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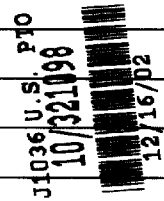
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ASSIGNMENT

PARTIES TO THE ASSIGNMENT:

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Assignee:

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BACKGROUND OF THIS ASSIGNMENT:

Inventor has conceived certain new and useful inventions disclosed in a United States patent application titled "**Method for Delivering a Gas**".

AVISTA LABORATORIES, INC. (hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNEE") desires to acquire the entire right, title and interest in said inventions and with respect to any Letters Patent that may be granted with respect to the inventions in both the United States and in all foreign countries.

THE PARTIES AGREE AS FOLLOWS:

In consideration of good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, INVENTOR has sold, assigned and transferred to ASSIGNEE the full and exclusive right to said inventions in the United States and in all foreign countries.

INVENTOR does hereby sell, assign and transfer to ASSIGNEE the entire right, title and interest in the above-identified inventions and application and to any reissues, renewal, divisions or continuations of the application thereof, and hereby authorizes the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue such Letters Patent to ASSIGNEE for the sole use of ASSIGNEE, its successors or assigns.

INVENTOR further agrees to execute, at the request and expense of ASSIGNEE such other formal documents as may be required to fully convey the interest transferred herein and will similarly execute any application papers required for the filing of any division, continuation or reissue of the patent application or resulting Letters Patent; and will generally do everything necessary or desirable to obtain and enforce proper protection for the inventions assigned hereby.

INVENTOR further assigns to ASSIGNEE the whole right, title and interest in the inventions disclosed in the application throughout all countries foreign to the United States. ASSIGNEE is hereby authorized to apply for patents relating to the inventions in its own name in countries where such procedure is proper; to claim the benefit of the International Convention; to file and prosecute International Applications relating to the inventions under the Patent Cooperation Treaty; and to file and prosecute applications relating to the inventions under the European Patent Convention. INVENTOR agrees to execute applications relating to the inventions in those countries where it is necessary that the same be executed by the inventor, and to execute assignments of such applications and the resulting Letters Patent to ASSIGNEE as well as all other necessary papers

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Signed at Spokane, Wa. on
Dec. 13, 2002.

William A. Fuglevand
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State of Washington

County of Spokane

On December 13, 2002, before me, a Notary Public, personally appeared William A. Fuglevand who is known to me to be the person described in the foregoing assignment, who executed it and acknowledged such execution to be voluntary and for the purposes set forth therein.

Christie R. Allen

Notary for the State of Washington
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Spokane, WA
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