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RELEASE TO INVENTOR AND  
ASSIGNMENT OF RIGHTS

The Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center, a corporation of Massachusetts, having its principal place of business at 330 Brookline Avenue, Boston, MA, in consideration of One Dollar and other valuable consideration paid to us by J. Thomas Lamont and K. Ramakrishnan Bhaskar, hereby assigns its entire right, title, and any other claim of ownership it may have for the United States of America and all foreign countries including all rights of priority under the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property in a certain invention or improvement in

*Pharmaceutical Compositions Containing Chondroitinase and Uses Therefor*

described in an application

\_\_\_ executed by us of even date herewith and about to be filed

X Serial No. 09/058,684, filed on April 10, 1998

in the United States Patent and Trademark Office, and in all Letters Patent of the United States and all foreign countries which may or shall be granted on said invention, or any parts thereof, or on said application, or any divisional, continuing, reissue or other applications based in whole or in part thereon, to the Inventors, J. Thomas Lamont, K. Ramakrishnan Bhaskar, and to other legal co-inventors, if any.

And hereby authorizes and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States to issue such Letters Patent as shall be granted upon said application or applications based thereon to said J. Thomas Lamont and K. Ramakrishnan Bhaskar.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this release and assignment has been duly executed by the Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center and the inventors as of the date set forth below.

WITNESS my hand and seal this 29<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2000.

By: Mark Chalek  
Name: MARK CHALEK  
Title: DIRECTOR, CORPORATE RESEARCH  
For: The Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center

Commonwealth of MA )  
County of Suffolk )ss

Then personally appeared the above Mark Chalek and acknowledged the foregoing instrument to be his/her free act and deed, before me, this 29<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2000.

Catherine Lenich  
Notary Public

My commission expires: \_\_\_\_\_

CATHERINE LENICH  
Notary Public  
My Commission Expires July 30, 2004

WITNESS my hand and seal this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of March, 2000.

By: J. Thomas Lamont  
J. Thomas Lamont

Commonwealth of MASS )  
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Then personally appeared the above named J. Thomas Lamont and acknowledged the foregoing instrument to be his/her free act and deed, before me, this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of March, 2000.

Robert L. Moody  
Notary Public

My commission expires: 11-12-2005

WITNESS my hand and seal this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of March, 2000.

By: K. Ramakrishnan Bhaskar  
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Then personally appeared the above named K. Ramakrishnan Bhaskar and acknowledged the foregoing instrument to be his/her free act and deed, before me, this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of March, 2000.

Robert L. Moody  
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