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Name: Bristol-Myers Squibb Company

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Street Address: Lawrenceville-Princeton Road

City: Princeton State: NJ ZIP: 08543-4000

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10/726,076

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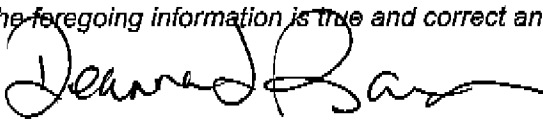
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United States of America,

pursuant to contractual obligations heretofore assumed by me and/or for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and adequacy of which is hereby acknowledged, do hereby sell and assign to **Bristol-Myers Squibb Company**, a Delaware corporation, having a place of business at Lawrenceville-Princeton Road, Princeton, NJ 08543-4000, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, all my right, title and interest, which includes the right to and full benefit of such priorities as may now or hereafter be granted to me by local laws or by treaty, including any international convention for the protection of industrial property, in and for all countries of the world, including the United States and its territories and possessions, in and to the invention entitled:

**PROCESS FOR REMOVING METALS FROM LIQUIDS**

invented by me and described in the non-provisional United States patent application

Application No. 10/726,076, filed December 2, 2003,

including said non-provisional United States patent application and any application claiming priority from said non-provisional application, filed in any country, and any patents which may be issued and/or granted thereon, and all divisions, continuations, reissues, reexamination certificates and extensions thereof in all countries, the said interest being the entire ownership of said invention and all of said applications, patents (including reissue patents), extensions and reexamination certificates to be held and enjoyed by the said Bristol-Myers Squibb Company and its successors and assigns to the full end of the terms to which said patents (including reissue patents), extensions and reexamination certificates may be granted and/or issued, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by me if this sale, assignment and transfer had not been made;

