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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, **BARBARA ALVIAR, LYNNE MARIE CONNOR, ALBERT AUGUSTUS DIXON, MOLLY MARIE MAGEE, EUGENE ROBERT MALY, and SUZANNE M. McLAUHLAN**, hereinafter called the "Assignors", have made the invention described in the International United States Patent Application No. PCT/US99/20116 filed September 1, 1999 entitled DIET COMPOSITION AND METHOD OF WEIGHT MANAGEMENT.

WHEREAS, **AMWAY CORPORATION**, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Michigan, having a place of business at 7575 Fulton Street East, Ada, Michigan 49355, hereinafter referred to as the "Assignee", desires to acquire the entire right, title and interest in and to the invention and the patent application identified above, and all patents which may be obtained for said invention, as set forth below;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00), and other valuable and legally sufficient consideration, the receipt of which by the Assignors from the Assignee is hereby acknowledged, the Assignors have sold, assigned and transferred, and by these present do sell, assign and transfer to the Assignee, the entire right, title and interest for the United States in and to the invention and the patent application identified above, and any patents that may issue for said invention in the United States; together with the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and all patent applications and patents therefor in all countries foreign to the United States, including the right to claim for any such application all benefits and priority rights under any applicable convention; together with the entire right, title and interest in and to all continuations, divisions, renewals and extensions of any of the patent applications and patents defined above; to have and to hold for the sole and exclusive use and benefit of the Assignee, its successors and assigns, to the full end of the term or terms for all such patents.

The Assignors hereby covenant that no assignment, sale, agreement or encumbrance has been or will be made or entered into which would conflict with this assignment and sale.

The Assignors further covenant that Assignee will, upon its request, be provided promptly with all pertinent facts and documents relating to said application, said invention and said Letters Patent and legal equivalents in foreign countries as may be known and accessible to Assignor and will testify as to the same in any interference or litigation related thereto and will promptly execute and deliver to Assignee or its legal representative any and all papers, instruments or affidavits required to apply for, obtain, maintain, issue and enforce said application, said invention and said Letters Patent and said equivalents thereof in any foreign country which may be necessary or desirable to carry out the purposes thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set hand and seal the date as indicated below.

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