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Athersys, Inc.

- Individual(s)
- General Partnership
- Corporation-State
- Other \_\_\_\_\_
- Association
- Limited Partnership

Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached?  Yes  No

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies)

Name: Venture Lending & Leasing IV, Inc., as Agent

Internal

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: 2010 North First Street

City: San Jose State: CA Zip: 95131

- Individual(s) citizenship \_\_\_\_\_
- Association \_\_\_\_\_
- General Partnership \_\_\_\_\_
- Limited Partnership \_\_\_\_\_
- Corporation-State Maryland
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

If assignee is not domiciled in the United States, a domestic representative designation is attached:  Yes  No  
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3. Nature of conveyance:

- Assignment
- Security Agreement
- Other Release
- Merger
- Change of Name

Execution Date: 6/18/07

4. Application number(s) or registration number(s):

A. Trademark Application No.(s) 76/585359; 76/585360;  
76/585361; 76/585362; 76/585363; 76/643756; 76/650452

B. Trademark Registration No.(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Additional number(s) attached  Yes  No

5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:

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Internal Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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City: San Francisco State: CA Zip: 94111

6. Total number of applications and registrations involved: \_\_\_\_\_

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
RELEASE OF SECURITY INTEREST IN TRADEMARKS

Whereas, ATHERSYS, INC., a Delaware corporation, whose post office address is 3201 Carnegie Avenue, Cleveland, OH 44115-2634 ("Assignor"), had granted, to secure the repayment of loans made under a Loan and Security Agreement dated as of November 2, 2004, (as amended, the "Loan Agreement"), pursuant to the Loan Agreement, a security interest in certain personal property assets of Assignor, including all right, title and interest of Assignor in, to and under all of Assignor's trademarks, trademark applications and trademark licenses, as specifically listed on the attached "Schedule 1," whether presently existing or hereafter arising or acquired, and all products and proceeds thereof, including, without limitation, any and all causes of action which may exist by reason of infringement thereof for the full term of the trademarks (all of the foregoing are collectively called the "Trademarks") to Venture Lending & Leasing IV, Inc., a Maryland corporation (in its capacity as agent for itself and Costella Kirsch IV, L.P. under the Loan Agreement), having a mailing address at 2010 North First Street, Suite 310, San Jose, California 95131 ("Assignee") by an Intellectual Property Security Agreement executed February 14, 2006, and recorded at the United States Patent and Trademark Office on March 9, 2006.

Now, therefore, for good and valuable consideration provided to Assignee by Assignor, Assignee, by these presents, does release Assignor from Assignee's security interest in the entire right, title and interest in and to the Trademarks.

Executed this 18 day of June 2007, at San Jose, California.

VENTURE LENDING & LEASING IV, INC., as Agent

By: [Signature]  
Name: Maurice Werdegar  
Title: Partner

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Trademarks

<b>Description</b>	<b>Registration/Application Number</b>	<b>Registration/Application Date</b>
RAGE (stylized letters)	76-585359 Allowed; # pending	April 6, 2004
SMC (stylized letters)	76-585360 Allowed; # pending	April 6, 2004
ATHERSYS (stylized letters)	76-585361 Allowed; # pending	April 6, 2004
GECKO (stylized letters)	76-585362 Allowed; # pending	April 6, 2004
A ATHERSYS (design plus stylized letters)	76-585363 Allowed; # pending	April 6, 2004
MULTISTEM	76/643,756	July 27, 2005
ReGenesys	76/650,452	November 17, 2005

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