

05-27-2003

A/ 581-40

DT12 Rec'd PCT/PTO 15 NOV 2002

10/276423



RECORDATION FORM COVER SHEET PATENTS ONLY

U.S. Department of Commerce Patent and Trademark Office PATENT

102456652

TO: The Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks: Please record the attached original document(s) or copy(ies).

<b>Submission Type</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> New <input type="checkbox"/> Resubmission (Non-Recordation) Document ID # <input type="checkbox"/> Correction of PTO Error Reel # Frame # <input type="checkbox"/> Corrective Document Reel # Frame #	<b>Conveyance Type</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Assignment <input type="checkbox"/> License <input type="checkbox"/> Merger <input type="checkbox"/> Security Agreement <input type="checkbox"/> Change of Name <input type="checkbox"/> Other:
--	--

11-15-02

<b>Conveying Party(ies)</b> 1 Shigero OOTA 2 Kiyomi TSURUDA	<b>Execution Date(s)</b> 11 September 2002 13 September 2002
---	--

Mark if Additional Names of Conveying Parties Attached

**Receiving Parties**  
 Name Hisamitsu Pharmaceutical Co., Inc.  
 Address 408, Tashirodaikan-machi, Tosu-shi, Saga 841-0017, JAPAN

Mark if Additional Names of Receiving Parties Attached

<b>Correspondent Name and Address</b> (202) 419-7000  Fitch, Even, Tabin & Flannery 1801 K Street, N.W., Suite 401L Washington, D.C. 20006-1201	Telephone: (202) 419-7000 Facsimile: (202) 419-7007 Attorney Docket No. 7388/80030
--	--

10276423

**Pages** Enter the total number of pages of the attached conveyance document including any attachments: 1

**Application Number(s) or Patent Number(s)**  Mark if additional numbers attached  
 Enter either the Patent Application Number or the Patent Number (DO NOT ENTER BOTH numbers for the same property).

Patent Application Numbers	Patent Numbers

If this document is being filed together with a new Patent Application, enter the date the patent application was signed by the first named executing inventor. Month Day Year

**Patent Cooperation Treaty (PCT)**  
 Enter PCT application number only if a U.S. Application Number has not been assigned.

PCT/JP01/03806	PCT	PCT
PCT	PCT	PCT

**Number of Properties** Enter the total number of properties involved:

**Fee Amount** Fee Amount for Properties Listed (37 CFR 3.41):

Method of Payment:  
 Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$40.00  
 Charge Deposit Account No. 06-1135 the amount of \$40.00 under Order No. 7388/80030.  
 Authorization to Charge Additional Fees to Deposit Account No. 06-1135:  Yes  No

**Statement and Signature**  
 To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document. Charges to deposit account are authorized, as indicated herein.

Kendrew H. Colton		November 15, 2002
Name of Person Signing	Signature	Date

**ASSIGNMENT**

Whereas, I/we,

NameAddress

c/o HISAMITSU PHARMACEUTICAL CO., INC.,

1) **Shigeo OOTA**11-1, Marunouchi 1-chome,  
Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo 100-6221 Japan

c/o HISAMITSU PHARMACEUTICAL CO., INC.,

2) **Kiyomi TSURUDA**408, Tashirodaikan-machi,  
Tosu-shi, Saga 841-0017 Japan

hereinafter called assignor(s), have invented certain improvements in  
**Patch Agent**

and executed an application for Letters Patent of the United States of America therefor on even date herewith unless otherwise indicated below:

filed on \_\_\_\_\_, Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_; and

Whereas

**HISAMITSU PHARMACEUTICAL CO., INC.**408, Tashirodaikan-machi,  
Tosu-shi, Saga 841-0017 Japan

(assignee), desires to acquire the entire right, title and interest in the application and invention, and to any United States patents to be obtained therefor;

NOW THEREFORE, be it known that, for good and valuable consideration from assignee, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I/WE, as assignor(s), have sold, assigned, transferred, and set over, and do hereby sell, assign, transfer, and set over unto the assignee, its lawful successors and assigns, MY/OUR entire right, title, and interest in and to this invention and this application, and all divisions, and continuations thereof, and all Letters Patent of the United States which may be granted thereon, and all reissues thereof, and I/WE hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States to issue all Letters Patent for this invention to assignee, its successors and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this Assignment;

AND, I/WE HEREBY further covenant and agree that I/WE will, without further consideration, communicate with assignee, its successors and assigns, any facts known to ME/US respecting this invention and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers when called upon to do so, execute and deliver all papers that may be necessary or desirable to perfect the title to this invention in said assignee, its successors and assigns, execute all divisional, continuation, and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths and generally do everything possible to aid assignee, its successors and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for this invention in the United States, it being understood that any expense incident to the execution of such papers shall be borne by the assignee, its successors and assigns.

INVENTORSDATE SIGNED

1):

Name:

*Shigeo Oota***Shigeo OOTA***2002. 9. 11*

2):

Name:

*Kiyomi Tsuruda***Kiyomi TSURUDA***2002. 9. 13*

(Legalization not required for recording but is prima facie evidence of execution under 35 U.S.C. § 261)