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92160 Antony, France

are co-inventors of certain new and useful improvements in: **HUMAN CDNAS AND PROTEINS AND USES THEREOF**; conceived of during the period of my employment with Genset Corporation, for which I have filed an application for Letters Patent in the United States:

Application Serial No.: 10/000,489
Filed: November 14, 2001

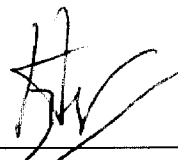
AND WHEREAS, GENSET, S.A. (hereinafter "ASSIGNEE"), a French Corporation, with its principal place of business at 24, rue Royale, 75008 Paris, France, desires to acquire the entire right, title, and interest in and to the said improvements and the said Application:

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) to me in hand paid, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I, the said inventors, do hereby acknowledge that I have sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over, unto the said ASSIGNEE, 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 and renewals thereof, and continuations to which my contribution to inventorship occurred of during the period of my employment with Genset Corporation, 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 I 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 ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this instrument.

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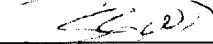
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SIGNED this 13 day of February 2002.



STEPHANE BEJANIN

Witnessed by: Name: LAURENT FESSIOUX
Please Print or Type Name

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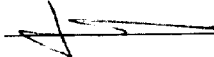
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SIGNED this 1<sup>st</sup> day of February 2002.

  
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Witnessed by: Name: Lawrence San Frutos  
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