICENSED PRODUCT(S), and documentation therefor, sold by LICENSEE, SUBSIDIARIES, and sublicensees of LICENSEE will be marked permanently and legibly with the number of the applicable patent(s) licensed hereunder in accordance with each country's patent laws, including Title 35, United States Code.

IX. INDEMNIFICATION

9.1 LICENSEE shall hold harmless and indemnify BOARD, SYSTEM, MDA, its Regents, officers, employees, students, and agents from and against any claims, demand, or causes of action whatsoever, costs of suit and reasonable attorney's fees including without limitation those costs arising on account of any injury or death of persons or damage to property caused by, or arising out of, or resulting from, the exercise or practice of the license granted hereunder by LICENSEE or its officers, employees, agents or representatives.

X. USE OF BOARD AND COMPONENT'S NAME

10.1 LICENSEE shall not use the name of (or the name of any employee of) MDA, SYSTEM or BOARD without the advance, express written consent of BOARD secured through:

> The University of Texas M. D. Anderson Cancer Center Office of Public Affairs 1515 Holcombe Boulevard Box 229 Houston, Texas 77030 ATTENTION: Stephen C. Stuyck

XI. CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION

- 11.1 MDA and LICENSEE each agree that all information contained in documents marked "confidential" which are forwarded to one by the other shall be received in strict confidence, used only for the purposes of this AGREEMENT, and not disclosed by the recipient party (except as required by law or court order), its agents or employees without the prior written consent of the other party, unless such information (a) was in the public domain at the time of disclosure, (b) later became part of the public domain through no act or omission of the recipient party, its employees, agents, successors or assigns, (c) was lawfully disclosed to the recipient party by a third party having the right to disclosure, (e) was independently developed or (f) is required to be submitted to a government agency pursuant to any preexisting obligation.
- 11.2 MDA's and LICENSEE's obligation of confidence hereunder shall be fulfilled by using the same degree of care with the other party's confidential information as it uses to protect its own confidential information. This obligation shall exist while this AGREEMENT is in force and for a period of three (3) years thereafter.

XII. ASSIGNMENT

12.1 Except in connection with merger, consolidation or sale of substantially all of LICENSEE's assets to a third party this AGREEMENT may not be assigned by LICENSEE without the prior written consent of BOARD.

XIII. TERMS AND TERMINATION

13.1 Subject to Articles 13.2, 13.3 and 13.4 hereinbelow, the term of this AGREEMENT shall extend from the Effective Date set forth hereinabove to (i) the full end of the term or terms for which PATENT RIGHTS have not expired, or (ii)d if only TECHNOLOGY RIGHTS are licensed and no PATENT RIGHTS are applicable, for a term of fifteen (15) years.

- 13.2 BOARD and MDA shall have the right at any time after one (1) year from the EFFECTIVE DATE of this AGREEMENT to terminate the license granted herein in any national political jurisdiction within the LICENSED TERRITORY if LICENSEE, within ninety (90) days after written notice from MDA of such intended termination, fails to provide written evidence satisfactory to MDA that LICENSEE has commercialized or is actively and effectively attempting to commercialize an invention licensed hereunder within such jurisdiction(s). Accurate, written evidence provided by LICENSEE to MDA within said ninety (90) day period that LICENSEE has an effective, ongoing and active research, development, manufacturing, marketing, or sales program, as appropriate, directed toward obtaining regulatory approval and/or production and/or sale of LICENSED PRODUCTS incorporating PATENT RIGHTS or incorporating TECHNOLOGY RIGHTS within such jurisdiction shall be deemed satisfactory evidence.
- 13.3 Subject to any rights herein which survive termination, this AGREEMENT will earlier terminate in its entirety:
 - (A) automatically if LICENSEE shall become bankrupt or insolvent and/or if the business of LICENSEE shall be placed in the hands of a receiver or trustee, whether by voluntary act of LICENSEE or otherwise; or
 - (B) (i) upon thirty (30) days written notice by MDA if LICENSEE shall breach or default on the payment obligations of ARTICLE IV, or use of name obligations of ARTICLE X; or (ii) upon ninety (90) days written notice by MDA if LICENSEE shall breach or default on any other obligation under this AGREEMENT; provided, however, LICENSEE may avoid such termination if before the end of such thirty (30) or ninety (90) day period if LICENSEE provides notice and accurate, written evidence satisfactory to MDA that such breach has been cured and the manner of such cure; or.
 - (C) at any time by mutual written agreement between LICENSEE, MDA and BOARD, or without cause upon one hundred eighty (180) days written notice by LICENSEE to MDA and, subject to any terms herein which survive termination.

13.4 Upon termination of this AGREEMENT for any cause:

- (A) nothing herein shall be construed to release either party of any obligation matured prior to the effective date of such termination.
- (B) LICENSEE covenants and agrees to be bound by the provisions of ARTICLES IX, X AND XI of this AGREEMENT.
- (C) LICENSEE may, after the effective date of such termination, sell all LICENSED PRODUCTS and parts therefore that it may have on hand at the date of termination, provided that LICENSEE pays the earned royalty thereon and any other amounts due pursuant to ARTICLE IV of this AGREEMENT.

