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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, We, Len F. Lee, Kevin C. Glenn, Daniel T. Connolly, David G. Corley, Daniel L. Flynn, Ashton T. Hamme, Shridhar G. Hegde, Michele A. Melton, Roger J. Schilling, James A. Sikorski, Nancy N. Wall, and Jeffery A. Zablocki, have invented certain new and useful improvements for Substituted Pyridines Useful for Inhibiting Cholesterol Ester Transfer Protein Activity (hereinafter referred to as "Invention") for which an application for Letters Patent in the United States of America was filed on February 11, 1999, and assigned Serial No. 09/600,870; and

WHEREAS, we desire to assign all right, title and interest in said Invention, said application disclosing the Invention and any Letters Patent which may be granted therefor to Pharmacia Corporation, a corporation of the State of Missouri, having its principal office and place of business at 800 North Lindbergh, St. Louis, Missouri 63167 (hereinafter referred to as "Assignee"); and

WHEREAS, Assignee, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said Invention and improvements as disclosed in said application, in and to said application, and in and to any Letters Patent which may be granted therefor.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and adequacy of all of which are hereby acknowledged, we, Len F. Lee, Kevin C. Glenn, Daniel T. Connolly, David G. Corley, Daniel L. Flynn, Ashton T. Hamme, Shridhar G. Hegde, Michele A. Melton, Roger J. Schilling, James A. Sikorski, Nancy N. Wall, and Jeffery A. Zablocki, have sold, assigned and transferred, and do hereby sell, assign and transfer unto said Assignee, its successors or assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to said Invention and improvements as the same are disclosed in said application, in and to said application, and in and to any Letters Patent, including any divisions, continuations, continuations-in-part, reissues, reexaminations, and extensions to be obtained thereof, in the United States, and countries foreign thereto, which may be granted for said Invention; and in and to any and all priority rights, Convention rights, and other benefits accruing or to accrue to us with respect to the filing of applications for patents or securing of patents in the United States and countries foreign thereto; and we further agree to cooperate with the Assignee hereunder in

the obtaining and sustaining of any and all such Letters Patent as the Assignee may desire to apply for, but at the expense of said Assignee.

We hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue said United States Letters Patent to said Assignee, as Assignee of the whole right, title and interest thereto; and we further agree to execute all necessary and lawful future documents, including applications for foreign patents, for filing divisions, continuations and continuations-in-part of said application for patent, and/or for obtaining any reissue or reissues of any Letters Patent which may be granted for our aforesaid Invention, as the Assignee, or its designees may require and prepare at its own expense; and execute all necessary and lawful future documents including assignments in favor of Assignee, or its designees, as Assignee or its designees may present to us in order to perfect title in said Invention, modifications, and improvements in said Invention, applications and Letters Patent of the United States and countries foreign thereto.

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Len F. Lee

On this ____ day of _____, 2001 before me, a Notary Public, within and for the County of _____, State of _____, personally appeared Len F. Lee, to me known to be the person described in and who acknowledged executing the forgoing instrument as a free act and deed, and who also represented that he/she is authorized to execute the same.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal the date and year last above written.

Notary Public

My Commission Expires:_____

Kevin C. Glenn

STATE OF

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COUNTY OF

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On this ____ day of _____, 2001 before me, a Notary Public, within and for the County of _____, State of _____, personally appeared Kevin C. Glenn, to me known to be the person described in and who acknowledged executing the forgoing instrument as a free act and deed, and who also represented that he/she is authorized to execute the same.

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Notary Public

My Commission Expires: _____

Daniel T. Connolly

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My Commission Expires: _____

David G. Corley

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My Commission Expires: _____

Daniel L. Flynn

STATE OF :

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COUNTY OF :

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal the date and year last above written.

Notary Public

My Commission Expires: _____

Ashton T. Hamme
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STATE OF :
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On this 15th day of November, 2001 before me, a Notary Public, within and for the County of Hinds, State of Mississippi, personally appeared Ashton T. Hamme, to me known to be the person described in and who acknowledged executing the forgoing instrument as a free act and deed, and who also represented that he/she is authorized to execute the same.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal the date and year last above written.

Maria Luisa Alvarez Hamme
Notary Public

My Commission Expires: Sept. 17, 2004

Shridhar G. Hegde

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On this ____ day of _____, 2001 before me, a Notary Public, within and for the County of _____, State of _____, personally appeared Shridhar G. Hegde, to me known to be the person described in and who acknowledged executing the forgoing instrument as a free act and deed, and who also represented that he/she is authorized to execute the same.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal the date and year last above written.

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My Commission Expires: _____

Michele A. Melton

STATE OF :
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COUNTY OF :

On this ____ day of _____, 2001 before me, a Notary Public, within and for the County of _____, State of _____, personally appeared Michele A. Melton, to me known to be the person described in and who acknowledged executing the forgoing instrument as a free act and deed, and who also represented that he/she is authorized to execute the same.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal the date and year last above written.

Notary Public

My Commission Expires: _____

Roger J. Schilling

STATE OF :
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COUNTY OF :

On this ____ day of _____, 2001 before me, a Notary Public, within and for the County of _____, State of _____, personally appeared Roger J. Schilling, to me known to be the person described in and who acknowledged executing the forgoing instrument as a free act and deed, and who also represented that he/she is authorized to execute the same.

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Notary Public

My Commission Expires: _____

James A. Sikorski

STATE OF

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COUNTY OF

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On this ____ day of _____, 2001 before me, a Notary Public, within and for the County of _____, State of _____, personally appeared James A. Sikorski, to me known to be the person described in and who acknowledged executing the forgoing instrument as a free act and deed, and who also represented that he/she is authorized to execute the same.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal the date and year last above written.

Notary Public

My Commission Expires: _____

Nancy N. Wall

STATE OF

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On this ____ day of _____, 2001 before me, a Notary Public, within and for the County of _____, State of _____, personally appeared Nancy N. Wall, to me known to be the person described in and who acknowledged executing the forgoing instrument as a free act and deed, and who also represented that he/she is authorized to execute the same.

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Notary Public

My Commission Expires: _____

Jeffery A. Zablocki

STATE OF :
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COUNTY OF :

On this ____ day of _____, 2001 before me, a Notary Public, within and for the County of _____, State of _____, personally appeared Jeffery A. Zablocki, to me known to be the person described in and who acknowledged executing the forgoing instrument as a free act and deed, and who also represented that he/she is authorized to execute the same.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal the date and year last above written.

Notary Public

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