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## ASSIGNMENT

This Assignment is made by Ronald M. Evans of La Jolla, California, Assignor, for himself and as agent for HOWARD HUGHES MEDICAL INSTITUTE, to THE SALK INSTITUTE FOR BIOLOGICAL STUDIES, Assignee, having a place of business at 10010 North Torrey Pines Road, La Jolla, California 92037.

WHEREAS, Assignor has invented a new and useful invention entitled TREATMENT OF DISEASE STATES WHICH RESULT FROM NEOPLASTIC CELL PROLIFERATION USING PPAR-GAMMA ACTIVATORS AND COMPOSITIONS USEFUL THEREFOR for which an application for United States Letters Patent was filed on June 21, 1999 in the United States Patent and Trademark Office and assigned U.S. Application No. 09/331,535, identified as Attorney Docket No. SALK1920-1;

WHEREAS, Assignor hereby authorizes and requests insertion of the application serial number when officially known.

WHEREAS, Assignor believes himself to be the original inventor of the invention disclosed and claimed in said application for Letters Patent; and

WHEREAS, the parties desire to have a recordable instrument assigning the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, said application and any Letters Patent that may be granted for said invention in the United States and throughout the world;

NOW, THEREFORE, in accordance with the obligations to assign the invention and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, Assignor sells, assigns, and transfers to Assignee, the entire right, title, and interest in and to said invention, said application and any Letters Patent that may be granted for said invention in the United States and throughout the world, including the right to file foreign applications directly in the name of the Assignee and to claim for any such foreign applications

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any priority rights to which such applications are entitled under international conventions, treaties, or otherwise.

Assignor agrees that, upon request and without further compensation, but at no expense to Assignor, he and his legal representatives and assigns will do all lawful acts, including the execution of papers and the giving of testimony, that may be necessary or desirable for obtaining, sustaining, reissuing, or enforcing Letters Patent in the United States and throughout the world for said invention, and for perfecting, recording, or maintaining the title of Assignee, its successors and assigns, to said invention, said application, and any Letters Patent granted for said invention in the United States and throughout the world.

Assignor represents and warrants that he has not granted and will not grant to others any rights inconsistent with the rights granted herein.

Assignor authorizes and requests the Assistant Commissioner for Patents of the United States and of all foreign countries to issue any Letters Patent granted for said invention, whether on said application or on any subsequently filed division, continuation, continuation-inpart or reissue application, to Assignee, its successors and assigns, as the assignee of the entire interest in said invention. IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Assignor has executed this Assignment on the date(s)

provided below.

Assignor: RONALD M. EVANS

Date: \_\_\_\_ 21 00

STATE OF CALIFORNIA

COUNTY OF SAN DIEGO )

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For Himself and as Agent for

HOWARD HUGHES MEDICAL INSTITUTE

On \_\_\_\_\_\_, 2000, before me, the undersigned Notary Public, personally appeared RONALD M. EVANS, personally known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument, or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

(Signature of Notary)

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