XIV. WARRANTY: SUPERIOR-RIGHTS

- 14.1 Except for the rights, if any, of the Government of the United States as set forth hereinbelow, BOARD represents and warrants its belief that it is the owner of the entire right, title, and interest in and to LICENSED SUBJECT MATTER, and that it has the sole right to grant licenses thereunder, and that it has not knowingly granted licenses thereunder to any other entity that would restrict rights granted hereunder except as stated herein.
- 14.2 LICENSEE understands that the LICENSED SUBJECT MATTER may have been developed under a funding agreement with the Government of the United States of America and, if so, that the Government may have certain rights relative thereto. This AGREEMENT is explicitly made subject to the Government's rights under any such agreement and any applicable law or regulation, including P.L. 96-517 as amended by P.L. 98-620. To the extent that there is a conflict between any such agreement, applicable law or regulation and this AGREEMENT, the terms of such Government agreement, applicable law or regulation shall prevail.
- 14.3 LICENSEE understands and agrees that BOARD, by this AGREEMENT, makes no representation as to the operability or fitness for any use, safety, efficacy, approvability by regulatory authorities, time and cost of development, patentability, and/or breadth of the LICENSED SUBJECT MATTER. BOARD, by this AGREEMENT, makes no representation as to whether there are any patents now held, or which will be held, by others or by BOARD in the LICENSED FIELD, nor does BOARD make any representation that the inventions contained in PATENT RIGHTS do not infringe any other patents now held or that will be held by others or by BOARD.

14.4 LICENSEE, by execution hereof, acknowledges, covenants and agrees that LICENSEE has not been induced in anyway by BOARD, SYSTEM, MDA or employees thereof to enter into this Agreement, and further warrants and represents that (i) LICENSEE has conducted sufficient due diligence with respect to all items and issues pertaining to Article XIV herein and all other matters pertaining to this Agreement; and (ii) LICENSEE has adequate knowledge and expertise, or has utilized knowledgeable and expert consultants, to adequately conduct such due diligence, and agrees to accept all risks inherent herein.

XV. GENERAL

- 15.1 This AGREEMENT constitutes the entire and only AGREEMENT between the parties for LICENSED SUBJECT MATTER and all other prior negotiations, representations, agreements and understandings are superseded hereby. No agreements altering or supplementing the terms hereof may be made except by means of a written document signed by the duly authorized representatives of the parties.
- 15.2 Any notice required by this AGREEMENT shall be given by prepaid, first class, certified mail, return receipt requested, and addressed in the case of BOARD to:

BOARD OF REGENTS
The University of Texas System
201 West Seventh Street
Austin, Texas 78701
ATTENTION: Office of General Counsel

- with copy to: The University of Texas M.D. Anderson Cancer Center Office of Technology Development 1020 Holcombe Boulevard, Suite 1405 Houston, Texas 77030 ATTENTION: William J. Doty
- or in the case of LICENSEE to: Myriad Genetics, Inc. 390 Wakara WAy Salk Lake City, Utah 84108

ATTENTION: President

or such other address as may be given from time to time under the terms of this notice provision.

- 15.3 LICENSEE covenants and agrees to comply with all applicable federal, state and local laws and regulations in connection with its activities pursuant to this AGREEMENT.
- 15.4 This AGREEMENT shall be construed and enforced in accordance with the laws of the United States of America and of the State of Texas.
- 15.5 Failure of BOARD to enforce a right under this AGREEMENT shall not act as a waiver of that right or the ability to later assert that right relative to the particular situation involved.
- 15.6 Headings included herein are for convenience only and shall not be used to construe this AGREEMENT.
- 15.7 If any provision of this AGREEMENT shall be found by a court to be void, invalid or unenforceable, the same shall be reformed to comply with applicable law or stricken if not so conformable, so as not to affect the validity or enforceability of this AGREEMENT.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, PARTIES HERETO HAVE CAUSED THEIR DULY AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVES TO EXECUTE THIS AGREEMENT.

THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXASBOARD OF REGENTS OF THEM.D. ANDERSON CANCER CENTERUNIVERSITY OF TEXAS SYSTEM

By /s/ Michael J. Best Michael J. Best Chief Financial Officer By /s/ Ray Farabee Ray Farabee Vice Chancellor and General Counsel

APPROVED AS TO CONTENT:APPROVED AS TO FORM:By /s/ William J. DotyBy /s/ Dudley R. Dobie, Jr.William J. DotyDudley R. Dobie, Jr.Director, Technology DevelopmentManager, Intellectual Property

MYRIAD GENETICS, INC.

By /s/ Peter D. Meldrum Peter D. Meldrum President and CEO

THE DATA REFERENCED ABOVE IS AGREED TO BE CONFIDENTIAL AND SUBJECT TO THE CONDITIONS OF ARTICLE XI OF THE AGREEMENT TO WHICH THIS EXHIBIT IS ATTACHED.

MYRIAD GENETICS, INC.

1992 EMPLOYEE, DIRECTOR AND CONSULTANT STOCK OPTION PLAN (AS AMENDED AND RESTATED NOVEMBER 15, 1996)

1. DEFINITIONS.

Unless otherwise specified or unless the context otherwise requires, the following terms, as used in this Myriad Genetics, Inc. 1992 Employee, Director and Consultant Stock Option Plan, have the following meanings:

Administrator means the Board of Directors, unless it has delegated power to act on its behalf to a committee. (See Paragraph 4)

Affiliate means a corporation which, for purposes of Section 424 of the Code, is a parent or subsidiary of the Company, direct or indirect.

Board of Directors means the Board of Directors of the Company.

Code means the United States Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as ---- amended.

Common Stock means shares of the Company's common stock, \$.01 par ------value.

Company means Myriad Genetics, Inc., a Delaware corporation.

Disability or Disabled means permanent and total disability as defined in Section 22(e)(3) of the Code.

