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ASSIGNMENT

For good and valuable consideration paid to me, Richard W. Draper residing at North Caldwell, NJ, by **SCHERING CORPORATION**, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of New Jersey, United States of America, having its principal office at 2000 Galloping Hill Road, Kenilworth, New Jersey 07033, United States of America (hereinafter called "**ASSIGNEE**"), I do hereby sell, assign and transfer to said **ASSIGNEE** my entire right, title and interest in all countries of the world in and to any and all of my inventions and discoveries described in the patent application entitled

"Process for the Preparation and Purification of 2-(Alkoxyalkylidene)-3-Ketoalkanoic Acid Esters from 3-ketoalkanoic Acid Esters"

and officially identified* by the United States Patent and Trademark Office as Application Number 10,886,724 filed on July 8, 2004, and/or by the World Intellectual Property Organization as International Patent Application Number US2004/021747 filed on July 8, 2004, in and to the right to file patent applications in the name of **ASSIGNEE**, its designee, or in my name, at its election, on the aforesaid inventions and discoveries in all countries of the world, together with all rights of priority in the aforesaid countries deriving from the above-identified patent application under the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, under the Inter-American Convention relating to Inventions, Patents, Designs and Industrial Models and under any other international arrangement to which the United States now is or hereafter becomes a signatory, in and to any and all Letters Patent that are granted from any of the aforesaid patent applications, in and to any applications claiming priority benefits to a provisional patent application or other applications filed on said inventions, and in and to any continuations, divisions, reissues, renewals and extensions thereof of any of said Letters Patent, the same to be held and enjoyed by said **ASSIGNEE**, its successors, assigns or other legal representatives, to the full ends of the terms for which all Letters Patent therefor may be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by me if this assignment and sale had not been made.

And I hereby covenant and agree that I will at any time, upon the request and at the expense of **ASSIGNEE**, execute and deliver any and all documents that may be necessary or desirable to perfect the title to the foregoing inventions and discoveries, patent applications, and Letters Patent and continuations, divisions, reissues, renewals and extensions thereof in **ASSIGNEE**, its successors, assigns or other legal representatives, including the execution and procurement of any and all further documents evidencing this assignment and sale as may be necessary or desirable for recording the same in the Patent Office of any country concerned, and that I will, at any time, upon the request and at the expense of **ASSIGNEE**, execute any additional or divisional applications for patents for said inventions and discoveries, or any part or parts thereof, and applications for patents of confirmation, registration and importation based on said Letters Patent and on Letters Patent issuing from said additional or divisional applications and reissues, renewals and extensions therefor, and will make all rightful oaths and declarations and do all lawful acts requisite for procuring the same or for aiding therein, without further compensation, but at the expense of **ASSIGNEE**, its successors, assigns or other legal representatives.

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*I hereby authorize **ASSIGNEE** to insert into this instrument the application number and the filing date of said application for Letters Patent when officially notified thereof.

Executed this 30 day of SEPTEMBER, 2004.

Richard W. Draper
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ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

State of New Jersey) s.s.:
County of Essex)

On this 30th day of September, 2004, personally appeared before me Richard W. Draper to me known, and known by me to be the same person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he (she) executed the same, of his (her) own free will for the purpose set forth.

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Carol A. Sanchez
Notary Public

CAROL A. SANCHEZ
NOTARY PUBLIC OF NEW JERSEY
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES SEPT 24, 2009