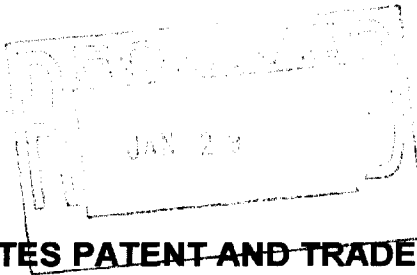


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For good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNOR(S),

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hereby sell(s), assign(s) and transfer(s) to ASSIGNEE, ZENECA Limited, a company created and existing under the laws of England and Wales, having its Head Office at 15 Stanhope Gate, London, W1Y 6LN England, and the successors, assigns and legal representatives of the ASSIGNEE the entire right, title and interest for the United States and its territorial possessions and in all foreign countries in and to any and all improvements which are disclosed in the invention entitled:

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Signed this

15th day of December, 1998

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