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ASSIGNMENT (COMPANY TO COMPANY)

WHEREAS, Medico Development Investment Company, a limited liability company organized and existing under the laws of Switzerland, located at Via delle Scuole 19, CH-6612 ASCONA, SWITZERLAND ("ASSIGNOR") is, due to an Assignment recorded 30 DEC. 1997 at Reel 8921, Frame U7/3, the owner of GABRIEL U.S. Patent No. 6,043,336 issued 11 APR 2000 (docket # 870-3-112) and of a continuation thereof, allowed application Serial No. 09/492,679, filed 27 JAN 2000 (docket # 870-3-112.2),

WHEREAS, R D Medico S.à r.l., a limited liability company organized and existing under the laws of Switzerland, located at 5 route de Saint-Cergue, CH-1295 MTES. SWITZERLAND. ("ASSIGNEE"), is desirous of acquiring all of Assignor's right, title and interest in the invention(s) disclosed in U.S.P. 6,043,336 and U.S.S.N. 09/492,679;

NOW THEREFORE, be it known that, for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration, delivered by Assignee to Assignor, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, said Assignor does hereby sell, assign, and transfer unto the said Assignee, Assignor's right, title and interest in U.S. Patont No. 6,043,336 and U.S.S.N. 09/492,679, including any continuations or divisions thereof, and including the subject matter of any and all claims which may be obtained in every such patent, the same to be held and enjoyed by the said Assignee, its successors, assigns or other legal representatives, for its own use and advantage, and for the use and advantage of its successors, assigns or other legal representatives, to the end of the term or terms for which patents are or may be granted or reissued.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, MEDICO DEVELOPMENT INVESTMENT COMPANY has caused this Assignment to be duly executed on this _& b day of March 2001 FEB. 2001.

MEDICO DEVELOPMENT INVESTMENT COMPANY

By:

Dr. Peter von Planta

Title: President of Administrative Council

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