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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, we, Josephine M. Egan and Máire E. Doyle, employees of the Department of Health and Human Services, have invented "**USES OF NOTCH RECEPTORS, NOTCH LIGANDS, AND NOTCH MODULATORS IN METHODS RELATED TO METABOLIC DISEASES**," for which an international patent application was filed on July 22, 2005, and assigned International Application No. PCT/US2005/026267, which subsequently entered the national phase of prosecution in the United States on January 22, 2007, and assigned U.S. Application No. 11/658,189, and claims priority to U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/590,281, filed July 22, 2004, and

WHEREAS, we are the applicants named in the above-identified application; and

WHEREAS, the conditions under which said invention was made are such as to entitle **THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA** [hereinafter **THE GOVERNMENT**] under Paragraph 1(a) of Executive Order 10096 to the entire right, title, and interest herein, both domestic and foreign; and

WHEREAS, THE GOVERNMENT is desirous of acquiring all domestic and foreign right, title, and interest in the above-mentioned invention described in the application for Letters Patent; and

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we hereby assign and transfer to **THE GOVERNMENT**, as represented by the Secretary, Department of Health and Human Services, the full and exclusive rights in and to said invention in the United States and within each and every foreign country in which **THE GOVERNMENT** elects to file and the entire right, title, and interest in and to such application, and any subsequent application claiming priority to the above-identified application under 35 U.S.C. § 119(e), continuation, continuation-in-

part, divisional, reissue, reexamination, or extension thereof, and including priority rights as may be filed in the United States and foreign countries, and such Letters Patent as may be granted to be held by **THE GOVERNMENT** to the end of the term for which the same would have been held by the inventors had this assignment not been made.

We further agree to make, execute, and deliver to **THE GOVERNMENT**, as represented by the Secretary, Department of Health and Human Services, upon request, any and all papers, documents, affidavits, or other instruments that may be necessary in the prosecution of any application or applications for improvements or reissues of Letters Patent, and to assist **THE GOVERNMENT** in every way as may be requested in protecting said invention, provided that any expense of extending such assistance shall be paid by **THE GOVERNMENT**.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have executed this Assignment this 5 day of June, 2007.

Josephine M. Egan (L.S.)
Josephine M. Egan

State of MD

County of Baltimore

On this 5 day of June, 2007, before me, a Notary Public, came Josephine M. Egan, to me known and known to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing assignment, and he/she duly acknowledged the same to be his/her free act and deed.

Belinda Jma White
Notary Public

My Commission Expires: 12/1/2010

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have executed this Assignment this 7th
day of JUNE, 2007.

Máire Doyle (L.S.)
Máire E. Doyle

State of FLORIDA

County of ALACHUA

On this 7th day
of June, 2007, before me, a Notary Public, came Máire E. Doyle, to
me known and known to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing
assignment, and he/she duly acknowledged the same to be his/her free act and deed.



Karen E. Hyde
Notary Public

My Commission Expires: March 30, 2009