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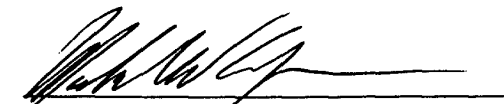
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Attached hereto is a true and accurate copy of a certification by the Department of State of the State of New York, dated June 12, 1997, certifying, inter alia, the name change of Ciba-Geigy Corporation to Novartis Corporation, filed on December 31, 1996.

I, Michael W. Glynn, hereby declare that all statements made of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true. Further, I am aware that willful and false statements and the like are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both (18 USC §1001) and may jeopardize the validity of this document and any registration resulting therefrom.

Date: JUL 25 1997



Michael W. Glynn
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I hereby certify, that the certificate of incorporation of NOVARTIS CORPORATION was filed on 11/15/1966, under the name of ARDSLEY CHEMICAL CORPORATION, with perpetual duration, and that a diligent examination has been made of the index of corporation papers filed in this Department for a certificate, order, or record of a dissolution, and upon such examination, no such certificate, order or record has been found, and that so far as indicated by the records of this Department, such corporation is a subsisting corporation. I further certify the following:

A Certificate of Merger and Name Change of ARDSLEY CHEMICAL CORPORATION, changing name to GEIGY CHEMICAL CORPORATION was filed on 12/30/1966.

A Certificate of Merger and Name Change of GEIGY CHEMICAL CORPORATION, changing name to CIBA-GEIGY CORPORATION was filed on 10/21/1970.

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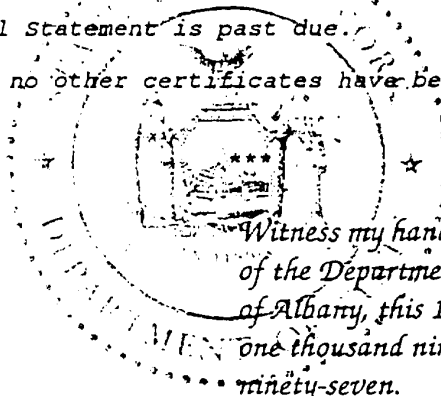
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The Corporation Biennial Statement is past due.

I further certify, that no other certificates have been filed by such
corporation.



Witness my hand and the official seal
of the Department of State at the City
of Albany, this 12th day of June
one thousand nine hundred and
ninety-seven.

Special Deputy Secretary of State

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