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PARTIES	Loughborough University, Sijung Hu and Vicente Azorin-Peris
ISSUE	Mention of additional inventor for patent numbers GB1318390.0 & GB1418267.9
HEARING OFFICER	Susan Eaves

DECISION

1 Patents Form 7 names one inventor, Sijung Hu. The patent proprietor is Loughborough University.

2 Loughborough University has filed an application in accordance with rule 10(2) of the Patents Rules 2007 to the effect that Vicente Azorin-Peris should also have been named as a joint inventor in the published patent applications.

3 The patent proprietor, Loughborough University, Sijung Hu and Vicente Azorin-Peris have filed written consent in support of the application. I therefore conclude that all relevant parties agree that Vicente Azorin-Peris should be named as a joint inventor.

4 Accordingly I find that Vicente Azorin-Peris should be mentioned as a joint inventor in the published patent applications, GB1318390.0 and GB1418267.9. I therefore direct, in accordance with rule 10(1), that an addendum slip mentioning him as a joint inventor be prepared for the published patent applications.

Susan Eaves
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