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To the Honorable Commissioner of Patents

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attached original documents or copy thereof.

1. Name of conveying party(ies):

BRACCO S.p.A.

- Individual(s)
- General Partnership
- Corporation-State
- Other Italian Corporation
- Association
- Limited Partnership

Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? Yes No

3. Nature of conveyance:

- Assignment
- Security Agreement
- Other
- Merger
- Change of Name

Execution Date: October 27, 1999

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies)

Name: BRACCO INTERNATIONAL B.V.

Internal Address: _____

Street Address: Strawinskylaan 3051

City: Amsterdam Country: Netherlands
State: _____ ZIP: 1077 ZX

- Individual(s) citizenship
- Association
- General Partnership
- Limited Partnership
- Corporation-State
- Other Netherlands Corporation

If assignee is not domiciled in the United States, a domestic representative designation is attached: Yes No

(Designations must be a separate document from assignment)
Additional name(s) & address(es) attached? Yes No

4. Application number(s) or patent number(s):

A. Trademark Application No.(s)

B. Trademark Registration No.(s)

2,259,074 IMERON

Additional numbers attached? Yes No

5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:

Name: Stewart L. Gitler, Esq.

Internal Address: Hoffman, Wasson & Gitler, PC

Street Address: 2361 Jefferson Davis Highway

Suite 522

City: Arlington State: VA ZIP: 22202

6. Total number of applications and registrations involved: 1

7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41).....\$ 40.00

- Enclosed
- Authorized to be charged to deposit account

8. Deposit account number:

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9. Statement and signature

To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document.

Stewart L. Gitler

Name of Person Signing

Signature

November 23, 1999

Date

Total number of pages including cover sheet, attachments, and document: 5

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Washington, D.C. 20231

TRADEMARK
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re registration of BRACCO INTERNATIONAL B.V.

Registration No 2,259,074.

Registration date: July 6, 1999

Mark: IMERON

POWER OF ATTORNEY AND
APPOINTMENT OF DOMESTIC REPRESENTATIVE

BRACCO INTERNATIONAL B.V., owner of the above trademark registration, hereby revokes any and all former powers of attorney and appoints

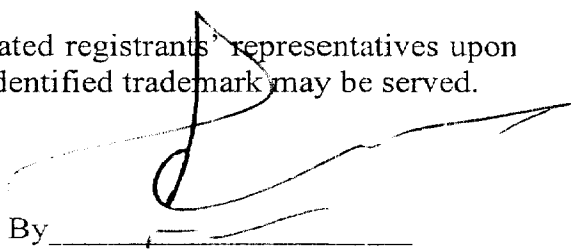
- Martin P. Hoffman
- Mitchell B. Wasson
- Stewart L. Gitler
- Douglas W. Robinson
- Christopher J. McDonald
- Jean Buttmi

all of 2361 Jefferson Davis Highway, Suite 522, Arlington, Virginia 22202,

as registrants' attorneys with full powers of substitution and revocation, to renew such trademark registration and take any and all other actions with regard to this trademark and the trademark registration above set forth.

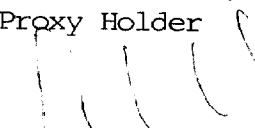
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whose postal address is as set forth above, are hereby designated registrants' representatives upon whom notices or processes in proceeding affecting the above identified trademark may be served.



By _____

Title: Tom Herbschleb
Proxy Holder



Gea van Estrik
Proxy Holder

Date: Amsterdam, 20 October 1999

ASSIGNMENT

Whereas BRACCO S.p.A., a corporation organized and existing under the laws of Italy, having its registered office at Via Egidio Folli 50, Milan, Italy has adopted the following trademark

Registration No. 2,259,074 IMERON

and whereas BRACCO INTERNATIONAL B.V., a corporation organized and existing under the laws of The Netherlands, having its registered office at Strawinskylaan 3051, 1077 ZX Amsterdam, The Netherlands, is desirous of acquiring the said trademark and the corresponding registration.

Now therefore, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, said Bracco S.p.A. does hereby assign to the said BRACCO INTERNATIONAL B.V. all rights, title and interest in and into the said trademark, together with the goodwill of the business symbolized by the said trademark.

The assignor

BRACCO S.p.A.



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Visto per l'autenticità della firma della Dott.ssa DIANA BRACCO, nata a Milano il 3 luglio 1941, domiciliata per la carica in Milano, Via Folli n. 50, della cui identità personale sono certo, che ha dichiarato di firmare quale Presidente, Amministratore Delegato, Direttore Generale e legale rappresentante della società BRACCO S.P.A., con sede in Milano, Via Folli n. 50.

Milano, 27 (ventisette) ottobre 1999 (millenovecentonovantano-



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I hereby acknowledge the true and correct signature of Ms. DIANA BRACCO, born in Milan on July 3, 1941, having elected domicile in Milan, at Via E Folli 50, whose personal identity I acknowledge, and who declared that she has signed the foregoing document in her capacity of President, Director of the Board, General Director and Legal Representative of the company Bracco S.p.A., located at Milan, in Via E. Folli, 50
Milan, October 27, 1999.