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ASSIGNMENT

FOR GOOD AND VALUABLE CONSIDERATION, the receipt, sufficiency and adequacy of which are hereby acknowledged, the undersigned, do hereby:

SELL, ASSIGN AND TRANSFER to the BOARD OF REGENTS, THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS SYSTEM (the "Assignee"), having a place of business at 201 West Seventh Street, Austin, Texas 78701, the entire right, title and interest for the United States and all foreign countries in and to any and all improvements entitled **TREATMENT OF PREECLAMPSIA, TOXEMIA AND PRETERM LABOR WITH COMBINATION OF PROGESTATIONAL AGENT AND A NITRIC OXIDE SYNTHASE SUBSTRATE AND/OR DONOR** for which U.S. Application Serial No. 08/092,426 for Letters Patent was filed in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on July 16, 1993, such application and all divisional, continuing, substitute, renewal, reissue and all other applications for patent which have been or shall be filed in the United States and all foreign countries on any of such improvements; all original and reissued patents which have been or shall be issued in the United States and all foreign countries on such improvements; and specifically including the right to file foreign applications under the provisions of any convention or treaty and claim priority based on such application in the United States;

AUTHORIZE AND REQUEST the issuing authority to issue any and all United States and foreign patents granted on such improvements to the Assignee;

WARRANT AND COVENANT that no proper assignment, grant, mortgage, license or other agreement affecting the rights and property herein conveyed has been or will be made to others by the undersigned, and that the full right to convey the same as herein expressed is possessed, and that the full right to convey the same as herein expressed is possessed by the undersigned, except to the extent that the prior improper assignment to Schering Aktiengesellschaft, now nullified, may have been effective;

COVENANT that, when requested and at the expense of the Assignee, to carry out in good faith the intent and purpose of this assignment, the undersigned will execute all divisional, continuing, substitute, renewal, reissue, and all other patent applications on any and all such improvements, execute all rightful oaths, declarations, assignments, powers of attorney and other papers; communicate to the Assignee all facts thereof; and generally do everything possible which the Assignee shall consider desirable for securing, maintaining and enforcing proper patent improvements in the Assignee;

TO BE BINDING on the heirs, assigns, representatives and successors of the undersigned and extend to the successors, assigns and nominee of the Assignee.

(Signature)

Name: Dr. Robert E. Garfield

Date:

4 May, 1998

(Signature)

Name: Dr. Chandra Yallampalli

Date:

5/4/98State of Texas

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County of Galveston

Kathleen J. Sabala
Notary Public

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this 4th day of May, 1998, personally appeared R. Garfield & C. Yallampalli known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument and acknowledged to me that They executed the same of Their own free will for the purposes and consideration therein expressed.

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