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Patent Assignment

For good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Finzelberg GmbH & Co. KG, a corporation organized under the laws of Germany, having an office at Koblenzer Straße 48-56, 56626 Andernach, Germany ("ASSIGNOR"), hereby sells, assigns, transfers, and sets over its entire right, title, and interest in and to the following U.S. Patent Applications (the "Assigned Patent Applications"), any patent or reissues of any patent that may be granted thereon, and any extensions and applications which are continuations, continuations-in-part, substitutes, divisions, renewals or reissues of said Assigned Patent Applications to Penwest Pharmaceuticals Co., a corporation organized under the laws of the state of Washington, having an office at 2981 Route 22, Patterson, New York 12563, USA ("ASSIGNEE") and its successors and assigns:

U.S. Patent Applications:

<u>Title</u>	<u>Serial No.</u>	<u>Filing Date</u>
Process for Preparing Dry Extracts	09/986,116	November 7, 2001
Process for Preparing Dry Extracts	10/290,121	November 7, 2002

ASSIGNOR hereby further sells, assigns, transfers, and sets over unto ASSIGNEE ASSIGNOR'S entire right, title, and interest in and to the aforesaid inventions in the United States; and ASSIGNOR further conveys to ASSIGNEE all priority rights resulting from the Assigned Patent Applications, and all causes of action for infringement arising prior to and after the date of this Assignment.

At any time and from time to time after the date hereof, at ASSIGNEE's request and without further consideration, ASSIGNOR promptly shall execute and deliver, and shall cause its affiliates and employees to execute and deliver, such instruments of sale, transfer, conveyance, assignment and confirmation, and take such other action, as ASSIGNEE may reasonably request to more effectively transfer, convey and assign to ASSIGNEE, and to confirm ASSIGNEE's title to, all of the Assigned Patent Applications.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, ASSIGNOR has hereunto set its hand and seal on the date below.

ASSIGNOR:

FINZELBERG GMBH & CO. KG

By: A. Finzel

Name: Albert Finzel

Title: Managing Director

Date: March 21st 2003

DECLARATION OF ACCEPTANCE

The ASSIGNEE hereby agrees to this assignment of the listed patent applications and registrations from the ASSIGNOR and applies for recording of this Assignment in the registers of the corresponding patent office.

Witness my hand and seal this 21 day of Feb, 2003.

ASSIGNEE:

PENWEST PHARMACEUTICALS CO.

By: [Signature]  
Name: STEPHEN S. BERTI, JR  
Title: SVP General Mgr

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Then personally appeared the above named Stephen J. Berti, Jr. of the ASSIGNEE and acknowledged the foregoing act to be his or her free act and deed, before me, this 21<sup>st</sup> day of February, 2003.

[Signature]  
Notary Public

My commission expires: 7/15/03

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