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- WHEREAS, we (1) Daniel LESIEUR
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respectively, have invented certain new and useful improvements in
NEW SUBSTITUTED DIMERIC COMPOUNDS

for which an application for United States Letters Patent was signed
 by us on even date herewith; and

WHEREAS, ADIR ET COMPAGNIE

having a place of business at 1, rue Carle Hébert 92415 COURBEVOIE Cedex (FRANCE)

is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title, and interest in
 and to said invention and in and to any Letters Patent which may be
 granted therefor in the United States and in any and all foreign
 countries;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of ONE DOLLAR (\$1.00)
 to each of us in hand paid, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged
 and other valuable consideration, we, the said Daniel LESIEUR, Said YOUS,

Carole DESCAMPS-FRANCOIS, Francois LEFOULON, Gérald GUILLAUMET, Marie-Claude VIAUD
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have sold, assigned, and transferred, and by these presents do sell, assign, and transfer,
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its successors and assigns, the full and exclusive right to the said
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its successors and assigns.

FURTHER, We agree that we will communicate to said

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or its representatives, any facts known to us respecting said invention; testify in any legal proceeding; sign all lawful papers; execute all divisional, continuation, substitution, renewal, and reissue applications; execute all necessary assignment papers to cause any and all of said Letters Patent to be issued to said

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its successors and assigns, make all rightful oaths; and generally do everything possible to aid said

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its successors and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper protection for said invention in the United States and in any and all foreign countries.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands this 28 day of February, 19 2000.

Signed in the presence of:

(1) Daniel LESIEUR

Signature:

Daniel LESIEUR

Inventor

Witness

(2) Said YOUS

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(3) Carole DESCAMPS-FRANCOIS

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Philippe DELAGRANGE

Inventor

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Vu pour certification matérielle de la signature de Mm. LESIEUR, YOUS, LEFOULON, GUILLAUMET, apposée et de DELAGRANGE, et de Mmes DESCAMPS-FRANCOIS, VIAUD et BENNEJEAN,

apposée ci-contre.

[Handwritten signature]

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Signed in the presence of:

(9) Pierre RENARD

Vu pour certification matérielle de la signature de M. RENARD apposée ci-contre.

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