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**ASSIGNMENT**

For valuable consideration,

|                           |          |                                |
|---------------------------|----------|--------------------------------|
| Full Name of Assignor     | City     | State (and Country if not USA) |
| Advanced Bioconcept, Ltd. | Montreal | Quebec, CANADA                 |

hereby assigns to

|                             |                        |  |
|-----------------------------|------------------------|--|
| Full Name of Assignee       | State of Incorporation | Business Address   |
| Advanced Bioconcept Company | Nova Scotia, CANADA    | Suite 201<br>5375 Paré Street<br>Montreal, CANADA<br>H4P 1P7 |

and to its successors and assigns (collectively hereinafter called "the Assignee"), the entire right, title and interest throughout the world in the inventions and improvements which are subject of one or more applications for United States Patent signed by us, identified as:

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and authorize and request the attorneys appointed in said application to hereafter complete this assignment by inserting above the filing date and serial number of said application when known; this assignment includes said application, any and all United States and foreign patents, utility models, and design registrations granted for any of said inventions or improvements, and the right to claim priority based on the filing date of said application under the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, the Patent Cooperation Treaty, the European Patent Convention, and all other treaties of like purposes; and authorize the Assignee to apply in all countries in my name or in its own name for patents, utility models, design registrations and like rights of exclusion, and for inventors' certificates for said inventions and improvements; and agree for me and my respective heirs, legal representatives and assigns, without further compensation, to perform such lawful acts and to sign such further applications, assignments, Preliminary Statements and other lawful documents as the Assignee may reasonably request to effectuate fully this assignment.

The undersigned (whose title is supplied below) is empowered to act on behalf of the assignee.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereto set my hand and seal at Montreal,  
this 12 day of May, 2000

Clarissa Desjardins L.S.

Name: CLARISSA DESJARDINS, ADVANCED BIOCONCEPT LIMITED

Title: VP- Business Development

STATE OF \_\_\_\_\_:  
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COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_:

Before me this 12 day of May, 2000, personally appeared **CLARISSA DESJARDINS** known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing Assignment, and acknowledged that he/she executed the same as his/her free act and deed for the purposes therein contained.

Maurice Bibeau  
Witness