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Kei Roger Aoki

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Name: Allergan, Inc.

Internal Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached?  Yes  No

3. Nature of conveyance:

- Assignment  Merger
- Security Agreement  Change of Name
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Street Address: 2525 Dupont Drive

City: Irvine State: CA Zip: 92612

Execution Date: All executed on 10/28/2002

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4. Application number(s) or patent number(s):

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A. Patent Application No.(s) 10/261,161

B. Patent No.(s) \_\_\_\_\_

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ASSIGNMENT

This Assignment is made by Ester Fernandez-Salas, of Fullerton, California, Lance E. Steward of Irvine, California, and Kei Roger Aoki of Coto de Caza, California, Assignors, to Allergan Inc., Assignee, having a place of business at 2525 Dupont Drive, Irvine, California 92612.

WHEREAS, Assignors have invented a new and useful CELL-BASED FLUORESCENCE RESONANCE ENERGY TRANSFER (FRET) ASSAYS FOR CLOSTRIDIAL TOXINS, for which an application for United States Letters Patent was filed on September 27, 2002, in the United States Patent and Trademark Office, bearing Serial No. 10/261,161 and identified as Attorney Docket No: P-AR 4804;

WHEREAS, Assignors believe themselves to be the original inventors of the invention disclosed and claimed in said application for Letters Patent; and

WHEREAS, the parties desire to have a recordable instrument assigning the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, said application and any Letters Patent that may be granted for said invention in the United States and throughout the world;

NOW, THEREFORE, in accordance with the obligations to assign the invention and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, Assignors sell, assign, and transfer to Assignee, the entire right, title, and interest in and to said invention, said application, any applications entitled to benefit of priority to

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said application under Title 35, United States Code, Sections 120, 121 or 251, which include divisionals, continuations and reissues, and any Letters Patent that may be granted on said invention or these applications in the United States and throughout the world, including the right to file foreign applications directly in the name of the Assignee and to claim for any such foreign applications any priority rights to which such applications are entitled under international conventions, treaties, or otherwise.

Assignors agree that, upon request and without further compensation, but at no expense to Assignors, they and their legal representatives and assigns will do all lawful acts, including the execution of papers and the giving of testimony, that may be necessary or desirable for obtaining, sustaining, reissuing, or enforcing Letters Patent in the United States and throughout the world for said invention, and for perfecting, recording, or maintaining the title of Assignee, its successors and assigns, to said invention, said application, and any Letters Patent granted for said invention in the United States and throughout the world.

Assignors represent and warrant that they have not granted and will not grant to others any rights inconsistent with the rights granted herein.

Assignors authorize and request that any United States or foreign Letters Patent granted for said invention, whether on said application or on any subsequently filed divisional,

continuation or reissue application, be issued to Assignee, its successors and assigns, as the assignee of the entire interest in said invention.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Assignors have executed this Assignment on the date(s) provided below.

Assignor: Ester Fernandez-Salas

 10/28/02  
Signature Date

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On OCT. 28 2002, before me, MARY LOU MCNOWN personally appeared ESTER FERNANDEZ-SALAS, ~~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 by hand and official seal.

  
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Assignor: Lance E. Steward

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On OCT 28 2002, before me, MARY LOU MCNOWN  
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Assignor: Kei Roger Aoki

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