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WHO DOCU Willian Jackso 112 E.	ME AND ADDRESS OF PARTY TO M CORRESPONDENCE CONCERNING JMENT SHOULD BE MAILED: m B. Nash on Walker, LLP Pecan, Suite 2100 ntonio, Texas 78205	 6. TOTAL NUMBER OF APPLICATIONS AND PATENTS INVOLVED: 1 (\$40.00/each) 7. TOTAL FEE (37 CFR 3.41): \$40.00 [X] Enclosed [] Authorized to Charge Account No. 07- 2400. 8. DEPOSIT ACCOUNT NUMBER 07-2400. (Attach duplicate copy of this form if paying by de- posit account.)
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PATENT ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Austin Nutriceutical Corporation ("Assignor"), a Texas corporation having offices at 3105 Toro Ring, Austin, Texas 78746, owner of the invention entitled "Glutathione Antioxidant Eye Drops", for which a patent registration has issued with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, as Reg. No. 5,817,630 issued October 6, 1998; and

WHEREAS, Torquin Holdings Company, a Delaware corporation ("Assignee"), is desirous of obtaining the entire right, title and interest in, to and under the same invention and the said application:

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of Ten and No/100 Dollars (\$10.00) to the said ASSIGNOR in hand paid, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I, the said ASSIGNOR, have sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over, unto the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in, to and under the said invention, and the said United States application and all divisions, renewals and continuations thereof, and all Patents of the United States which may be granted thereon and all reissues thereof; and all applications for industrial property protection, including, without limitation, all applications for patents, utility models, and designs which may hereafter be filed for said invention in any country or countries foreign to the United States, together with the right to file such applications and the right to claim for the same the priority rights derived from said United States application under the Patent Laws of the United States, the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, or any other international agreement or the domestic laws of the country in which any such application is filed, as may be applicable; all forms of industrial property protection, including, without limitation, patents, utility models and design which may be granted for said invention in any country or countries foreign to the United States and all extensions, renewals and reissues thereof; and any and all causes of action thereto that may have heretofore accrued in ASSIGNOR's favor;

AND I HEREBY authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents of the United States, and any Official of any country or countries foreign to the United States, whose duty it is to issue patents or other evidence or forms of industrial property protection on applications as aforesaid, to issue the same to the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this instrument.

AND I HEREBY covenant that I have full right to convey the entire interest herein assigned, and that we have not executed, and will not execute, any agreement in conflict herewith.

AND I HEREBY further covenant and agree that I will communicate to the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, any facts known to me respecting said invention, and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisions, continuing and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths and generally do everything possible to aid the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for said invention in all countries.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set our hands and seal this 12 day of Vermos 200

AUSTIN NUTRICEUTICAL CORPORATION

By Name: Robert F. Hofma Title: President

STATE OF TEXAS * COUNTY OF TRAVILS

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Robert F. Hofmann, in his capacity as President of Austin Nutriceutical Corporation (Company), a corporation, known to me to be the officer whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same for the purposes and consideration therein expressed, that he/she was duly authorized to perform the same by appropriate resolution of the Board of Directors of such corporation for the purposes and consideration therein expressed as the act and deed of said corporation, and in the capacity therein stated.

The Notary acknowledges that he/she (1) personally knows the acknowledging person, or (2) evidence of a witness or an identification card or other document was used to identify the acknowledging person.

Given under my hand and seal of offic	e on this the 12th day of January, 2001.
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Notary Public, State of Texas

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