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ASSIGNMENT BY INVENTOR

This assignment ("Assignment") is made by Pier Lorenzo Puri ("Assignor") of 4985 Ocean Blvd., San Diego, CA 92109 to The Salk Institute for Biological Study, ("Assignee"), having a place of business at 10010 North Torrey Pines Road, La Jolla, CA 92037.

Recitals

- A. Assignor has invented a new and useful invention entitled <u>Methods of Using Deacetylase Inhibitors to Promote Cell Differentiation and Regeneration</u> for which an application for Letters Patent was filed
 - on October 18, 2001 in the United States Patent and Trademark
 Office, as United States Application Number 60/335,705;
 - (ii) on October 25, 2001 in the United States Patent and TrademarkOffice as United States Application Number 60/343,854;
 - (iii) on October 17, 2002 under the Patent Cooperation Treaty, as International Application Number PCT/US02/33570; and
 - (iv) on April 15, 2004 in the United States Patent and TrademarkOffice as United States Application Number 10/492,901.
- B. Assignor believes the Assignor to be the original and first inventor of the inventions disclosed and/or claimed in the application for Letters Patent.
- C. The parties desire to have a recordable instrument assigning from the Assignor to the Assignee the entire rights, title and interest in and to the invention, the application and all Letters Patent in the United States and throughout the world that may be granted or issued for the invention or that derive a right of priority from the application (including, without limitation, all divisional, continuation, continuation-in-part, request for continued examination applications thereof, and all reissues and reexaminations thereof, and all foreign counterparts thereof) (collectively, the "Invention Patents").

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Agreement

NOW, THEREFORE, in accordance with the obligations to assign the Invention Patents and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, Assignor agrees to the foregoing and as follows:

- 1. Assignor does and will sell, assign and transfer to Assignee, such Assignor's entire rights, title, and interest in and to each of the Invention Patents, including, without limitation, the rights to file foreign applications directly in the name of the Assignee and to claim for any such foreign applications any priority rights to which such applications are entitled under international conventions, treaties, or otherwise.
- 2. Assignor agrees that, upon request and without further compensation, but at no expense to such Assignor, such Assignor and such Assignor's legal representative and assigns will do all lawful acts, including the execution of papers and the giving of testimony, that may be necessary or desirable for obtaining, sustaining, reissuing, or enforcing each of the Invention Patents in the United States and throughout the world, and for perfecting, recording, or maintaining the title of Assignee, and Assignee's successors and assigns, in and to each of the Invention Patents in the United States and throughout the world. In the event that Assignee is unable for any reason to secure any of the Assignor's signatures to any document that may be necessary or desirable for obtaining, sustaining, reissuing, or enforcing each of the Invention Patents in the United States and throughout the world, or for perfecting, recording, or maintaining the title of Assignee, and Assignee's successors and assigns, in and to each of the Invention Patents in the United States and throughout the world, each such Assignor hereby irrevocably designates and appoints Assignee and Assignee's duly authorized officers and agents as such Assignor's agents and attorney-in-fact to act for and on such Assignor's behalf and instead of such Assignor to execute such document, all with the same legal force and effect as if executed by such Assignor.
- 3. Assignor represents and warrants that such Assignor has not granted and will not grant to others either (1) any rights, title or interest in and to any of the Invention Patents, or (2) any rights inconsistent with the rights granted herein.
- 4. Assignor authorizes and requests the Commissioner for Patents of the United States and the various counterparts thereof throughout the world to issue and/or grant any Letters Patent granted for each of the Invention Patents to Assignee, its successors and assigns, as the assignee of the entire interest in such Invention Patents.

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5. This Assignment constitutes the entire agreement with respect to its subject matter and supersedes all prior or contemporaneous oral or written agreements concerning such subject matter. No waiver, amendment, or modification of this Assignment shall be effective against the Assignee, unless in writing executed by a duly authorized representative of the Assignee. This Assignment shall be governed in all respects by the laws of the United States of America and by the laws of the state/province of California, as such laws are applied to agreements entered into and to be performed entirely within California between California residents. Each of the parties irrevocably consents to the exclusive personal jurisdiction of the federal and state courts located in California, as applicable, for any matter arising out of or relating to this Assignment, except that in any action seeking to enforce any order or any judgment of such federal or state courts located in California, such personal jurisdiction shall be nonexclusive. A breach of any of the promises or agreements contained herein will result in irreparable and continuing damage to Assignee for which there will be no adequate remedy at law, and Assignee shall be entitled to injunctive relief and/or a decree of specific performance, and such other relief as may be proper.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the A	Assignor has executed this Assi	ignment on the o	date provided

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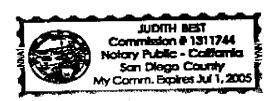
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before me, the undersigned Notary Public in and for said State, personally appeared Pier Lorenzo Puri, personally known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument, or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s) or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

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