Fair Market Value of a Share of Common Stock means:

(1) If the Common Stock is listed on a national securities exchange or traded in the over-the-counter market and sales prices are regularly reported for the Common Stock, either (a) the average of the closing or last prices of the Common Stock on the Composite Tape or other comparable reporting system for the ten (10) consecutive trading days immediately preceding the applicable date or (b) the closing or last price of the Common Stock on the Composite Tape or other comparable reporting system for the trading day immediately preceding the applicable date, as the Administrator shall determine;

(2) If the Common Stock is not traded on a national securities exchange but is traded on the over-the-counter market, if sales prices are not regularly reported for the Common Stock for the trading days or day referred to in clause (1), and if bid and asked prices for the Common Stock are regularly reported, either (a) the average of the mean between the bid and the asked price for the Common Stock at the close of trading in the over-the-counter market for the ten (10) days on which Common Stock was traded immediately preceding the applicable date or (b) the mean between the bid and the asked price for the Common Stock at the close of trading in the over-the-counter market for the trading day on which Common Stock was traded immediately preceding the applicable date, as the Administrator shall determine; and

(3) If the Common Stock is neither listed on a national securities exchange nor traded in the over-the-counter market, such value as the Administrator, in good faith, shall determine.

Key Employee means an employee of the Company or of an Affiliate (including, without limitation, an employee who is also serving as an

officer or director of the Company or of an Affiliate), designated by the Administrator to be eligible to be granted one or more Options under the Plan.

Non-Qualified Option means an option which is not intended to qualify

as an ISO.

Option means an ISO or Non-Qualified Option granted under the Plan.

Option Agreement means an agreement between the Company and a

Participant delivered pursuant to the Plan.

Participant means a Key Employee, director or consultant to whom one or more Options are granted under the Plan. As used herein, "Participant" shall include "Participant's Survivors" where the context requires.

Participant's Survivors means a deceased Participant's legal representatives and/or any person or persons who

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acquired the Participant's rights to an Option by will or by the laws of descent and distribution.

Plan means this Myriad Genetics, Inc. 1992 Employee, Director and ----Consultant Stock Option Plan.

Shares means shares of the Common Stock as to which Options have been

or may be granted under the Plan or any shares of capital stock into which the Shares are changed or for which they are exchanged within the provisions of Paragraph 3 of the Plan. The Shares issued upon exercise of Options granted under the Plan may be authorized and unissued shares or shares held by the Company in its treasury, or both.

2. PURPOSES OF THE PLAN.

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The Plan is intended to encourage ownership of Shares by Key Employees, directors and certain consultants to the Company in order to attract such people, to induce them to work for the benefit of the Company or of an Affiliate and to provide additional incentive for them to promote the success of the Company or of an Affiliate. The Plan provides for the granting of ISOs and Non-Qualified Options.

- 3. SHARES SUBJECT TO THE PLAN.
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The number of Shares subject to this Plan as to which Options may be granted from time to time shall be 1,500,000 or the equivalent of such number of Shares after the Administrator, in its sole discretion, has interpreted the effect of any stock split, stock dividend, combination, recapitalization or similar transaction in accordance with Paragraph 16 of the Plan.

If an Option ceases to be "outstanding", in whole or in part, the Shares which were subject to such Option shall be available for the granting of other Options under the Plan. Any Option shall be treated as "outstanding" until such Option is exercised in full, or terminates or expires under the provisions of the Plan, or by agreement of the parties to the pertinent Option Agreement.

- 4. ADMINISTRATION OF THE PLAN.
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The Administrator of the Plan will be the Board of Directors, except to the extent the Board of Directors delegates its authority to a Committee of the Board of Directors. Following the date on which the Common Stock is registered under the Securities and

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Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "1934 Act"), the Plan is intended to comply in all respects with Rule 16b-3 or its successors, promulgated pursuant to Section 16 of the 1934 Act with respect to Participants who are subject to Section 16 of the 1934 Act, and any provision in this Plan with respect to such persons contrary to Rule 16b-3 shall be deemed null and void to the extent permissible by law and deemed appropriate by the Administrator. Subject to the provisions of the Plan, the Administrator is authorized to:

- a. Interpret the provisions of the Plan or of any Option or Option Agreement and to make all rules and determinations which it deems necessary or advisable for the administration of the Plan;
- b. Determine which employees of the Company or of an Affiliate shall be designated as Key Employees and which of the Key Employees, directors and consultants shall be granted Options;
- c. Determine the number of Shares for which an Option or Options shall be granted; and
- d. Specify the terms and conditions upon which an Option or Options may be granted;

provided, however, that all such interpretations, rules, determinations, terms and conditions shall be made and prescribed in the context of preserving the tax status under Code Section 422 of those Options which are designated as ISOs. Subject to the foregoing, the interpretation and construction by the Administrator of any provisions of the Plan or of any Option granted under it shall be final, unless otherwise determined by the Board of Directors, if the Administrator is other than the Board of Directors.

5. ELIGIBILITY FOR PARTICIPATION.

The Administrator will, in its sole discretion, name the Participants in the Plan, provided, however, that each Participant must be a Key Employee, director or consultant of the Company or of an Affiliate at the time an Option is granted. Members of the Company's Board of Directors, who are not (i) employees of the Company or of an Affiliate or (ii) nominated or elected pursuant to or in satisfaction of a contractual obligation of the Company, may receive options pursuant to Paragraph 6, Subparagraph A(e), but only pursuant thereto. Notwithstanding any of the foregoing provisions, the Administrator may authorize the grant of an Option to a person not then an employee, director or consultant of the

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Company or of an Affiliate. The actual grant of such Option, however, shall be conditioned upon such person becoming eligible to become a Participant at or prior to the time of the execution of the Option Agreement evidencing such Option. ISOs may be granted only to Key Employees. Non-Qualified Options may be granted to any Key Employee, director or consultant of the Company or an Affiliate. In no event shall any employee be granted in any calendar year Options to purchase more than 1,000,000 shares of the Company's Common Stock pursuant to this Plan. The granting of any Option to any individual shall neither entitle that individual to, nor disqualify him or her from, participation in any other grant of Options.

6. TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF OPTIONS.

Each Option shall be set forth in writing in an Option Agreement, duly executed by the Company and, to the extent required by law or requested by the Company, by the Participant. The Administrator may provide that Options be, granted subject to such conditions as the Administrator may deem appropriate including, without limitation, subsequent approval by the stockholders of the Company of this Plan or any amendments thereto. The Option Agreements shall be subject to at least the following terms and conditions:

A. Non-Qualified Options: Each Option intended to be a Non-Qualified Option shall be subject to the terms and conditions which the

Administrator determines to be appropriate and in the best interest of the Company, subject to the following minimum standards for any such Non-Qualified Option:

- a. Option Price: The option price (per share) of the Shares covered by each Option shall be determined by the Administrator but shall not be less than the par value per share of Common Stock.
- b. Each Option Agreement shall state the number of Shares to which it pertains;
- c. Each Option Agreement shall state the date or dates on which it first is exercisable and the date after which it may no longer be exercised, and may provide that the Option rights accrue or become exercisable in installments over a period of months or years, or upon the occurrence of certain conditions or the attainment of stated goals or events; and

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- d. Exercise of any Option may be conditioned upon the Participant's execution of a Share purchase agreement in form satisfactory to the Administrator providing for certain protections for the Company and its other shareholders including requirements that:
 - i. The Participant's or the Participant's Survivors' right to sell the Shares may be restricted; and
 - ii. The Participant or the Participant's Survivors may be required to execute letters of investment intent and must also acknowledge that the Shares will bear legends noting any applicable restrictions.
- e. Each director of the Company who is not (i) an employee of the Company or any Affiliate, or (ii) nominated or elected pursuant to or in satisfaction of a contractual obligation of the Company, who is elected or appointed to the Board of Directors after the date on which the initial underwritten public offering of the Company's Common Stock is consummated, upon such election or appointment shall be granted a Non-Qualified Option to purchase 5,000 Shares (the "Initial Grant") and upon every anniversary thereof, provided that on such dates such director has been in the continued and uninterrupted service of the Company as a director since his or her election or appointment and remains a director of the Company who is not (i) an employee of the Company or (ii) nominated or elected pursuant to or in satisfaction of a contractual obligation of the Company, each such Director shall be granted an additional Non-Qualified Option to purchase 7,500 Shares. Each such Option shall (i) have an exercise price equal to the Fair Market Value (per share) of the Shares on the date of grant of the Option, (ii) have a term of ten (10) years, and (iii) shall become cumulatively exercisable in three (3) equal annual installments of thirty-three and 33/100 percent (33.33%) each, upon completion of one full year of service on the Board of directors after the date of grant, and continuing on each of the next two (2) full years of service thereafter. Additionally, each grant of an Option subsequent to the Initial Grant shall be subject to adjustment such that the number of Shares subject to such Option, shall be

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increased on a proportional basis to reflect any increase in the issued and outstanding shares of capital stock of the Company in the year of the subject grant over the number of such shares issued and outstanding at the time of the Initial Grant, provided, that no such adjustment shall be required until such

adjustment results in an increase in the grant equal to at least 100 Shares. Any director entitled to receive an Option grant under this subparagraph may elect to decline the Option. Notwithstanding the provisions of Paragraph 23 concerning amendment of the Plan, the provisions of this subparagraph shall not be amended more than once every six months, other than to comport with changes in the Code, the Employee Retirement Income Security Act, or the rules thereunder. The provisions of Paragraphs 10, 11, 12 and 13 below shall not apply to Options granted pursuant to this subparagraph.

Except as otherwise provided in the pertinent Option Agreement, if a director who receives Options pursuant to this subparagraph:

- i. ceases to be a member of the Board of Directors of the Company for any reason other than death or disability, any then unexercised Options granted to such director may be exercised by the director within a period of ninety (90) days after the date the director ceases to be a member of the Board of Directors, but only to the extent of the number of Shares with respect to which the Options are exercisable on the date the director ceases to be a member of the Board of Directors, and in no event later than the expiration date of the Option; or,
- ii. ceases to be a member of the Board of Directors of the Company by reason of his or her death or Disability, any then unexercised Options granted to such Director may be exercised by the Participant (or by the Participant's personal representative, or the Participant's Survivors) within a period of one hundred eighty (180) days after the date the director ceases to be a member of the Board of Directors, but only to the extent of the number of Shares with respect to which the Options are exercisable on the date the

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director ceases to be a member of the Board of Directors, and in no event later than the expiration date of the Option.

- B. ISOs: Each Option intended to be an ISO shall be issued only to a Key Employee and be subject to at least the following terms and conditions, with such additional restrictions or changes as the Administrator determines are appropriate but not in conflict with Code Section 422 and relevant regulations and rulings of the Internal Revenue Service:
 - a. Minimum standards: The ISO shall meet the minimum standards required of Non-Qualified Options, as described above, except clause (a) thereunder.
 - b. Option Price: Immediately before the Option is granted, if the Participant owns, directly or by reason of the applicable attribution rules in Code Section 424(d):
 - i. Ten percent (10%) or less of the total combined voting power of all classes of share capital of the Company or an Affiliate, the Option price per share of the Shares covered by each Option shall not be less than one hundred percent (100%) of the Fair Market Value per share of the Shares on the date of the grant of the Option.
 - ii. More than ten percent (10%) of the total combined voting power of all classes of share capital of the Company or an Affiliate, the Option price per share of the Shares covered by each Option shall not be less than one hundred ten percent (110%) of the said Fair Market Value on the date of grant.
 - c. Term of Option: For Participants who own
 - Ten percent (10%) or less of the total combined voting power
 of all classes of share capital of the Company or an
 Affiliate, each Option shall terminate not more than ten
 (10) years from the date of the grant or at such earlier
 time as the Option Agreement may provide;
 - ii. More than ten percent (10%) of the total

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combined voting power of all classes of share capital of the Company or an Affiliate, each Option shall terminate not more than five (5) years from the date of the grant or at such earlier time as the Option Agreement may provide.

