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ASSIGNMENT

This Assignment is from **Ronald M. Evans**, of La Jolla, California, a citizen of the United States of America, and **Joseph P. Noel**, of La Jolla, California, a citizen of the United States of America ("Inventors") to the **Howard Hughes Medical Institute**, a Delaware corporation (the "Institute"), having a place of business at 4000 Jones Bridge Road, Chevy Chase, MD 20815-6789.

Recitals

WHEREAS, the undersigned Inventors are employees of the Institute and, as a condition of their employment, have signed the Agreement appended to the Institute's Statement of Policy on Intellectual Property (the "Intellectual Property Agreement");

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Intellectual Property Agreement, the Inventors have agreed (a) to assign to the Institute all rights they may acquire in any invention, discovery, improvement, or other intellectual property, whether or not patentable or copyrightable, developed directly or indirectly as a result of a program of research financed by Institute funds or by funds under the control of the Institute (each a "Subject Property"), and (b) to execute any agreements that may be desired by the Institute in connection with such assignment;

WHEREAS, the Inventors have, alone or with others, invented PPAR AGONISTS, as set forth in:

U.S. Provisional Patent Application No. 61/809,182, filed on April 5, 2013;
U.S. Provisional Patent Application No. 61/812,434, filed on April 16, 2013;
PCT Application No. PCT/US2014/033088 filed on April 4, 2014; and
U.S. Application No. 14/874,008, filed on October 2, 2015.

These applications are collectively referred to herein as "the Invention," and the Invention is a Subject Property; and

WHEREAS, Inventors seek to make a formal assignment of their interest in the Invention to the Institute, and the Institute desires the execution of a formal assignment of all of Inventors' right, title and interest in the Invention.

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the promises contained in and the acts performed and to be performed pursuant to the Intellectual Property

Agreement and of other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged by Inventors, Inventors agree as follows:

1. Assignment. Inventors hereby assign to the Institute their entire right, title, and interest in the Invention; any United States patent applications and all corresponding foreign patent applications which are directed to the Invention, and any and all patents issued therefrom; all United States or foreign division and continuation applications based on any of the foregoing applications, and any and all patents issued therefrom; reissues or extensions of any such patents; and all claims which are directed to the Invention and which may be contained in continuation-in-part applications or in patents which issue therefrom.

2. Cooperation. Inventors agree to execute upon request such further assignments, documents, and other instruments as may be necessary or desirable to assign Inventors' entire right, title and interest in the Invention to the Institute and to assist the Institute (or others at the direction of the Institute) in applying for, obtaining, and enforcing patents, copyrights, or other rights in the United States and in any foreign country with respect to the Invention.

3. Parties. The terms and provisions of this Assignment shall inure to the benefit of the Institute and its successors and assigns and shall be binding on the Inventors and their heirs, personal representatives and assigns.

4. Warranty. Inventors warrant and represent that they have not entered into any assignment, contract, or understanding in conflict herewith, and that there is no other person or entity whose consent is required in order for the Inventors to make the assignment contained herein.

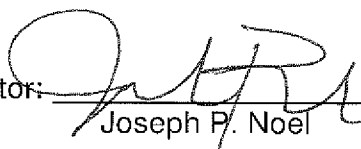
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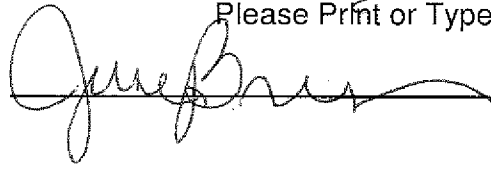
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APPOINTMENT OF INVESTIGATOR AS AGENT

Appointment by the HOWARD HUGHES MEDICAL INSTITUTE (the "Institute") of RONALD M. EVANS, PhD., an employee of the Institute, as its agent for the purpose of assigning certain rights to the SALK INSTITUTE FOR BIOLOGICAL STUDIES ("Salk").

WHEREAS, the Institute and Salk collaborate in the active conduct of medical research pursuant to an Agreement between them dated as of January 1, 1990 (the "Agreement");

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Agreement, the Institute has agreed to assign to Salk the Institute's rights with respect to inventions, discoveries, improvements, and other intellectual property, whether patentable or copyrightable (each a "Subject Property"), conceived or reduced to practice in the course of the research program conducted under the Agreement by employees of the Institute;

WHEREAS, research conducted pursuant to the Agreement by RONALD M. EVANS, PhD. while employed by the Institute at Salk has resulted in the invention of a certain Subject Property as set forth in:

U.S. Provisional Patent Application No. 61/809,182, filed on April 5, 2013, entitled "PPAR AGONISTS";

U.S. Provisional Patent Application No. 61/812,434, filed on April 16, 2013, entitled "PPAR AGONISTS";

PCT Application No. PCT/US2014/033088 filed on April 4, 2014, entitled "PPAR AGONISTS"; and

U.S. Application No. 14/874,008, filed on October 2, 2015, entitled "PPAR AGONISTS." These applications are collectively referred to herein as "the Invention."

WHEREAS, the Institute wishes RONALD M. EVANS, Ph.D. to act as its agent for the purpose of assigning to Salk the rights the Institute has in the Invention by reason of the research program conducted at Salk;

NOW, THEREFORE, the Institute hereby appoints RONALD M. EVANS, Ph.D. as its agent for the purpose of assigning the rights the Institute has or may acquire in the Invention by reason of the research program conducted at Salk to Salk in accordance with and subject to the conditions of the Agreement.

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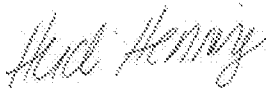
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