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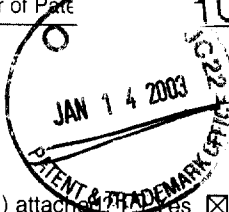
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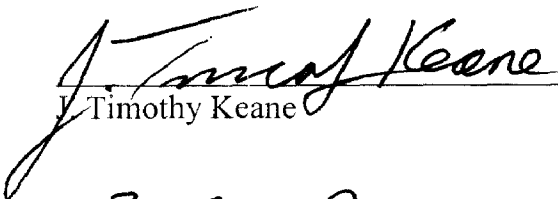
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WHEREAS, G.D. Searle & Co., (hereinafter "Assignor"), a Delaware Corporation, is the lawful owner of U.S. Patent No. 6,423,713; and

WHEREAS, Assignor desires to assign all right, title, and interest in said Patent, all inventions included in said Patent, all U.S. and foreign applications claiming priority to said Patent, and all U.S. and foreign patents claiming priority to said Patent, to Pharmacia Corporation (hereinafter referred to as "Assignee"), a corporation of the State of Delaware, having its principal office and place of business at 100 Route 206 North, Peapack, New Jersey 07977; and

WHEREAS, Assignee is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title, and interest in and to said Patent, in and to all inventions included in said Patent, in and to all U.S. and foreign applications claiming priority to said Patent, and in and to all U.S. and foreign patents claiming priority to said Patent.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and adequacy of all of which are hereby acknowledged, Assignor hereby sells, assigns, and transfers unto said Assignee, its successors or assigns, the entire right, title, and interest in and to said Patent, in and to all inventions included in said Patent, in and to all U.S. and foreign applications claiming priority to said Patent, and in and to all U.S. and foreign patents claiming priority to said Patent, including reissues, reexaminations, and extensions to be obtained thereof in the United States and in foreign countries thereto; and in and to any and all priority rights, Convention rights, and other benefits accruing or to accrue to us with respect to the filing of applications for patents or securing of patents in the United States and foreign countries.


J. Timothy Keane

3 Dec 2002
Date

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