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Name: University of Cincinnati

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Street Address: 2624 Clifton AvenueCity & State: Cincinnati, OhioZip/Postal Code: 45221-0623Execution Date: Jul 8, 1996Additional name(s) &
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4. Application number(s) or patent number(s) are as follows:

(a) Patent Application No(s). 09/361,959, filed on Jul 27, 1999,

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COMPOUNDS USEFUL IN THE TREATMENT OF NEUROFIBROMATOSIS

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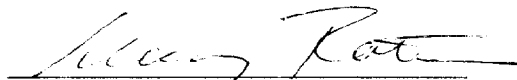
ASSIGNMENT OF INVENTION AND PATENTS THEREON

WHEREAS, I, Nancy Ratner, of 1923 Berkshire Road, Cincinnati in the State of Ohio, have invented a new and improved Use of Ras Farnesyl Transferase Inhibitors in the Treatment of Neurofibromatosis, as fully disclosed in an application for Patent so entitled and executed by me preparatory to obtaining Letters Patent of the United States therefor; and

WHEREAS, the University of Cincinnati, a university organized and existing under the laws of the State of Ohio and having its principal office at 2624 Clifton Avenue, Cincinnati, Ohio 45221-0623 desires to acquire the entire interest in and to the subject matter disclosed in said application and in and to all patents issued or to be issued thereon.

NOW, THEREFORE, to all whom it may concern, be it known that, in exchange for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I have sold, assigned and transferred, and by these presents do sell, assign and transfer unto the said University of Cincinnati my entire right, title and interest in and to the subject matter disclosed in said application and in and to all Letters Patent Domestic and Foreign issued or to be obtained thereon, including all rights and interests with priority rights under the Paris Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, the International Patent Cooperative Union, European Patent Convention, Common Market Convention, or any other convention or Union for each country of said Convention or Union; and I do hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents to issue the Letters Patent granted on said application and all future patents granted upon the subject matter disclosed therein to the above named Assignee, its legal representatives and assigns.

Witness my hand this 8 day of July, 1996.


Nancy Ratner, Inventor

STATE OF Ohio)
COUNTY OF Hamilton) ss.

On this 8 day of July, 1996, before me personally appeared Nancy Ratner, to me known and known to me to be the Inventor aforesaid, who duly acknowledged the signing of the foregoing instrument to be his voluntary act and deed and who executed the same for the uses and purposes therein specified.


Notary Public

Mary Jo Petersman
Notary Public
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