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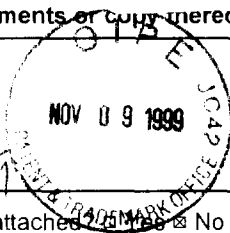
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5,688,824

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Steven J. Scott

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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS I, James Williams, [hereinafter referred to as Assignor], have made inventions entitled:

1. USE OF LEFLUNOMIDE TO CONTROL AND REVERSE CHRONIC ALLOGRAFT REJECTION, filed as U.S. patent application serial no. 08/270,908 on July 5, 1994, which application issued as U.S. Patent No. 5,624,946 on April 29, 1997, and

2. USE OF LEFLUNOMIDE TO PREVENT OR CONTROL XENOGRAFT REJECTION, filed as U.S. patent application serial no. 08/598,149 on February 7, 1996, which application issued as U.S. Patent No. 5,688,824 on November 18, 1997; and

WHEREAS, Hoechst Marion Roussel Deutschland GmbH, a corporation of Germany whose address is Brüningstr. 50, 65926 Frankfurt am Main, Germany [hereinafter referred to as Assignee], is desirous of securing the entire right, title, and interest in and to these inventions in all countries throughout the world, and in and to the applications for United States Letters Patent on these inventions and the Letters Patent issued upon those applications;

NOW THEREFORE, be it known that for good and valuable consideration the receipt of which from assignee is hereby acknowledged, I, as assignor, have sold, assigned, transferred, and set over, and do hereby sell, assign, transfer, and set over unto the assignee, its lawful successors and assigns, my entire right, title, and interest in and to these inventions and any Letters Patent or applications corresponding thereto worldwide as well as any continuations, continuations in part, divisionals, registrations, confirmations, revalidations, reissues, renewals or extensions of term including patent term restoration and supplementary certificates thereof, including all Letters Patent of the United States which may be granted thereon, and all reissues thereof, and all rights to claim priority on the basis of these applications, and all applications for Letters Patent which have or which may hereafter be filed for these inventions in any foreign country and all Letters Patent which may be granted on these inventions in any foreign country, and all extensions, renewals, and reissues thereof; and I hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States and any official of any foreign country whose duty it is to issue patents on applications as described above, to issue all Letters Patent for these inventions to assignee, its successors and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this Assignment;

AND, I HEREBY covenant that I have the full right to convey the interest assigned by this Assignment, and I have not executed and will not execute any agreement in conflict with this Assignment;

AND, I HEREBY further covenant and agree that I will, without further consideration, communicate with assignee, its successors and assigns, any facts known to me respecting these inventions, and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers when called upon to do so, execute and deliver any and all papers that may be necessary or desirable to perfect the title to these inventions in said assignee, its successors or assigns, execute all divisional, continuation, and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths and generally do everything possible to aid assignee, its successors and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for these inventions in the United States and any foreign country.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have hereunto set our hands.

County of COOK)
State of ILLINOIS)

ss.

James Williams
665 Superior
Oak Park, IL 60302

By: [Signature]

Date: October 18, 1999

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of OCTOBER, 1999

[Signature]
Notary Public

