

09-28-2005

003

FORM PTO-1595  
1-31-92U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
Patent and Trademark Office

To the Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademark

103019257

hereof

## 1. Name of conveying party(ies):

Ramon L. Espino  
Harish G. BhagatAdditional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? ☐ Yes ☒ No

## 3. Nature of conveyance:

- ☒ Assignment ☐ Merger  
☐ Security Agreement ☐ Change of Name  
☐ Other

Execution Date: April 21, 2005

## 4. Name of receiving party(ies):

Name: Alcon, Inc.

Internal Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: P. O. Box 62, Bösch 89CH-6931 HünenbergSwitzerland

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

Additional name(s) & address(es) attached? ☐ Yes ☒ No113262 U.S. PTO  
11/122651

## 4. Application number(s) or patent number(s):

If this document is being filed together with a new application, the execution date of the application is: May 5, 2005

## A. Patent Application No.(s)

## B. Patent No.(s)

Additional numbers attached? ☐ Yes ☒ No

## 5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:

Name: Patrick M. Ryan  
Internal Address: R&D Counsel Q-148  
ALCON RESEARCH LTD.Street Address: 8201 South FreewayCity: Fort Worth State: TX ZIP: 76134-2099

## 6. Total number of applications and patents involved:

one (1)7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41).....\$ 40.00

- ☐ Enclosed  
☒ Authorized to be charged to deposit account

*E*

## 8. Deposit account number:

501051

(Attach duplicate copy of this page if paying by deposit account)

DO NOT USE THIS SPACE

## 9. Statement and signature.

To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document.

Patrick M. Ryan Reg. No. 38,263  
Name of Person Signing

Signature

Date

Total number of pages including cover sheet 4

CMB No. 0651-0011 (exp. 4/94)

Do not detach this portion

Mail documents to be recorded with required cover sheet information to:

Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
Box Assignments  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Public burden reporting for this sample cover sheet is estimated to average about 30 minutes per document to be recorded, including time for reviewing the document and gathering the data needed, and completing and reviewing the sample cover sheet. Send comments regarding this burden estimate to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, Office of Information Systems, PK2-1000C, Washington, D.C. 20231, and to the Office of Management and Budget, Paperwork Reduction Project (0651-0011), Washington, D.C. 20503.

05/11/2005 DEYRME 00000099 501051 11122651

01 FC:8021

(40.00 DA)

PATENT  
REEL: 016607 FRAME: 0965

**ASSIGNMENT**

WHEREAS I am a below named joint inventor of the invention entitled:

**TOPICAL BRIMONIDINE TARTRATE FORMULATIONS THAT LACK  
CHLORINE DIOXIDE**

and described in a United States Patent Application filed with the United States Patent and Trademark Office on May 5, 2005 and further identified by Attorney Docket No. 2718; which claims priority to U.S. Provisional Application, Serial No. 60/568,642, filed May 6, 2004; and

WHEREAS, ALCON, INC., having a place of business at P. O. Box 62, Bösch 69, CH-6331 Hünenberg, Switzerland, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and to any and all Letters Patent of the United States and foreign countries which may be obtained therefor;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, I do hereby sell, assign and transfer to ALCON INC., its legal representatives, successors, and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention as set forth in the above-mentioned application, and in and to any and all patents of the United States and foreign countries which may be issued for said invention;

UPON SAID CONSIDERATIONS, I hereby agree that I will not execute any writing or do any act whatsoever conflicting with these presents, and that I will, at any time upon request, without further or additional consideration but at the expense of said assignee, execute such additional assignments and other writings and do such additional acts as said assignee may deem necessary or desirable to perfect the assignee's enjoyment of this grant and render all necessary assistance in making application for and obtaining original, divisional, continuation-in-part, reexamined, reissued, or other Letters Patent of the United States or of any and all foreign countries on said invention and in enforcing any rights in action accruing as a result of such applications or patents, said assistance to include my cooperation in all prosecution associated with obtaining such applications or patents and my provision of testimony in any proceedings or transactions involving such applications or patents, it being understood that the foregoing covenant and agreement shall bind, and insure to the benefit of, the assigns and legal representatives of assignor and assignee.

AND I request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any Letters Patent of the United States which may be issued for said invention to said ALCON INC., its legal representatives, successors or assigns, as the sole owner of the entire right, title and interest in said patent and the invention covered thereby.

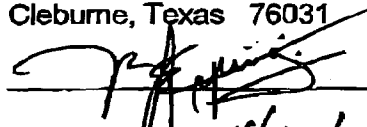
Full name of joint inventor:

Ramon L. Espino

Address:

1716 CR 701  
Cleburne, Texas 76031

Inventor's signature:

  
4/21/05.

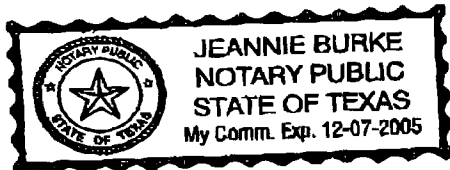
Date:

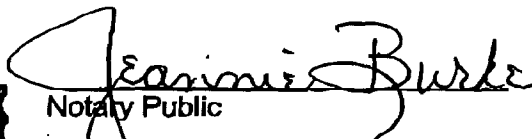
STATE OF TEXAS

§  
§  
§

COUNTY OF TARRANT

On this 21st day of April, 2005, before me personally appeared RAMON L. ESPINO to me known to be the person named in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.



  
Notary Public

Full name of joint inventor:

Haresh G. Bhagat

Address:

6437 Elmcrest Court  
Fort Worth, Texas 76132

Inventor's signature:

Haresh Bhagat

Date:

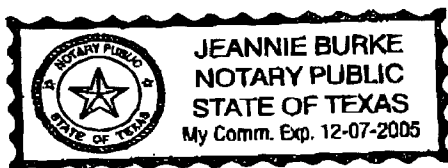
4/21/05

STATE OF TEXAS

§  
§  
§

COUNTY OF TARRANT

On this 21st day of April, 2005, before me personally appeared HARESH G. BHAGAT to me known to be the person named in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.



Jeannie Burke  
Notary Public