- d. Limitation on Yearly Exercise: The Option Agreements shall restrict the amount of Options which may be exercisable in any calendar year (under this or any other ISO plan of the Company or an Affiliate) so that the aggregate Fair Market Value (determined at the time each ISO is granted) of the stock with respect to which ISOs are exercisable for the first time by the Participant in any calendar year does not exceed one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000), provided that this subparagraph (e) shall have no force or effect if its inclusion in the Plan is not necessary for Options issued as ISOs to qualify as ISOs pursuant to Section 422(d) of the Code.
- e. Limitation on Grant of ISOs: No ISOs shall be granted after the date which is the earlier of ten (10) years from the date of the

adoption of the Plan by the Company and the date of the approval of the Plan by the shareholders of the Company.

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7. EXERCISE OF OPTION AND ISSUE OF SHARES.

An Option (or any part or installment thereof) shall be exercised by giving written notice to the Company at its principal office address, together with provision for payment of the full purchase price in accordance with this paragraph for the Shares as to which such Option is being exercised, and upon compliance with any other condition(s) set forth in the Option Agreement. Such written notice shall be signed by the person exercising the Option, shall state the number of Shares with respect to which the Option is being exercised and shall contain any representation required by the Plan or the Option Agreement. Payment of the purchase price for the Shares as to which such Option is being exercised shall be made (a) in United States dollars in cash or by check, or (b) at the discretion of the Administrator, through delivery of shares of Common Stock having a fair market value equal as of the date of the exercise to the cash exercise price of the Option, determined in good faith by the Administrator, or (c) at the discretion of the Administrator, by delivery of the grantee's personal recourse note bearing interest payable not less than annually at no less than 100% of the applicable Federal rate, as defined in Section 1274(d) of the Code, or (d) at the discretion of the Administrator, in accordance with a cashless exercise program established with a securities brokerage firm, and approved by the Administrator, (e) at the discretion of the Administrator, by any combination of (a), (b), (c) and (d) above. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Administrator shall accept only such payment on exercise of an ISO as is permitted by Section 422 of the Code.

The Company shall then reasonably promptly deliver the Shares as to which such Option was exercised to the Participant (or to the Participant's Survivors, as the case may be). In determining what constitutes "reasonably promptly," it is expressly understood that the delivery of the Shares may be delayed by the Company in order to comply with any law or regulation which requires the Company to take any action with respect to the Shares prior to their issuance. The Shares shall, upon delivery, be evidenced by an appropriate certificate or certificates for fully paid, non-assessable Shares.

The Administrator shall have the right to accelerate the date of exercise of any installment of any Option; provided that the Administrator shall not accelerate the exercise date of any installment of any Option granted to any Key Employee as an ISO (and not previously converted into a Non-Qualified Option pursuant to paragraph 19) if such acceleration would violate the annual vesting limitation contained in Section 422(d) of the Code, as described in paragraph 6(e).

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The Administrator may, in its discretion, amend any term or condition of an outstanding Option provided (i) such term or condition as amended is permitted by the Plan, (ii) any such amendment shall be made only with the consent of the Participant to whom the Option was granted, or in the event of the death of the Participant, the Participant's Survivors, if the amendment is adverse to the Participant, (iii) any such amendment of any ISO shall be made only after the Administrator, after consulting the counsel for the Company, determines whether such amendment would constitute a "modification" of any Option which is an ISO (as that term is defined in Section 424(h) of the Code) or would cause any adverse tax consequences for the holders of such ISO, and (iv) with respect to any Option held by any Participant who is subject to the provisions of Section 16(a) of the 1934 Act, any such amendment shall be made only after the Administrator, after consulting with counsel for the Company, determines whether such amendment would constitute the grant of a new Option.

- 8. RIGHTS AS A SHAREHOLDER.
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No Participant to whom an Option has been granted shall have rights as a shareholder with respect to any Shares covered by such Option, except after due exercise of the Option and tender of the full purchase price for the Shares being purchased pursuant to such exercise and registration of the Shares in the Company's share register in the name of the Participant.

9. ASSIGNABILITY AND TRANSFERABILITY OF OPTIONS.

By its terms, an Option granted to a Participant shall not be transferable by the Participant other than by will or by the laws of descent and distribution or pursuant to a qualified domestic relations order as defined by the Code or Title I of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act or the rules thereunder, provided, however, that the designation of a beneficiary of an Option by a

Participant shall not be deemed a transfer prohibited by this Paragraph. Except as provided in the preceding sentence, an Option shall be exercisable, during the Participant's lifetime, only by such Participant (or by his or her legal representative). Such Option shall not be assigned, pledged or hypothecated in any way (whether by operation of law or otherwise) and shall not be subject to execution, attachment or similar process. Any attempted transfer, assignment, pledge, hypothecation or other disposition of any Option or of any rights granted thereunder contrary to the provisions of this Plan, or the levy of any attachment or similar

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process upon an Option, shall be null and void.

