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and we hereby sell, assign and transfer unto PFIZER PRODUCTS INC., a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Connecticut, United States of America, and having its place of business at Eastern Point Road, Groton, Connecticut 06340, United States of America, our entire right, title and interest, in all countries of the world except the United States of America, in and to all our inventions, whether joint or sole, disclosed in said non-provisional patent application; and our entire right, title and interest in and to all patent applications filed outside the United States of America for Letters Patent for any or all of said inventions; and our entire right, title and interest in and to all Letters Patent granted outside the United States of America on said patent applications filed outside the United States of America; and the right to claim priority from said non-provisional patent application under the Paris Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, and under any and all other such treaties and agreements to which the United States of America is a party and which afford similar priority-claiming privileges, in all countries of the world except the United States of America;

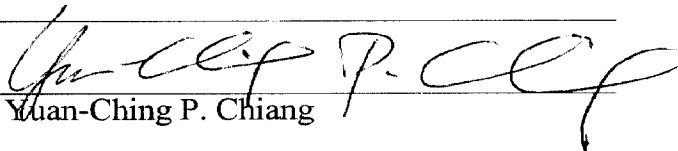
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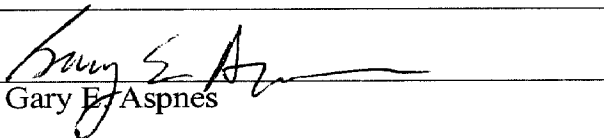
  
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In the presence of:

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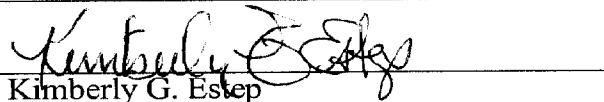
  
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