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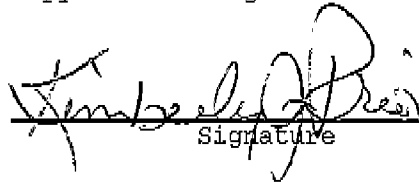
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Assignment

WHEREAS, I/WE

Silvia Gatti McArthur, Erwin Goetschi, Juergen Wichmann, Thomas Johannes Woltering
the ASSIGNOR(S), have invented certain new and useful improvements in

NOVEL COMPOUNDS AS METABOTROPIC GLUTAMATE RECEPTOR ANTAGONISTS

which are described and claimed in application for United States Letters Patent in respect of which a Declaration
and Power of Attorney was executed on

August 28, 2006

which application is based upon the following foreign application(s)

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NOW, THEREFOR, for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable
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F. Hoffmann-La Roche AG, a Swiss Company
of 124 Grenzacherstrasse, CH-4070 Basle, (Switzerland) the Assignee

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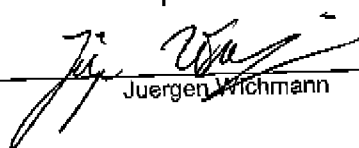
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