10. EFFECT OF TERMINATION OF SERVICE OTHER THAN "FOR CAUSE".

Except as otherwise provided in the pertinent Option Agreement, in the event of a termination of service (whether as an employee, director or consultant) with the Company or an Affiliate before the Participant has exercised all Options, the following rules apply:

- a. A Participant who ceases to be an employee, director or consultant of the Company or of an Affiliate (for any reason other than termination "for cause", Disability, or death for which events there are special rules in Paragraphs 11, 12, and 13, respectively), may exercise any Option granted to him or her to the extent that the right to purchase Shares has accrued on the date of such termination of service, but only within such term as the Administrator has designated in the pertinent Option Agreement.
- b. In no event may an Option Agreement provide, if the Option is intended to be an ISO, that the time for exercise be later than three (3) months after the Participant's termination of employment.
- c. The provisions of this paragraph, and not the provisions of Paragraph 12 or 13, shall apply to a Participant who subsequently becomes disabled or dies after the termination of employment, director status or consultancy, provided, however, in the case of a Participant's death within three (3) months after the termination of employment, director status or consulting, the Participant's Survivors may exercise the Option within one (1) year after the date of the Participant's death, but in no event after the date of expiration of the term of the Option.
- d. Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, if subsequent to a Participant's termination of employment, termination of director status or termination of consultancy, but prior to the exercise of an Option, the Board of Directors determines that, either prior or subsequent to the Participant's termination, the Participant engaged in conduct which would constitute "cause", then such Participant shall forthwith cease to have any right to exercise any Option.
- e. A Participant to whom an Option has been granted under

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the Plan who is absent from work with the Company or with an Affiliate because of temporary disability (any disability other than a permanent and total Disability as defined in Paragraph 1 hereof), or who is on leave of absence for any purpose, shall not, during the period of any such absence, be deemed, by virtue of such absence alone, to have terminated such Participant's employment, director status or consultancy with the Company or with an Affiliate, except as the Administrator may otherwise expressly provide.

- f. Options granted under the Plan shall not be affected by any change of employment or other service within or among the Company and any Affiliates, so long as the Participant continues to be an employee, director or consultant of the Company or any Affiliate, provided, however, if a Participant's employment by either the Company or an Affiliate should cease (other than to become an employee of an Affiliate or the Company), such termination shall affect the Participant's rights under any Option granted to such Participant in accordance with the terms of the Plan and the pertinent Option Agreement.
- 11. EFFECT OF TERMINATION OF SERVICE "FOR CAUSE".

Except as otherwise provided in the pertinent Option Agreement, the following rules apply if the Participant's service (whether as an employee, director or consultant) with the Company or an Affiliate is terminated "for cause" prior to the time that all of his or her outstanding Options have been exercised:

- a. All outstanding and unexercised Options as of the date the Participant is notified his or her service is terminated "for cause" will immediately be forfeited, unless the Option Agreement provides otherwise.
- b. For purposes of this Article, "cause" shall include (and is not limited to) dishonesty with respect to the employer, insubordination, substantial malfeasance or non-feasance of duty, unauthorized disclosure of confidential information, and conduct substantially prejudicial to the business of the Company or any Affiliate. The determination of the Administrator as to the existence of cause will be conclusive on the Participant and the Company.
- c. "Cause" is not limited to events which have occurred prior to a Participant's termination of service, nor is

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it necessary that the Administrator's finding of "cause" occur prior to termination. If the Administrator determines, subsequent to a Participant's termination of service but prior to the exercise of an Option, that either prior or subsequent to the Participant's termination the Participant engaged in conduct which would constitute "cause", then the right to exercise any Option is forfeited.

- d. Any definition in an agreement between the Participant and the Company or an Affiliate, which contains a conflicting definition of "cause" for termination and which is in effect at the time of such termination, shall supersede the definition in this Plan with respect to such Participant.
- 12. EFFECT OF TERMINATION OF SERVICE FOR DISABILITY.

Except as otherwise provided in the pertinent Option Agreement, a Participant who ceases to be an employee, director or consultant of the Company or of an Affiliate by reason of Disability may exercise any Option granted to such Participant:

- a. To the extent exercisable but not exercised on the date of Disability; and
- b. In the event rights to exercise the Option accrue periodically, to the extent of a pro rata portion of any additional rights as would have accrued had the Participant not become Disabled prior to the end of the accrual period which next ends following the date of Disability. The proration shall be based upon the number of days of such accrual period prior to the date of Disability.

A Disabled Participant may exercise such rights only within a period of not more than one (1) year after the date that the Participant became Disabled, notwithstanding that the Participant might have been able to exercise the Option as to some or all of the Shares on a later date if he or she had not become disabled and had continued to be an employee, director or consultant or, if earlier, within the originally prescribed term of the Option.

The Administrator shall make the determination both of whether Disability has occurred and the date of its occurrence (unless a procedure for such determination is set forth in another agreement between the Company and such Participant, in which case such procedure shall be used for such determination). If requested, the Participant shall be examined by a physician selected or approved

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by the Administrator, the cost of which examination shall be paid for by the Company.

13. EFFECT OF DEATH WHILE AN EMPLOYEE, DIRECTOR OR CONSULTANT.

Except as otherwise provided in the pertinent Option Agreement, in the event of the death of a Participant to whom an Option has been granted while the Participant is an employee, director or consultant of the Company or of an Affiliate, such Option may be exercised by the Participant's Survivors:

- a. To the extent exercisable but not exercised on the date of death; and
- b. In the event rights to exercise the Option accrue periodically, to the extent of a pro rata portion of any additional rights which would have accrued had the Participant not died prior to the end of the accrual period which next ends following the date of death. The proration shall be based upon the number of days of such accrual period prior to the Participant's death.

If the Participant's Survivors wish to exercise the Option, they must take all necessary steps to exercise the Option within one (1) year after the date of death of such Participant, notwithstanding that the decedent might have been able to exercise the Option as to some or all of the Shares on a later date if he or she had not died and had continued to be an employee, director or consultant or, if earlier, within the originally prescribed term of the Option.

