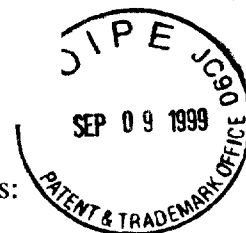


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In consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is acknowledged, the undersigned inventors (ASSIGNORS) hereby sell and assign to Arzneimittelwerk Dresden GmbH, a German corporation, having an office at Meissner Str. 35, 01445 Radebeul, Germany (ASSIGNEE), its successors, legal representatives and assigns, the entire, right, title and interest in, to and under the invention entitled MODULATING BONDING SITE ON POTASSIUM CHANNELS FOR SCREENING AND IDENTIFYING OF NEW ACTIVE INGREDIENTS, and based on a provisional application filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on August 3, 1999, and the said application and all divisions, renewals and continuations thereof, and all patents of the United States which may be granted thereon and all reissues and extensions thereof, and all applications for patent which may hereafter be filed for said invention in any country or countries foreign to the United States, and all patents which may be granted for said invention in any country or countries foreign to the United States and all extensions, renewals and reissues thereof, together with any and all rights of priority relating to said invention, said applications and said patents; and the ASSIGNOR hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States, and any official of any country or countries foreign to the United States, whose duty it is to issue patents on applications as aforesaid, to issue all patents for said invention to the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this instrument.

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