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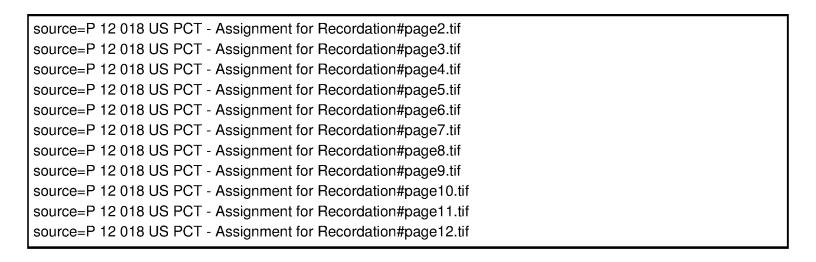
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PATENT



WHEREAS, Yu, Henry, a citizen of CANADA, residing at 25 Burke Lane, WELLESLEY, MA 02481 (UNITED STATES OF AMERICA) (hereinafter, "Assignor") has invented certain new and useful improvements relating to BENZAMIDE DERIVATIVES AS MODULATORS OF THE FOLLICLE STIMULATING HORMONE (hereinafter, the "Invention") as described in U.S. Patent Application No. 14/364,193, filed on JUN/10/2014 (hereinafter, the "Application"); and

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AND each Assignor hereby authorizes and empowers the Assignee or nominees to invoke and claim for any application for such Letters Patent or other grants of protection for said inventions filed by it or them, the benefit of the right of priority provided by the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, as amended, or by a convention which may henceforth be substituted for it, and to invoke and claim such right of priority without further written or oral authorization from such Assignor;

AND each Assignor hereby consents that a copy of this Assignment shall be deemed a full and formal equivalent of any assignment, consent to file or like document which may be required in any country or region for any purpose and more particularly in proof of the right of the Assignee or nominees to claim the aforesaid benefit of the right of priority provided by the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, as amended, or by any convention which may henceforth be substituted for it;

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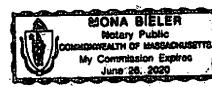
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Yu, Henry

State of Massachusetts

On this 15 day of JUTY, 2014, before me personally appeared Yu, Henry, personally known to me (or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence) to be the person named in and who executed the foregoing instrument and thereupon acknowledged to me that they executed the same of their own free will for the purposes set forth, and for a valuable consideration.

Notary Public



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WHEREAS, Richardson, Thomas E., a citizen of UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, residing at 60 Oakwood Drive, DURHAM, NC 27517 (UNITED STATES OF AMERICA) (hereinafter, "Assignor") has invented certain new and useful improvements relating to BENZAMIDE DERIVATIVES AS MODULATORS OF THE FOLLICLE STIMULATING HORMONE (hereinafter, the "Invention") as described in U.S. Patent Application No. 14/364,193, filed on JUN/10/2014 (hereinafter, the "Application"); and

WHEREAS, Merck Patent GmbH, an entity organized and existing under the laws of the State of GERMANY having a place of business in Frankfurter Strasse 250, 64293 Darmstadt (GERMANY), together with any successors, assigns and legal representatives thereof (hereinafter, called the "Assignee") is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest, for all countries, in and to said Invention and Application.

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AND each Assignor hereby authorizes and empowers the Assignee or nominees to invoke and claim for any application for such Letters Patent or other grants of protection for said inventions filed by it or them, the benefit of the right of priority provided by the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, as amended, or by a convention which may henceforth be substituted for it, and to invoke and claim such right of priority without further written or oral authorization from such Assignor:

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State of Nevth Capplina County of Durham SS:

On this 2 day of My, 2014, before me personally appeared Richardson, Thomas E., personally known to me (or proved to the on the basis of satisfactory evidence) to be the person named in and who executed the foregoing instrument and thereupon acknowledged to me that they executed the same of their own free will for the purposes set forth, and for a valuable consideration.

Notative Public Julianna U Royer

commission exp: 9/15/2018

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WHEREAS, Heasley, Brian, a citizen of UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, residing at 7921 Fairlake Drive, WAKE FOREST, NC 27587 (UNITED STATES OF AMERICA) (hereinafter, "Assignor") has invented certain new and useful improvements relating to BENZAMIDE DERIVATIVES AS MODULATORS OF THE FOLLICLE STIMULATING HORMONE (hereinafter, the "Invention") as described in U.S. Patent Application No. 14/364,193, filed on JUN/10/2014 (hereinafter, the "Application"); and

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Heasley, Brian	Date
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On this day of	, before me personally appeared Heasley, Brian, personally etory evidence) to be the person named in and who executed the orme that they executed the same of their own free will for the Notary Public  Julianna L Poytov

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WHEREAS, Foglesong, Robert, a citizen of UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, residing at 6 Hazen Court, DURHAM, NC 27712 (UNITED STATES OF AMERICA) (hereinafter, "Assignor") has invented certain new and useful improvements relating to BENZAMIDE DERIVATIVES AS MODULATORS OF THE FOLLICLE STIMULATING HORMONE (hereinafter, the "Invention") as described in U.S. Patent Application No. 14/364,193, filed on JUN/10/2014 (hereinafter, the "Application"); and

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WHEREAS, Bharathi, Pandi, a citizen of INDIA, residing at 112 Deer Isle Court, CARY, NC 27519 (UNITED STATES OF AMERICA) (hereinafter, "Assignor") has invented certain new and useful improvements relating to BENZAMIDE DERIVATIVES AS MODULATORS OF THE FOLLICLE STIMULATING HORMONE (hereinafter, the "Invention") as described in U.S. Patent Application No. 14/364,193, filed on JUN/10/2014 (hereinafter, the "Application"); and

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On this 8 day of July , 20 15 known to me (or proved to me on the basis of satisforegoing instrument and thereupon acknowledge purposes set forth, and for a valuable consideration	the horizontal to be the person named in and who executed the document they executed the same of their own free will for the on.

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Julianna L Royer

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WHEREAS, Jenks, Matthew, a citizen of UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, residing at 316 Barclay Road, DURHAM, NC 27712 (hereinafter, "Assignor") has invented certain new and useful improvements relating to BENZAMIDE DERIVATIVES AS MODULATORS OF THE FOLLICLE STIMULATING HORMONE (hereinafter, the "Invention") as described in U.S. Patent Application No. 14/364,193, filed on JUN/10/2014 (hereinafter, the "Application"); and

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Jenks, Matthew August 2014. 2014 State of North CARDLINA County of \_ Due HAN

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