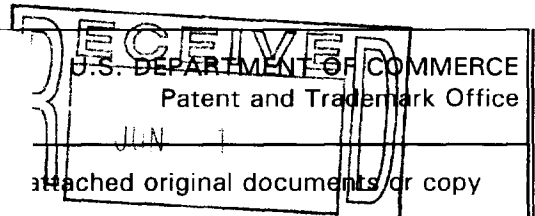


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WHEREAS, I, **Anne B. Eldrup**, herein after referred to as the assignor, residing at **Rolfs Plads 27, DK 2000, Frederiksberg, Denmark**, am a joint inventor with **Gerald Haaima and Peter E. Nielsen** of certain inventions or improvements for which we have made application for Letters Patent of the United States, identified as Serial No. **09/083,235**, filed **May 22, 1998**, entitled **PEPTIDE NUCLEIC ACID MONOMERS AND OLIGOMERS**; and

WHEREAS, **Peter E. Nielsen**, hereinafter referred to as the assignee, of **Hjortevaeg 509, 2980 Kokkedal, Denmark**, is desirous of acquiring my entire right, title and interest in and to the said inventions or improvements and in and to the said application, and in, to and under any and all Letters Patent which may be granted on or as a result thereof in any and all countries:

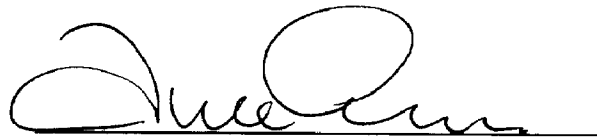
NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) to me in hand paid by said assignee, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I, the said assignor, have sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over, to said assignee, my entire right, title and interest in and to said inventions or improvements and said application and any and all continuations, divisions and renewals of and substitutes for said application, and in, to and under any and all Letters Patent which may be granted on or as a result thereof in the United States and any and all other countries, and any re-issue or re-issues or extension or extensions of said Letters Patent, and assign to and authorize said assignee to file in my name applications for Letters Patent in all countries, the same to be held and enjoyed by said assignee, its successors, assigns, nominees or legal representatives, to the full end of the term or terms for which said Letters Patent respectively may be granted, reissued or extended, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by me had this assignment, sale and transfer not been made.

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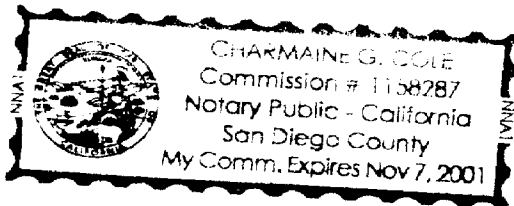


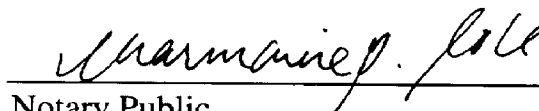
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On this 9th day of December, 19 98, before me personally came the above named Anne B. Eldrup to me personally known and known to me to be the same individual who executed the foregoing assignment, and who acknowledged to me that execution of the same was of that person's own free will for the use and purposes therein set forth.





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