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## ASSIGNMENT OF PATENT

WHEREAS WE, Kanda S. Ramasamy, residing at 92 Timberland, Aliso Viejo, CA 92656; Guangyi Wang, residing at 56 Avanzare, Irvine, CA 92606; and Johnson Lau, residing at 9 Seabluff, Newport Beach, CA 92660 have made an invention entitled

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and have been granted for said invention the following United States patent,

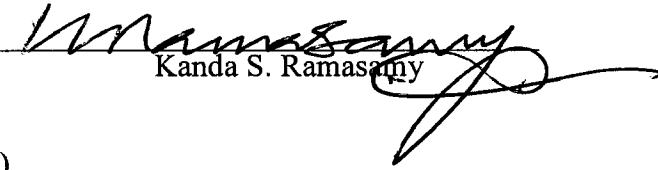
Patent No.: 6,495,677  
Issue date: December 17, 2002;

and

WHEREAS Valeant Pharmaceuticals North America, here referred to as ASSIGNEE, a corporation having an office and place of business at One Enterprise, Aliso Viejo, California 92656, USA is desirous of acquiring the entire interest in said invention, said United States patent and in any Letters Patent which may issue thereon in any designated country;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it known that for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, we do hereby sell, assign and transfer unto ASSIGNEE, its successors, and assigns, all right, title and interest in and to said invention and any improvements thereon for all countries of the world, and in and to said United States patent, including any continuations and divisions thereof, and including the right to claim priority based on said patent, and any patent which may issue thereon, and any reissues of the same; and all right, title and interest in and to every patent application filed or to be filed on said invention in any other country, including renewals, revivals, continuations and divisions thereof, and any and all patents which may issue thereon, and any reissues and extensions of the same; and we hereby authorize and request competent authorities to grant and issue any and all patents on said invention to ASSIGNEE; and we further agree to execute upon request of ASSIGNEE such additional documents as are necessary and proper to secure patent protection on said invention throughout all countries of the world and to otherwise give full effect to and perfect the rights of ASSIGNEE under this Assignment.

Executed this 10<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2007 at Mico Viejo CA

by:   
Kanda S. Ramasamy

STATE OF CALIFORNIA )  
COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_ )

On \_\_\_\_\_, before me, \_\_\_\_\_,  
personally appeared Kanda S. Ramasamy, \_\_\_ personally known to me or \_\_\_ proved to me on  
the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within  
instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same in his/her authorized capacity,  
and that by his/her signature on the instrument the person or the entity upon behalf of which the  
person acted, executed the instrument.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public

(Notarial seal)

My commission expires: \_\_\_\_\_