- 14. PURCHASE FOR INVESTMENT.
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Unless the offering and sale of the Shares to be issued upon the particular exercise of an Option shall have been effectively registered under the Securities Act of 1933, as now in force or hereafter amended (the "1933 Act"), the Company shall be under no obligation to issue the Shares covered by such exercise unless and until the following conditions have been fulfilled:

a. The person(s) who exercise such Option shall warrant to the Company, prior to the receipt of such Shares, that such person(s) are acquiring such Shares for their own respective accounts, for investment, and not with a view to, or for sale in connection with, the distribution of

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any such Shares, in which event the person(s) acquiring such Shares shall be bound by the provisions of the following legend which shall be endorsed upon the certificate(s) evidencing their Shares issued pursuant to such exercise or such grant:

"The shares represented by this certificate have been taken for investment and they may not be sold or otherwise transferred by any person, including a pledgee, unless (1) either (a) a Registration Statement with respect to such shares shall be effective under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or (b) the Company shall have received an opinion of counsel satisfactory to it that an exemption from registration under such Act is then available, and (2) there shall have been compliance with all applicable state securities laws.

b. The Company shall have received an opinion of its counsel that the Shares may be issued upon such particular exercise in compliance with the 1933 Act without registration thereunder.

The Company may delay issuance of the Shares until completion of any action or obtaining of any consent which the Company deems necessary under any applicable law (including, without limitation, state securities or "blue sky" laws).

15. DISSOLUTION OR LIQUIDATION OF THE COMPANY.

Upon the dissolution or liquidation of the Company, all Options granted under this Plan which as of such date shall not have been exercised will terminate and become null and void; provided, however, that if the rights of a Participant or a Participant's Survivors have not otherwise terminated and expired, the Participant or the Participant's Survivors will have the right immediately prior to such dissolution or liquidation to exercise any Option to the extent that the Option is exercisable as of the date immediately prior to such dissolution or liquidation.

16. ADJUSTMENTS.

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Upon the occurrence of any of the following events, a Participant's rights with respect to any Option granted to him or her hereunder which have not previously been exercised in full shall be adjusted as hereinafter provided, unless otherwise specifically provided in the written agreement between the Participant and the Company relating to such Option:

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A. Stock Dividends and Stock Splits. If the shares of Common Stock shall

be subdivided or combined into a greater or smaller number of shares or if the Company shall issue any shares of Common Stock as a stock dividend on its outstanding Common Stock, the number of shares of Common Stock deliverable upon the exercise of such Option shall be appropriately increased or decreased proportionately, and appropriate adjustments shall be made in the purchase price per share to reflect such subdivision, combination or stock dividend. The number of Shares subject to options to be granted to directors pursuant to Subparagraph e of Paragraph 6 shall also be proportionately adjusted upon the occurrence of such events.

B. Consolidations or Mergers. If the Company is to be consolidated with

or acquired by another entity in a merger, sale of all or substantially all of the Company's assets or otherwise (an "Acquisition"), the Administrator or the board of directors of any entity assuming the obligations of the Company hereunder (the "Successor Board"), shall, as to outstanding Options, either (i) make appropriate provision for the continuation of such Options by substituting on an equitable basis for the Shares then subject to such Options either the consideration payable with respect to the outstanding shares of Common Stock in connection with the Acquisition or securities of any successor or acquiring entity; or (ii) upon written notice to the Participants, provide that all Options must be exercised (either, to the extent then exercisable or, at the discretion of the Administrator, all Options being made fully exercisable for purposes of this subsection), within a specified number of days of the date of such notice, at the end of which period the Options shall terminate; or (iii) terminate all Options in exchange for a cash payment equal to the excess of the Fair Market Value of the shares subject to such Options (either to the extent then exercisable or, at the discretion of the Administrator, all Options being made fully exercisable for purposes of this subsection) over the exercise price thereof.

C. Recapitalization or Reorganization. In the event of a

recapitalization or reorganization of the Company (other than a transaction described in subparagraph B above) pursuant to which securities of the Company or of another corporation are issued with respect to the outstanding shares of Common Stock, a Participant upon exercising an Option shall be entitled to receive for the purchase price paid upon such exercise the securities he or she would have received if he or she had exercised such Option prior to such recapitalization or reorganization.

D. Modification of ISOs. Notwithstanding the foregoing, any adjustments made pursuant to subparagraph A, B or C with respect to ISOs shall be made only after the Administrator, after

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consulting with counsel for the Company, determines whether such adjustments would constitute a "modification" of such ISOs (as that term is defined in Section 424(h) of the Code) or would cause any adverse tax consequences for the holders of such ISOs. If the Administrator determines that such adjustments made with respect to ISOs would constitute a modification of such ISOs, it may refrain from making such adjustments, unless the holder of an ISO specifically requests in writing that such adjustment be made and such writing indicates that the holder has full knowledge of the consequences of such "modification" on his or her income tax treatment with respect to the ISO.

17. ISSUANCES OF SECURITIES.

Except as expressly provided herein, no issuance by the Company of shares of stock of any class, or securities convertible into shares of stock of any class, shall affect, and no adjustment by reason thereof shall be made with respect to, the number or price of shares subject to Options. Except as expressly provided herein, no adjustments shall be made for dividends paid in cash or in property (including without limitation, securities) of the Company.

18. FRACTIONAL SHARES.

No fractional share shall be issued under the Plan and the person exercising such right shall receive from the Company cash in lieu of such fractional share equal to the Fair Market Value thereof.

19. CONVERSION OF ISOS INTO NON-QUALIFIED OPTIONS:

TERMINATION OF ISOS.

