

**PATENT
ASSIGNMENT**

WHEREAS, AMPLIFON S.P.A.

corporation of _____, located at
Via Ripamonti, 131/133 Milan, Italy

is the owner of United States Patent No.

5,176,632 granted on January 5, 1993 and United
States Patent No. 5,298,022 granted on March 29, 1994.

WHEREAS, MENARINI INDUSTRIE FARMACEUTICHE S.r.l.

located at Via Sette Santi, 3 Florence, Italy

(hereinafter called the "Assignee" is desirous of acquiring
the entire right, title and interest in the United States in
and to the inventions described in the above patents.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of ONE
DOLLAR (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration to
it in hand paid, the receipt of which is hereby
acknowledged, Assignor does hereby sell, transfer, convey,
and assign to Assignee, its successors, assigns and legal
representatives, the entire right, title and interest in
the United States in and to the said inventions, and the said
United States Patents granted thereon, as hereinabove
described, together with the right to recover for past
infringements of said patents, if any.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the said Assignor has caused these
presents to be signed in its corporate name by its duly
authorized representative as of the June 23 day of
1998.

AMPLIFON S.P.A.


By Giovanni Martino Rollier
Managing Director

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WHEREAS, ~~A. MENARINI INDUSTRIE FARMACEUTICHE RIUNITE S.r.l.~~

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