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In consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) or the equivalent thereof, and other good and valuable consideration paid to Takashi Mimura residing 3-5-9, Wakabayashi, Setagaya-ku, Tokyo 154-0023 Japan; Eiichiro Imai residing at 1-2-13, Kitashimizu-cho, Sakai-shi, Osaka 590-0004 Japan; Takahiro Imai residing at 1-2-13, Kitashimizu-cho, Sakai-shi, Osaka 590-0004 Japan; Takehiro Ogasa residing at 3-4-6-408, Shinkanaoka-cho, Sakai-shi, Osaka 591-8021 Japan; and Masaji Kasai residing at 3-12-15, Kugenumamatsugaoka, Fujisawa-shi, Kanagawa 251-0038 Japan; subjects of Japan, by Kyowa Hakko Kogyo Co., LTD., a corporation organized under the laws of Japan, located at 6-1, Ohtemachi 1-chome, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo 100-8185 Japan, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we the said Takashi Mimura, Eiichiro Imai, Takahiro Imai, Ogasa Takehiro and Masaji Kasai do hereby sell and assign to said Kyowa Hakko Kogyo Co., Ltd., its successors and assigns, all our right, title and interest in and for the United States of America, in and to the invention relating to

"PROCESS FOR PRODUCING N-GLYCYLTYROSINE AND ITS CRYSTAL STRUCTURE"

invented by us and described in the application for United States Letters Patent therefor, executed on even date herewith, and all United States Letters Patent which may be granted therefor, and all divisions, reissues, ownership of the said Letters Patent when granted, to be held and enjoyed by said Kyowa Hakko Kogyo Co., Ltd., its successors, assigns or other legal representatives, to the full end of the term for which said Letters Patent may be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by us if this assignment and sale had not been made;

And we hereby agree to sign and execute any further documents or instruments which may be necessary, lawful, and proper in the prosecution of said above-named application or in the preparation and prosecution of any continuing, continuation-in-part, substitute, divisional, renewal, reviewed or reissue

applications or in any amendment, extension, or interference proceedings, or otherwise to secure the title thereto in said assignee;

And we do hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue said Letters Patent to said Kyowa Hakko Kogyo Co., Ltd.

Signed this 6th day of April, 1999

Takashi Mimura

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Signed this 31st day of March, 1999

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Signed this 2nd day of April, 1999

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