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2. Name and address of
receiving party(ies):

Name: **Research Development
Foundation**

Address: **402 North Division Street
Carson City, NV 89703**

Additional names of conveying party(ies) attached?

☒ NO ☐ YES

3. Nature of Conveyance:

☒ Assignment ☐ Merger
☐ Security Agreement
☐ Change of Name
☐ OTHER

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☒ NO ☐ YES

Execution Date(s): February 27, 2002

4. Application number(s) or patent number(s): **09/919,473**

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5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:

Name:

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6. Total number of applications and patents involved: 1

7. Total Fee (37 CFR 3.41):.....\$**40.00** ☐ enclosed ☒ authorized to charge deposit account

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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, we, **Wylie W. Vale**, of 1643 Valdez, La Jolla, CA 92037, **Teresa M. Reyes**, of 316 Cerro Street, Encinitas, CA 92024, **Paul E. Sawchenko**, of 3454 Paseo Ancho, Carlsbad, CA 92009, **Jean E. Rivier**, 9674 Blackgold Road, La Jolla, CA 92037, **Kathy A. Lewis**, 1760 West Montecito Way, San Diego, CA 92103, **John B. Hogenesch**, of 316 Cerro Street, Encinitas, CA 92024, **Joan M. Vaughan**, of 3886 Fallon Circle, San Diego, CA 92130, and **Marilyn H. Perrin**, of 8844 Robinhood Lane, La Jolla, CA 92037, (hereinafter collectively called "ASSIGNORS"), are co-inventors and owners of certain new and useful improvements in ***Urocortin II: A Novel Corticotropin Releasing Factor and Uses Thereof***, an application for United States Letters Patent having been filed on July 31, 2001 and given United States Serial Number 09/919,473;

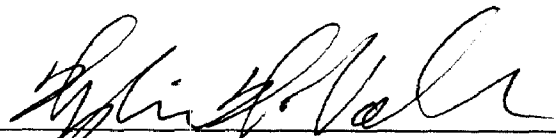
WHEREAS, the **Research Development Foundation** (hereinafter called "ASSIGNEE") a non-profit organization duly organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the state of Nevada, and having a place of business at 402 North Division Street, Carson City, Nevada 89703, is desirous of acquiring and ASSIGNORS are desirous of assigning to ASSIGNEE all right, title and interest in and to said invention and application identified above;

NOW, THEREFORE, ASSIGNORS, for and in consideration of Ten Dollars (\$10.00) to us in hand paid, and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of all of which is hereby acknowledged, do hereby sell, assign and convey upon ASSIGNEE and its successors and assigns the entire right, title and interest throughout the world in the inventions and improvements which are subject of an application for United States Patent signed by us, this assignment including said application, any and all United States and foreign patents, utility models, and design registrations granted for any of said inventions or improvements, and the right to claim priority based on the filing date of said application under the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, the Patent Cooperation Treaty, the European Patent

Convention, and all other treaties of like purposes; and we authorize the Assignee to apply in all countries in our names or in its own name for patents, utility models, design registrations and like rights of exclusion and for inventors' certificates for said inventions and improvements; and we agree for us and our respective heirs, legal representatives and assigns, without further compensation to perform such lawful acts and to sign such further applications, assignments, Preliminary Statements and other lawful documents as the Assignee may reasonably request to effectuate fully this assignment.

And we do further covenant and agree that we will, at any time upon request, communicate to the Assignee, its successors, assigns or other legal representative, such facts relating to said invention and Letters Patent or the file history thereof as may be known to us, and testify as to the same in any interference or other litigation when requested, without further compensation but at the expense of said Assignee, its successors or other legal representatives.

DATE: 2/27/07


Wylie W. Vale

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Teresa M. Reyes
Teresa M. Reyes

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Paul E. Sawchenko
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Joan M. Vaughan
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Marilyn H. Perrin
Marilyn H. Perrin

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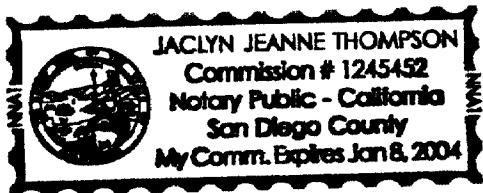
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On Feb. 27, 2002 before me, Jaclyn Jeanne Thompson

Date Wylie W. Yale, Teresa M. Reyes, Paul E. Sawchenko,
personally appeared Jean E. Rivier, Kathy A. Lewis, John B. Hegnesch, Jean M.
Name(s) of Signer(s) Vaughan and Marilyn H. Perrin

☒ personally known to me – OR – ☐ proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.



WITNESS my hand and official seal.

Jaclyn Jeanne Thompson
Signature of Notary Public

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