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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Snow Brand Milk Products, Ltd. of 1-1, Naebo-cho 6-chome, Higashi-ku, Sapporo Hokkaido, Japan, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the Country of Japan is the sole and exclusive owner, by assignment, of the following Letters Patent of the United States of America:

PATENT NUMBER	ISSUE DATE
4,861,886	August 29, 1989
5,571,918	November 5, 1996

WHEREAS, Daiichi Pharmaceutical of 3-14-10 Nihonbashi, Chuo-ku, Tokyo 103-8234 Japan, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the Country of Japan (hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNEE"), is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said Letters Patent;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of FIVE DOLLARS (\$5.00) and other valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Snow Brand Milk Products, Ltd. by these presents does sell, assign, and transfer unto ASSIGNEE the entire right, title and interest for the territory of the United States of America, in and to the aforesaid Letters Patent and the inventions described therein, and any reissue or reissues of said Letters Patent to the full end of the term for which said Letters Patent have been granted or reissues may be granted, said inventions and Letters Patent to be held and enjoyed by the ASSIGNEE, and for the use and behoof of said ASSIGNEE, and for the use and

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, Snow Brand Milk Products, Ltd. has caused these presents to be signed by its officer thereunto duly authorized.

Snow Brand Milk Products, Ltd.

Date: March 28, 2002

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Name: Kohhei Nishi

Title: President

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