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WHEREAS, Valent Biosciences Corporation, a corporation existing under the laws of the State of Illinois, United States of America, is desirous of acquiring all right, title and interest in and to said Trademark Registrations and Applications, and

WHEREAS, Abbott Laboratories is willing to assign any and all of its right to the said Trademark Registrations and Applications,

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Abbott Laboratories does hereby sell, transfer, convey and assign to Valent Biosciences Corporation any and all of its right, title and interest in and to the trademarks and the Trademark Registrations and Applications associated therewith, including the goodwill of the business symbolized by the trademark.

Dated this 20th day of January, 2000.

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