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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Boehringer Mannheim GmbH, by name change now Roche Diagnostics GmbH, (hereinafter ASSIGNOR) a company having its principal office and place of business at 116 Sandhofer Strasse, D-68298 Mannheim, Federal Republic of Germany, owns the invention described in U.S. Patent No. 5,767,239 issued on June 16, 1998.

AND, WHEREAS, Prof. Dr. Wolf-Georg Forssmann (hereinafter ASSIGNEE), having a mailing address at Cardiopep Pharma GmbH, Feodor-Lynen-Str.5, 30625 Hannover, Germany, is desirous of acquiring all right, title and interest therein.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the above said ASSIGNOR by these presents does sell, assign and transfer unto the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, the full and exclusive right, title and interest in and to U.S. Patent No. 5,767,239.

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