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## ASSIGNMENT

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WHEREAS, KURT BERLIN of Marienkäferweg 4, 14532 Stahnsdorf, Germany (hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNOR) has invented and owns a certain invention entitled OLIGOMER ARRAY WITH PNA AND/OR DNA OLIGOMERS ON A SURFACE, which is described and claimed in an application filed as PCT Application No. PCT/DE00/04301 on November 24, 2000.

WHEREAS, EPIGENOMICS AG, a business organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of Germany having a principal place of business at Kastanienallee 24, 10435 Berlin, Germany (hereafter referred to as ASSIGNEE), is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in, to and under said invention and said application and to any Letters Patent to be obtained therefor in the United States and in any and all foreign countries.

NOW, THEREFORE, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Be it known that in consideration of the payment by ASSIGNEE to ASSIGNOR of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00), the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, and for other good and valuable consideration, ASSIGNOR hereby sells, assigns and transfers to ASSIGNEE the full and exclusive right, title and interest to said invention in the United States and its territorial possessions and in all foreign countries and to said application and any Letters Patent or similar legal protection in the United States and its territorial possessions and in any and all foreign countries to be obtained for said invention by said application or any continuation, division, renewal, substitute or reissue thereof or any legal equivalent thereof in a foreign country for the full term or terms for which the same may be granted.

ASSIGNOR hereby covenants that no assignment, sale, agreement or encumbrance has been or will be made or entered into which could conflict with this assignment and sale;

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set hand and seal this <u>07.</u> day of 000 . 2002.

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