The Administrator, at the written request of any Participant, may in its discretion take such actions as may be necessary to convert such Participant's ISOs (or any portions thereof) that have not been exercised on the date of conversion into Non-Qualified Options at any time prior to the expiration of such ISOs, regardless of whether the Participant is an employee of the Company or an Affiliate at the time of such conversion. Such actions may include, but not be limited to, extending the exercise period or reducing the exercise price of the appropriate installments of such Options. At the time of such conversion, the Administrator (with the consent of the Participant) may impose such conditions on the exercise of the resulting Non-Qualified Options as the Administrator in its discretion may determine, provided that such conditions shall not be inconsistent with this Plan. Nothing in the Plan shall be deemed to give any Participant the right to have

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such Participant's ISO's converted into Non-Qualified Options, and no such conversion shall occur until and unless the Administrator takes appropriate action. The Administrator, with the consent of the Participant, may also terminate any portion of any ISO that has not been exercised at the time of such termination.

20. WITHHOLDING.

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In the event that any federal, state, or local income taxes, employment taxes, Federal Insurance Contributions Act ("F.I.C.A.") withholdings or other amounts are required by applicable law or governmental regulation to be withheld from the Optionholder's salary, wages or other remuneration in connection with the exercise of an Option or a Disgualifying Disposition (as defined in Paragraph 21), the Optionholder shall advance in cash to the Company, or to any Affiliate of the Company which employs or employed the Optionholder, the amount of such withholdings unless a different withholding arrangement, including the use of shares of the Company's Common Stock, is authorized by the Administrator (and permitted by law); provided, however, that with respect to persons subject to Section 16 of the 1934 Act, any such withholding arrangement shall be in compliance with any applicable provisions of Rule 16b-3 promulgated under Section 16 of the 1934 Act. For purposes hereof, the fair market value of the shares withheld for purposes of payroll withholding shall be determined in the manner provided in Paragraph 1 above, as of the most recent practicable date prior to the date of exercise. If the fair market value of the shares withheld is less than the amount of payroll withholdings required, the Optionholder may be required to advance the difference in cash to the Company or the Affiliate employer. The Administrator in its discretion may condition the exercise of an Option for less than the then Fair Market Value on the Participant's payment of such additional withholding.

21. NOTICE TO COMPANY OF DISQUALIFYING DISPOSITION.

Each Key Employee who receives an ISO must agree to notify the Company in writing immediately after the Key Employee makes a Disqualifying Disposition of any shares acquired pursuant to the exercise of an ISO. A Disqualifying Disposition is any disposition (including any sale) of such shares before the later of (a) two years after the date the Key Employee was granted the ISO, or (b) one year after the date the Key Employee acquired shares by exercising the ISO. If the Key Employee has died before such stock

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is sold, these holding period requirements do not apply and no Disqualifying Disposition can occur thereafter.

22. TERMINATION OF THE PLAN.

The Plan will terminate on November 9, 2002, the date which is ten (10) years from the earlier of the date of its adoption and the date of its approval

by the shareholders of the Company. The Plan may be terminated at an earlier date by vote of the shareholders of the Company; provided, however, that any such earlier termination will not affect any Options granted or Option Agreements executed prior to the effective date of such termination.

23. AMENDMENT OF THE PLAN AND AGREEMENTS.

The Plan may be amended by the shareholders of the Company. The Plan may also be amended by the Administrator, including, without limitation, to the extent necessary to qualify any or all outstanding Options granted under the Plan or Options to be granted under the Plan for favorable federal income tax treatment (including deferral of taxation upon exercise) as may be afforded incentive stock options under Section 422 of the Code, to the extent necessary to ensure the qualification of the Plan under Rule 16b-3, at such time, if any, as the Company has a class of stock registered pursuant to Section 12 of the 1934 Act, and to the extent necessary to qualify the shares issuable upon exercise of any outstanding Options granted, or Options to be granted, under the Plan for listing on any national securities exchange or quotation in any national automated quotation system of securities dealers. Any amendment approved by the Administrator which is of a scope that requires shareholder approval in order to ensure favorable federal income tax treatment for any incentive stock options or requires shareholder approval in order to ensure the compliance of the Plan with Rule 16b-3 at such time, if any, as the Company has a class of stock registered pursuant to Section 12 of the 1934 Act, shall be subject to obtaining such shareholder approval. Any modification or amendment of the Plan shall not, without the consent of a Participant, affect his or her rights under an Option previously granted to him or her. With the consent of the Participant affected, the Administrator may amend outstanding Option Agreements in a manner which may be adverse to the Participant but which is not inconsistent with the Plan. In the discretion of the Administrator, outstanding Option Agreements may be amended by the Administrator in a manner which is not adverse to the Participant.

24. EMPLOYMENT OR OTHER RELATIONSHIP.

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Nothing in this Plan or any Option Agreement shall be deemed to prevent the Company or an Affiliate from terminating the employment, consultancy or director status of a Participant, nor to prevent a Participant from terminating his or her own employment, consultancy or director status or to give any Participant a right to be retained in employment or other service by the Company or any Affiliate for any period of time.

25. GOVERNING LAW.

This Plan shall be construed and enforced in accordance with the law of the State of Delaware.

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Myriad Genetics, Inc. Statement Regarding Computation of Net Loss Per Share

	Three Months Ended		Six Months Ended	
	Dec. 31, 1996	Dec. 31, 1995	Dec. 31, 1996	Dec. 31, 1995
Net loss Weighted average common shares	(\$3,453,693)	(\$651,323)	(\$6,283,772)	(\$2,254,225)
outstanding	8,743,530	7,880,951	8,728,177	5,720,794
Weighted average preferred shares outstanding	-	257,405	-	882,048
Shares used in computation	8,743,530	8,138,356	8,728,177	6,602,842
Net loss per share	(\$0.39)	(\$0.08)	(\$0.72)	(\$0.34)

THIS SCHEDULE CONTAINS SUMMARY FINANCIAL INFORMATION EXTRACTED FROM THE CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS AND CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS AND IS QUALIFIED IN ITS ENTIRETY BY REFERENCE TO SUCH FINANCIAL STATEMENTS.

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