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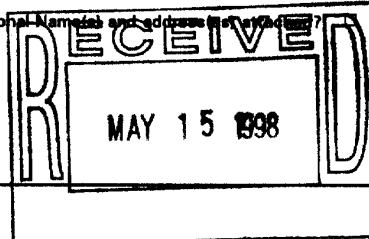
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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, I, Allan D. Hess, citizen of the United States of America, residing at 10100 Charington Road, Cockeysville, Maryland 21030, respectively, have invented certain new and useful improvements in **IMMUNOMODULATORY POLYPEPTIDES DERIVED FROM THE INVARIANT CHAIN OF MHC CLASS II** for which an application for Letters Patent of the United States was executed on February 24, 1998, and accorded Serial No. 09/028,274; and

WHEREAS, The Johns Hopkins University, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Maryland having a place of business in Baltimore, Maryland, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to the aforesaid invention and in and to any Letters Patent of the United States or any foreign country which may be granted therefor;


NOW THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, I, said Allan D. Hess, by these presents do sell, assign, and transfer unto The Johns Hopkins University, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, the full and exclusive right to the said invention as described in the said application, and the entire right, title and interest in and to any and all Letters Patent which may be granted therefor in the United States and its territorial possessions and in any and all foreign countries and in and to any and all divisions, reissues, continuations and extensions thereof;

AND I HEREBY authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks or any other proper officer or agency of any country to issue all said Letters Patent to said assignee;

AND I HEREBY warrant and covenant that I have full right to convey the entire interest herein assigned and that I have not executed and will not execute any instrument or assignment in conflict herewith;

AND I HEREBY agree to communicate to said assignee or its representatives any facts known to us respecting said invention, to execute all divisional, continuation, reissue and foreign applications, sign all lawful documents and make all rightful oaths relating to said invention, and to testify in any judicial or administrative proceeding and generally do everything possible to aid the said assignee to obtain and enforce said Letters Patent in the United States or any foreign country when requested so to do by said assignee.


IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set our hand and seal.

Date: 04-29-98 Inventor: 
Allan D. Hess

STATE OF MARYLAND)
) ss
COUNTY OF BALTIMORE)

On this 29 day of April, 1998, before me a Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid, personally appeared Allan D. Hess to me known and known to me to be the person of the name, who signed and sealed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged the same to be their free act and deed.

(SEAL)


Notary Public

My Commission Expires: 2/2002