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WHEREAS, we, Raphael BOUCHET, Francis BRION, Colette COLLADANT  
and Jacques LAGOUARDAT citizens of France  
and residents of France  
for which Application PCT/FR98/01480 has been  
filed on July 9, 1998 in which the United States has been  
named as a Designated State, and an application for Letters Patent  
of the United States thus entitled has been made, said application  
having been executed on even date herewith and the French  
priority date of July 15, 1997 of Application Serial No. 97/08932  
is hereby claimed.

WHEREAS, Hoechst Marion Roussel  
a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of France  
and having a place of business at 102, Route de  
Noisy, F-93235 Romainville, Cedex, France is  
desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and  
to said invention, application and any Letters Patent which may  
issue thereon;

NOW, THEREFORE, to all whom it may concern, be it known that  
we, the said Raphael BOUCHET, Francis BRION, Colette COLLADANT  
and Jacques LAGOUARDAT for and in consideration of the sum of ONE  
DOLLAR (\$1.00) to us in hand paid by the said Hoechst Marion  
Roussel and for other good and valuable  
considerations, the receipt of all of which is hereby acknowledged,  
do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over unto the said Hoechst Marion Roussel  
its successors and assigns, the

entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, said application and any Letters Patent that may issue thereon in the United States together with any division or divisions, extension or extensions, reissue or reissues thereof;

AND, I hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any and all Letters Patent which may issue upon said invention to said Hoechst Marion Roussel \_\_\_\_\_ as assignee of the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, application and any Letters Patent that may issue thereupon.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand as of the following date:

*R. Bouchet* Date: 15 January 2000  
Raphael BOUCHET

*F. Brion* Date: 10 January 2000  
Francis BRION

*C. Colladant* Date: 06 January 2000  
Colette COLLADANT

*J. Lagouardat* Date: 07 January 2000  
Jacques LAGOUARDAT

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On this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ before me personally came \_\_\_\_\_ to me know and known to me to be the individuals described in and who executed the foregoing instrument and fully acknowledged that they executed the same.

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