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Street Address: 5600 U.S. 1 North  
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## ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, we, the undersigned, residing at the indicated addresses given below, respectively, have invented certain new and useful improvements in **Use Of Imidazole And Indole Compounds As Inhibitors Of Neural Nitric Oxide Synthase**, for which an application for United States Letters Patent was

signed by us as dated below.

filed July 17, 1999, Serial No. 09/356,171

WHEREAS, Harbor Branch Oceanographic Institution, Inc., a corporation of the State of Florida, having a place of business at 5600 U.S. 1 North, Fort Pierce, Florida 34946, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and in and to any Letters Patent which may be granted therefor in the United States and in any and all foreign countries;

NOW, THEREFORE, in view of valuable consideration, receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, we, the undersigned, have sold, assigned, and transferred, and by these presents do sell, assign, and transfer, unto said Harbor Branch Oceanographic Institution, Inc., its successors and assigns, the full and exclusive right to the said invention in the United States and its territorial possessions and in all foreign countries and the entire right, title, and interest in and to any and all Letters Patent which may be granted therefor in the United States and its territorial possessions and in any and all foreign countries and in and to any and all divisions, reissues, continuations, and extensions thereof.

We hereby authorize and request the Patent Office Officials in the United States and in any and all foreign countries to issue any and all of said Letters Patent, when granted, to said Harbor Branch Oceanographic Institution, Inc., as the assignee of the entire right, title and interest in and to the same, for the sole use and behoof of said Harbor Branch Oceanographic Institution, Inc., its successors and assigns.

FURTHER, We agree that we will communicate to said Harbor Branch Oceanographic Institution, Inc., or its representatives, any facts known to us respecting said invention; testify in any legal proceedings; sign all lawful papers; execute all divisional, continuation, substitution, renewal, and reissue applications; execute all necessary assignment papers to cause any and all of said Letters Patent to be issued to said Harbor Branch Oceanographic Institution, Inc.; make all rightful oaths; and generally do everything possible to aid the said Harbor Branch Oceanographic Institution, Inc., its successors and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper protection for said invention in the United States and in any and all foreign countries.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 26<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1999.

Signed Ross E. Longley

Ross E. Longley

Address: 560 39<sup>th</sup> Court, S.W.  
Vero Beach, FL 32968 USA

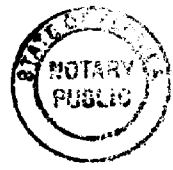
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On this 26 day of August, 1999, personally appeared before me the above-named ROSS E. LONGLEY, to me known and known to me to be the person described in the foregoing instrument, who executed the foregoing instrument, and who acknowledged the same to be his/her free act and deed in and for the purposes set forth in said instrument.

Janice B. McDuffie  
Notary Public

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 26<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1999.

Signed [Signature]

Richard A. Isbrucker  
2410 Tamarind Drive  
Fort Pierce, FL 34926

Address:

State of Florida )  
County of )

On this 26 day of August, 1999, personally appeared before me the above-named RICHARD A. ISBRUCKER, to me known and known to me to be the person described in the foregoing instrument, who executed the foregoing instrument, and who acknowledged the same to be his/her free act and deed in and for the purposes set forth in said instrument.

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 26<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1999.

Signed Amy E Wright  
Amy E. Wright

Address: 423 Rouse Road  
Fort Pierce, FL 34946

State of Florida )  
County of )

On this 26 day of August, 1999, personally appeared before me the above-named AMY E. WRIGHT, to me known and known to me to be the person described in the foregoing instrument, who executed the foregoing instrument, and who acknowledged the same to be his/her free act and deed in and for the purposes set forth in said instrument.

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