05-14-1998 FORM PTO-1595 RF U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCI Rev. 6-93) Patent and Trademark Office Atty. Docket No. 03806.0420 To the Honorable Commission 100710333 Please record the attached or ereof. 1. Name of conveying party(ies): 2. Name and address of receiving party(ies): Jean-Claude BARRIERE; Georges BASHIARDES; Jean-Christophe CARRY; Michel EVERS; Bruno Name: RHONE-POULENC RORER S.A. FILOCHE; and Serge MIGNANI Additional names(s) of conveying party(ies) Internal Address: \_ attached? \_\_\_Yes XX No 3. Nature of conveyance: Street Address: 20, avenue Raymond-Aron, \_\_ Merger XX Assignment \_\_ Security Agreement \_\_ Change of Name City: Antony Cedex \_\_ Other \_\_\_\_ State: France ZIP: 92165 Execution Date: December 30, 1997 Additional name(s) & address(es) attached? \_\_\_Yes XX\_No 4. Application number(s) or patent number(s): If this document is being filed together with a new application, the execution date of the application is: \_\_\_\_ A. Patent Application No.(s) B. Patent No.(s) U.S. Serial No. 08/997,612 Additional numbers attached? \_\_\_\_Yes XX No 5. Name and address of party to whom 6. Total number of applications and patents correspondence concerning document involved ONE (1) should be mailed: Name: Michele C. Bosch Internal Address: \_\_\_ |7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41): \$40.00 \_ | XX Enclosed Street Address: C/O Finnegan, Henderson, \_\_ Authorized to be charged to Farabow, Garrett & Dunner, L.L.P., 1300 I deposit account Street, N.W. City: <u>Washington</u> ZIP: <u>20005-3315</u> 8. Deposit account number: \_\_\_ State: D.C.

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To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document.

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JOINT INVENTION (U.S. Rights Only)

#### **ASSIGNMENT**

WHEREAS, We, the below named inventors, (hereinafter referred to as Assignors, have made an invention entitled:

NOVEL CYCLOSPORIN COMPOUNDS, THEIR PREPARATION AND THE PHARMACEUTICAL COMPOSITIONS WHICH CONTAIN THEM

for which we executed an application	for United Sta	ites Letters Patent o	concurrently
herewith or on	or filed an app	olication for United	States Letters
Patent on <u>December 23, 1997</u>	_ (Serial No.	); and	

WHEREAS, RHONE-POULENC RORER S.A., a corporation of France whose post office address is 20, avenue Raymond-Aron, 92165 Antony Cedex, France (hereinafter referred to as Assignee), is desirous of securing the entire right, title, and interest in and to this invention, the application for United States Letters Patent on this invention and the Letters Patent to be issued upon this application;

NOW THEREFORE, be it known that, for good and valuable consideration the receipt of which from assignee is hereby acknowledged, we, as assignors, have sold, assigned, transferred, and set over, and do hereby sell, assign, transfer, and set over unto the assignee, its lawful successors and assigns, our entire right, title, and interest in and to this invention and this application, and all divisions, and continuations thereof, and all Letters Patent of the United States which may be granted thereon, and all reissues thereof; and we hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States to issue all Letters Patent for this invention to assignee, its successors and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this Assignment;

AND, WE HEREBY further covenant and agree that we will, without further consideration, communicate with assignee, its successors and assigns, any facts known to us respecting this invention and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers when called upon to do so, execute and deliver all papers that may be necessary or desirable to perfect the title to this invention in said assignee, its successors and assigns, execute all divisional, continuation, and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths and generally do everything possible to aid assignee, its successors and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for this invention in the United States, it being understood that any expense incident to the execution of such papers shall be borne by the assignee, its successors and assigns.

AND, WE HEREBY authorize and request the attorneys we have empowered in the Declaration and Power of Attorney in this application, to insert here in parentheses (Application No, filed) the filing date and application number of said application when known.
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