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WHEREAS, we, **Julie D. Saba** and **Henrik Fyrst** (hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNORS), having mailing addresses of 6630 Banning Drive, Oakland, California 94611, and 1411 Grand Street, #3, Alameda, California 94501 respectively, are the joint inventors of an invention entitled "COMPOSITIONS AND METHODS FOR THE MODULATION OF SPHINGOLIPID METABOLISM AND/OR SIGNALING," as described and claimed in the specification for which an application for United States letters patent was filed on January 17, 2003 and assigned Application No. 10/348,052. This application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/349,582, filed January 17, 2002, and U. S. Application No. 10/053,510, filed January 17, 2002;

WHEREAS, Children's Hospital & Research Institute at Oakland (hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE), a non-profit organization of the State of California having a place of business at 5700 Martin Luther King Jr. Way, Oakland, California 94609-1673, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to the invention and in and to any letters patent that may be granted therefor in the United States and in any and all foreign countries;

NOW, THEREFORE, in exchange for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNORS hereby sell, assign and transfer unto said ASSIGNEE the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, said application and any and all letters patent which may be granted for said invention in the United States of America and its territorial possessions and in any and all foreign countries, and in any and all divisions, reissues and continuations thereof, including the right to file foreign applications directly in the name of ASSIGNEE and to claim priority rights deriving from said United States application to which said foreign applications are entitled by virtue of international convention, treaty or otherwise, said invention, application and all letters patent on said invention to be held and enjoyed by ASSIGNEE and its successors and assigns as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by ASSIGNORS had this assignment, transfer and sale not been made. ASSIGNORS hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue all letters patent on said invention to ASSIGNEE. ASSIGNORS agree to execute all instruments and documents required for the making and prosecution of applications for United

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I certify that I know or have satisfactory evidence that Julie D. Saba is the person who appeared before me, and said person acknowledged that she signed this instrument and acknowledged it to be her free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes mentioned in the instrument.





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I certify that I know or have satisfactory evidence that Henrik Fyrst is the person who appeared before me, and said person acknowledged that he signed this instrument and acknowledged it to be his free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes mentioned in the instrument.

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