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A PROCESS FOR THE PREPARATION OF OPTICALLY ACTIVE INTERMEDIATES

And which is disclosed in:

(a) U.S. patent application executed on even date herewith;

(b) U.S. patent application executed on _____; 11/833,266
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And in and to the above application and any legal equivalent thereof in a foreign country, including the right to claim priority, and in and to any division, continuation or continuation-in-part, renewal or substitute thereof, and in and to all resulting Letters Patents or any reissue or reexamination thereof, to have and to hold the same to the full end of the term or terms for which any and all of said Letters Patent may be granted;

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