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## ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, We, Urban Ramstedt, a Swedish citizen residing at 59 Rutland Square Apt. 3, Boston, MA 02118, Bridget Eberhardt, a United States citizen residing at 20 Kathleen Circle, Rowley, MA 01969, and Julie Porter-Brooks, a United States citizen residing at 7 Drawbridge Road, Westford, MA 01886, have invented certain new and useful improvements in HUMANIZED ANTIBODY AND USES THEREOF for which we have executed an application for Letters Patent in the United States, filed as U.S. Serial Number 09/660,169 on September 12, 2000;


AND WHEREAS, Avant Immunotherapeutics, Inc., a Massachusetts corporation, with its principal place of business at 119 Fourth Avenue, Needham, MA 02494, desires to acquire the entire right, title and interest in and to the said improvements and the said Application:


NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, including salary or payment for the making of inventions, or employee benefits, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we, the said inventors, do hereby acknowledge that we have sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over, unto the said Avant Immunotherapeutics, Inc., its successors, legal representatives and assigns, the entire right, title and interest throughout the world in, to and under the said improvements, and the said application and all divisions, renewals and continuations thereof, and all Letters Patent of the United States which may be granted thereon and all reissues and extensions thereof, and all rights of priority under International Conventions and applications for Letters Patent which may hereafter be filed for said improvements in any country or countries foreign to the United States, and all Letters Patent which may be granted for said improvements in any country or countries foreign to the United States and all extensions, renewals and reissues thereof; and we 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 on applications as aforesaid, to issue all Letters Patent for said improvements to the said Avant Immunotherapeutics, Inc., its successors, legal representatives and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this instrument.


AND WE HEREBY covenant and agree that we will communicate to the said Avant Immunotherapeutics, Inc., its successors, legal representatives and assigns, any facts known to us respecting said improvements and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuing and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths and generally do everything possible to aid the said Avant Immunotherapeutics, Inc., its successors, legal representatives and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for said improvements in all countries.


The undersigned hereby grant(s) the law firm of Nixon Peabody LLP of 101 Federal Street, Boston, Massachusetts 02110, U.S.A. the power to insert on this Assignment any further identification which may be necessary or desirable in order to comply with the rules of the U.S. Patent and Trademark, Office for recordation of this document.

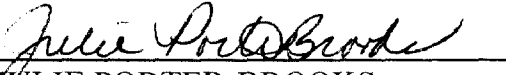
IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands:


  
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URBAN RAMSTEDT on 04.26, 2001

  
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\_\_\_\_\_ signed at Bowley, Massachusetts,  
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