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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, I, Kevin R. Lynch (the "Assignor"), have made an invention entitled

GALANIN RECEPTOR GALR3 AND NUCLEOTIDES ENCODING SAME

described in U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/595,549 filed June 16, 2000 and in International Application No. PCT/US98/26812 filed December 17, 1998, designating the U.S. and in Provisional Application Serial No. 60/069,725 filed December 17, 1997; and

WHEREAS, the <u>University of Virginia</u>, 314 Madison Hall, P.O. Box 400301, Charlottesville, Virginia 22904-4301 (the "Assignee"), is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to the aforesaid invention, including any tangible materials embodied in or encompassed by the invention and any trade secrets pertaining to the invention, and any improvements thereon, (the "Invention") and in and to said applications for Letters Patent thereon in the United States, its territories and possessions ("United States") and all foreign countries, including rights to claim priority, to any provisional applications, and in and to any Letters Patent of the United States or any foreign country which may be granted therefor, including any and all reissues, divisions, continuations, continuations-in-part, renewals, substitutes or extensions thereof (the "Rights");

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignor has sold, assigned, transferred and conveyed, and does hereby sell, assign, transfer and convey to Assignee, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to the aforesaid Invention and Rights, except that Assignee hereby grants back to the Assignor a royalty free non-transferrable license to make and use the Invention under the Rights for educational and research purposes, only. The aforesaid assignment includes the right in and to all income, royalties, damages and payments now or hereafter due or payable with respect to any Letters Patent which may be granted, and in and to all causes of action (either in law or in equity), and the right to sue, counterclaim, and recover for past, present and future infringement of the rights assigned or to be assigned under this Assignment, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by Assignor if this sale and assignment had not been made;

AND Assignor hereby authorizes and requests the appropriate governmental officials to issue any and all such United States or foreign Letters Patent under said invention, or resulting from any of said applications thereof, to the Assignee, as the assignee of the entire right, title and interest in and to the same;

AND Assignor hereby represents, warrants and covenants that he has the full right to convey the entire interest herein assigned, that he has not executed and will not execute any instrument or assignment in conflict herewith, and that the rights assigned herein are not otherwise encumbered by any grant, license or right;

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AND Assignor further covenants and agrees that Assignor will at any time upon request communicate to the Assignee, its successors, assigns or other legal representatives any facts relating to the aforesaid invention known to it, and will testify as to the same in any interference, litigation, mediation, arbitration or other proceeding when requested to do so.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Assignor has hereunto set his hand and seal.

Signature of Inventor: Inventor's Name: Inventor's Resident Address: Date of Execution:		Kevin R. Lynch Kevin R. Lynch 385 Gillums Ridge Road 1632 Meadow brook Charlottesville, VA 2290\$1 Heights Road Oct 6, 2000	
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On this 6 day of October, 2000, before me, a Notary Public in and for the County of Albemarle and State of Virginia, personally appeared Kevin R. Lynch, to me known as the individual of that name, who executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged the same to be of his/her own free will for the purposes therein set forth)

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My commission expires: 07-31-03

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