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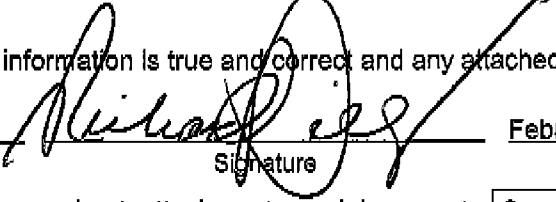
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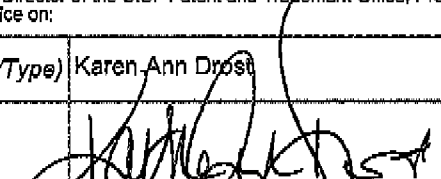
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Attorney Docket Number 21869YU.S. Serial No. 11/884,802Filing Date August 21, 2007PCT Appl. No. PGI/US2006/007740Filing Date March 3, 2006**ASSIGNMENT AND AGREEMENT**

For value received, we, Harold B. Wood, Peter T. Mcinke, Guo Q. Shi and Yong Zhang

of 724 Hanford Place, Westfield, NJ 07090,  
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hereby sell, assign and transfer to MERCK & CO., Inc., a corporation of the State of New Jersey, having an office at Lincoln Avenue, City of Rahway, State of New Jersey, and its successors, assigns and legal representatives, our entire right, title and interest, for all countries, in and to certain inventions relating to

**FUSED AROMATIC COMPOUNDS HAVING ANTI-DIABETIC ACTIVITY**

described in an application for Patents having Attorney Docket Number 21869Y and in application(s) Serial No. 60/658,661  
filed on 03/04/2005 ; Serial No. filed on ; Serial No.  
filed on (if applicable),

and all our rights and privileges, including any and all benefits under the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, under any and all Patents which may be granted therefor, and under any and all extensions, divisionals, reissues and continuations of said application for Patents, including any foreign applications derived therefrom, equivalent thereto or claiming priority thereof.

We request that any and all Patents for said inventions be issued to said assignee, its successor, assigns and legal representatives, or to such nominees as it may designate.

We agree that, when requested, we will, without charge to said assignee but at its expense, sign all papers, take all rightful oaths, and do all acts which may be necessary, desirable or convenient for securing and maintaining Patents for said inventions in any and all countries and for vesting title thereto in said assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives or nominees.

We covenant with said assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, that the rights and property herein conveyed are free and clear of any encumbrance, and that we have full right to convey the same as herein expressed.

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We hereby authorize our attorney, Richard C. Billups or an attorney with Power of Attorney in this application, of the said MERCK & CO., Inc., to insert Serial No. (s), PCT Appl. No. (s) and Filing Date (s) of said application(s) when known.

**PATENT****REEL: 020551 FRAME: 0710**

**ASSIGNMENT AND AGREEMENT**

Signed at Rahway, NJ this 11<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2007

Harold B. Wood  
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Guo Q. Shi  
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Peter T. Meinke  
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Yong Zhang  
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State of New Jersey }  
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Personally appeared before me the above-named Harold B. Wood Guo Q. Shi Peter T. Meinke Yong Zhang

to me known and known to me to be the person(s) who executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged said instrument to be their free act and deed this 11<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2007.

Karen Ann Drost  
Karen Ann Drost Notary Public

**KAREN ANN DROST**  
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