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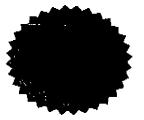
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I, HARRIET SMITH WINDSOR, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THE ATTACHED IS A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY OF THE CERTIFICATE OF MERGER, WHICH MERGES:

"BLUE RIDGE LABORATORIES, INC.", A DELAWARE CORPORATION, "MARION MERRELL INTERCONTINENTAL LTD.", A DELAWARE CORPORATION,

"SELECTIDE CORPORATION", A DELAWARE CORPORATION,

WITH AND INTO "AVENTIS PHARMACEUTICALS INC." UNDER THE NAME OF "AVENTIS PHARMACEUTICALS INC.", A CORPORATION ORGANIZED AND EXISTING UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, AS RECEIVED AND FILED IN THIS OFFICE THE EIGHTEENTH DAY OF DECEMBER, A.D. 2000, AT 3:01 O'CLOCK P.M.



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### CERTIFICATE OF OWNERSHIP AND MERGER

#### MERGING

## BLUE RIDGE LABORATORIES, INC. (a Delaware corporation) and

# SELECTIDE CORPORATION (a Delaware corporation) and

## MARION MERRELL INTERCONTINENTAL LTD. (a Delaware corporation)

#### INTO

### AVENTIS PHARMACEUTICALS INC. (a Delaware corporation)

Aventis Pharmaceuticals Inc., a corporation organized and existing under the laws of Delaware (hereinafter referred to as the "Corporation") does hereby certify that:

FIRST: The Corporation was incorporated on July 9, 1964 pursuant to the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware.

**SECOND:** The Corporation is the owner of all of the issued and outstanding shares of stock of Blue Ridge Laboratories, Inc., Selectide Corporation and Marion Merrell Intercontinental Ltd. (the "Subsidiaries")

THIRD: The Corporation, by the following resolutions, duly adopted by the unanimous written consent of all of the members of the Board of Directors dated November 15, 2000, authorized the merger:

**RESOLVED.** that Aventis Pharmaceuticals Inc. hereby merges into itself Blue Ridge Laboratories Inc., Selectide Corporation and Marion Merrell Intercontinental Ltd. and assumes of the obligations of such wholly-owned Subsidiaries; and

FURTHER RESOLVED, that the merger shall be effective upon filing with the Secretary of State of Delaware; and

FURTHER RESOLVED, that the proper officers of this Corporation be and hereby are authorized and directed to make and execute a Certificate of Ownership and Merger setting forth a copy of the resolutions to merge said subsidiary and assume its liabilities and obligations, and the date of adoption thereof, and to cause the same to be filed with the Secretary of State of Delaware and do all acts and things necessary, whether within or without the State of Delaware, which may be necessary and proper to effect said merger.

in witness whereof, said Corporation has caused this Certificate to be executed by its President on this 39 day of November 2000.

AVENTIS PHARMACEUTICALS INC.

Gerald P. Belle, President

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