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<p>1. Name of conveying party(ies):</p> <p><b>Novartis Pharmaceuticals Corporation</b></p>	<p>2. Name and address of receiving party(ies):</p> <p><b>Bayer AG Konzernverwaltung RP Markenschutz D-51368 Leverkusen-Bayerwerk, Germany</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Individual(s) citizenship:  <input type="checkbox"/> Association:  <input type="checkbox"/> General Partnership:  <input type="checkbox"/> Limited Partnership:  <input type="checkbox"/> Corporation-State:  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other: Joint Stock Company (Germany)</p> <p>If Assignee is not domiciled in the U.S.A., a domestic representative designation is attached: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p>(Designations must be a separate document from Assignment.)</p>
<p>3. Nature of conveyance:</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Assignment <input type="checkbox"/> Merger  <input type="checkbox"/> Security Agreement <input type="checkbox"/> Change of Name  <input type="checkbox"/> Other:</p> <p>Execution Date: October 13, 1999</p>	<p>4. Application number(s) or registration number(s):</p> <p>A. Trademark Application No.(s):</p> <p>B. Trademark Registration No.(s):</p> <p>1,214,657</p>
<p>5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence document should be mailed:</p> <p><b>STANLEY C. MACEL, III, ESQ. CONNOLLY BOVE LODGE &amp; HUTZ LLP P. O. Box 2207 1220 Market Street Wilmington, DE 19899 Telephone: (302) 658-9141 Facsimile: (302) 658-5614</b></p>	<p>6. Total number of applications and registrations involved: [1]</p> <p>7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41) Cal. <u>1</u> x \$40.00 = \$ <b>40.00</b>  <u>0</u> x \$25.00 = \$ <b>00.00</b></p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fee enclosed.  <input type="checkbox"/> Authorized to be charged to Deposit Account.</p> <p>8. Deposit Account number: <u>03-2775</u>  (for any additional fees required)</p>

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Name of Person Signing

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Date

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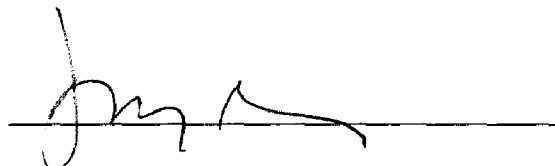
WHEREAS, Novartis Pharmaceuticals Corporation a company organised under the laws of the State of Delaware, of 59 Route 10, East Hanover, New Jersey 07936 USA, hereinafter referred to as Assignor, has adopted, used and has used in its business the trademark BIAQUIN No. 1214657 which marks is registered in the United States Patent and Trademark Office, and

WHEREAS, Bayer AG, a German Company, located at D51368 Leverkusen, Germany, hereinafter referred to as Assignee, is desirous of acquiring said marks and the registrations thereof, and the application for registration of the hereinafter identified mark;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, said Assignor does hereby assign unto the said Assignee all right, title and interest in and to said marks, together with the goodwill of the business symbolized by the marks, and the registrations and application thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Assignor has caused this assignment to be signed this 13 day of October, 1999

Novartis Pharmaceuticals Corporation

By 

Name: Dorothy Watson

Title: Vice President and General Counsel