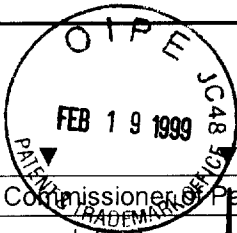


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WHEREAS,

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(hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNOR), has made an invention entitled:

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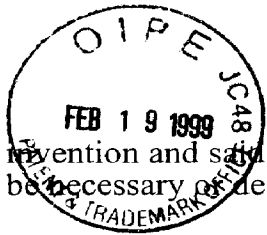
WHEREAS,

Bausch & Lomb Incorporated, a corporation of the State of New York, having offices at One Bausch & Lomb Place, Rochester, New York 14604-2701, United States of America (hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE), is desirous of acquiring the entire interest in and to said invention and under said Letters Patent or similar legal protection to be obtained therefor in the United States and in any and all foreign countries.

NOW, THEREFORE, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Be it known that in consideration of the payment by ASSIGNEE to ASSIGNOR of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNOR hereby sells, assigns and transfers to ASSIGNEE the full and exclusive right, title and interest to said invention and in and to all Letters Patent or similar legal protection in the United States and its territorial possessions and in any and all foreign countries to be obtained for said invention by said application or any continuation, division, renewal, substitute or reissue thereof or any legal equivalent thereof in a foreign country for the full term or terms for which the same may be granted, including all convention rights.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, ASSIGNOR has hereunto set hand and seal.

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Date

Zhenze Hu  
Zhenze Hu

2/11/99  
Date

Christine E. Soltys  
Christine E. Soltys

State of New York )  
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I, Barbara J. Buchiere, a Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid, do hereby certify that ZHENZE HU, personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, appeared before me this day in person and acknowledged that he signed and delivered the said instrument as his free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and Notarial Seal this 11<sup>th</sup> day of February, 1999.

**Barbara J. Buchiere**  
Notary Public  
State of New York  
County of Monroe  
Commission Expires 9/2/99

Barbara J. Buchiere  
Notary Public

State of New York )  
County of Monroe ) ss.:

I, Barbara J. Buchiere, a Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid, do hereby certify that CHRISTINE E. SOLTYS, personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, appeared before me this day in person and acknowledged that she signed and delivered the said instrument as her free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and Notarial Seal this 11<sup>th</sup> day of February, 1999.

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