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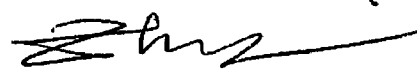
**ASSIGNMENT**

For valuable consideration, we, LIN ZHANG of San Diego, California and a citizen of the United States; JEAN-YVES LE BRAZIDEC of San Diego, California and a citizen of the United States; MARCUS F. BOEHM of San Diego, California and a citizen of the United States; SEAN KONRAD MCHUGH of Ingleside, Illinois and a citizen of the United States; JUNHUA FAN of San Diego, California and a citizen of the PR China; LAWRENCE C. FRITZ of Rancho Santa Fe, California and a citizen of the United States; and FRANCIS J. BURROWS of San Diego, California and a citizen of the United States; (hereinafter referred to as "Assignors") hereby assign to **CONFORMA THERAPEUTICS CORPORATION**, a corporation organized and existing under and by the virtue of the laws of the State of Delaware and having a place of business at 9393 Towne Centre Drive, Suite 240, San Diego, California 92121, USA, and its successors and assigns (hereinafter called "the Assignee"), the entire right, title and interest throughout the world in the invention and improvements which are the subject of U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/503,880, entitled "ANSAMYCINS HAVING IMPROVED PHARMACOLOGICAL AND BIOLOGICAL PROPERTIES," and related applications and patents, this assignment including said application, any and all United States and foreign patents granted for any of said inventions or improvements, including all divisions, continuations, reissues, continuations-in-part and extensions thereof, and the right to claim priority based on the filing date of said application and based on the filing date of any provisional application of which said application claims the benefit under the United States Patent Laws, the Paris Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property (Paris Convention), the Patent Cooperation Treaty, the European Patent Convention, and all other treaties of like purposes; and we authorize the

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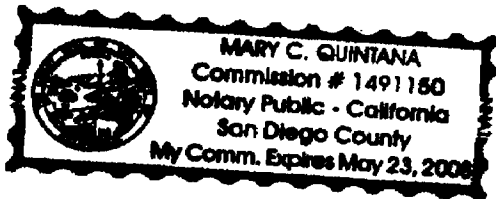
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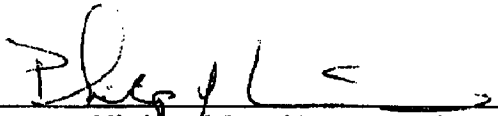
  
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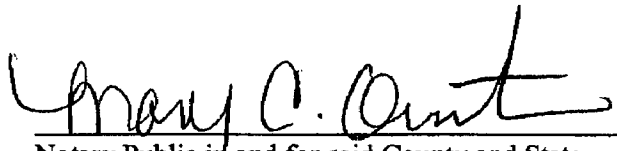
  
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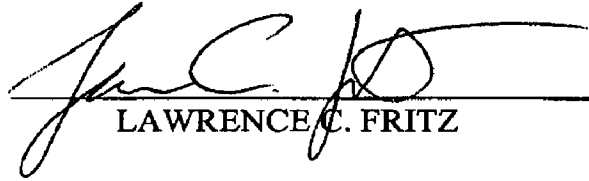
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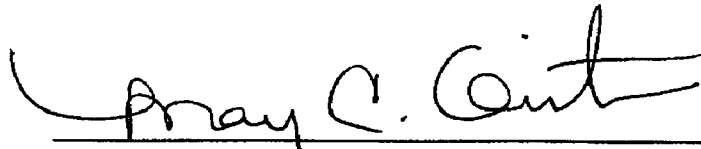
  
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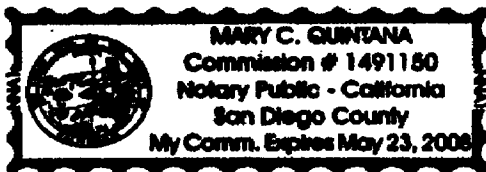
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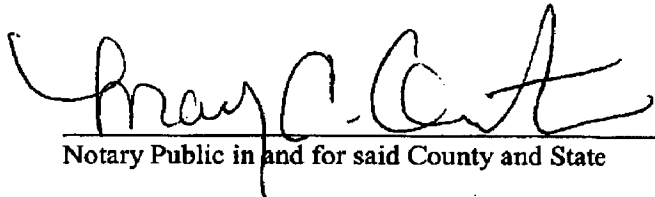
  
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