

PATENT ASSIGNMENT

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Attorney Docket Number: BY0048YU.S. Serial No. 11/662, 102Filing Date 9-10-2007PCT Appl. No. PCT/JP2005/016692Filing Date September 6, 2005**ASSIGNMENT AND AGREEMENT**

For value received, I/we, Makoto Jitsuoka; Norikazu Ohtake; Nagasaki Sato; Shigeru Tokita; Daisuke Tsukahara

residing at: 5-23-1, Matsugaoka, Moriya-shi, Ibaraki, 302-0127, Japan; 1-14-8, Sengen, Tsukuba-shi, Ibaraki, 300-0047, Japan; 3-12-34, Koyadai, Tsukuba-shi, Ibaraki, 305-0074, Japan; 1-34-9, Toyosatonomori, Tsukuba-shi, Ibaraki, 300-2648, Japan; 1-13-5-1-402, Sengen, Tsukuba-shi, Ibaraki, 300-0047, Japan

hereby sell, assign and transfer to Banyu Pharmaceutical Co., Ltd., a corporation having an office at Kitanomaru Square, 1-13-12, Kudankita, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo 102-8667, Japan and its successors, assigns and legal representatives, my/our entire right, title and interest, for all countries, in and to certain inventions relating to

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described in an application for Patents having Attorney Docket Number BY0048 and in application(s)

Serial No. JP2004-259258 filed on 09/07/2004; Serial No. JP2004-344270 filed on 11/29/2004;

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and all my/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.

I/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.

I/we agree that, when requested, I/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.

I/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 I/we have full right to convey the same as herein expressed.

I/we hereby authorize the attorney, J. Eric Thies or an attorney with Power of Attorney in this application, to insert Serial No. (s), PCT Appl. No. (s) and Filing Date (s) of said application(s) when known.

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Signed at Japan this 7 day of Feb, 2007

Makoto Jitsuoka
Makoto Jitsuoka

Norikazu Ohtake
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Nagaaki Sato
Nagaaki Sato

Shigeru Tokita
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Daisuke Tsukahara
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Personally appeared before me the above-named Makoto Jitsuoka Norikazu Ohtake Nagaaki Sato Shigeru Tokita Daisuke Tsukahara

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 7 day of Feb, 2007

Kenshi Arde
Witness