



PATENTS ACT 1977

PARTIES Nanostellar, Inc., Kyle J Furdala, Timothy
J Truex and Jifei Jia

ISSUE Mention of additional inventor for patent
application number GB 2444126
under Section 13(1)

HEARING OFFICER A R BUSHELL

DECISION

- 1 Patents Form 7/77 names two inventors: Kyle J Furdala and Timothy J Truex
- 2 Nanostellar, Inc., the patent proprietor, has now made an application under rule 10(2) of the Patents Rules 2007 to the effect that Jifei Jia should also have been named as a joint inventor.
- 3 Both Kyle J Furdala and Timothy J Truex have provided written consent to the application. For his part, Jifei Jia has also filed written consent and has confirmed that he should be named as a joint inventor. I therefore conclude that all relevant parties agree that Jifei Jia should be named as a joint inventor.
- 4 Accordingly I find that Jifei Jia should be mentioned as a joint inventor in the published patent application and granted patent for the invention and I direct, in accordance with rule 10(1), that an addendum slip mentioning him as a joint inventor be prepared for the published patent application and granted patent for the invention.

A R BUSHELL

B3 Head of Litigation Section, acting for Comptroller