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Name MERIAL, INC.

Formerly \_\_\_\_\_

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Name MERIAL AH, INC.

OBA/AKATA \_\_\_\_\_

Composed of \_\_\_\_\_

Address (line 1) 115 TRANSTECH DRIVE

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Deposit Account (Enter for payment by deposit account or if additional fees can be charged to the account.) Deposit Account Number: #

Authorization to charge additional fees: Yes  No

**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. Charges to deposit account are authorized, as indicated herein.

BREWSTER TAYLOR  
Name of Person Signing

Brewster Taylor  
Signature

4-25-2000  
Date Signed

## ASSIGNMENT OF TRADEMARK

ASSIGNMENT OF TRADEMARK (the "Assignment") made as of November 16, 1999 by MERAL, INC., a Delaware corporation ("Assignor").

WHEREAS, MERAL AH, INC. ("Assignee") desires to acquire all of Assignor's right, title and interest in, to and under the trademarks set forth on Schedule A (the "Assigned Marks") and the goodwill with which they are associated and which is symbolized by the Assigned Marks;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, Assignor and Assignee agree as follows:


Assignor does hereby sell, assign, transfer and deliver to Assignee, and Assignee hereby accepts, all right, title and interest of Assignor in, to and under the Assigned Marks throughout the world, any and all registrations and applications for registration thereof, and the goodwill of the Business connected with the use thereof and symbolized thereby, free and clear of all liens; all rights to apply for registrations for any thereof and any other rights corresponding thereto with full benefit of priority therein as may now or hereafter be granted to it by law, treaty or other international convention; and all rights, interests, claims and demands recoverable in law or equity, that Assignor has or may have in profits and damages for past, present and future infringements or other unauthorized use of the Assigned Marks, including, without limitation, the right to compromise, sue for and collect such profits and damages; the same to be held and enjoyed by Assignee, its successors and assigns or their legal representatives, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by Assignor if this Assignment had not been made.

This Assignment shall be binding upon and shall inure to the benefit of the parties and their respective successors and assigns.

This Assignment shall be governed by and construed and enforced in accordance with the laws of the United States in respect of trademark issues and in all other respects, including as to validity, interpretation and effect, by the laws of the State of New York, without giving effect to the conflict of laws rules thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Assignor has caused this Assignment to be duly executed as of the date first above written.

MERIAL, INC.

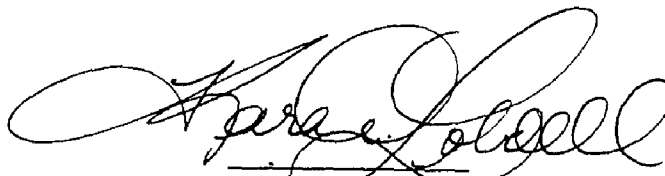
By:   
Name: *Michael E. Wannur*  
Title: *Secretary / Treasurer*

STATE OF NEW YORK

COUNTY OF NEW YORK

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) ss.:  
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On this 16th day of November, 1999, before me personally came Michael Wanner to me known, who being by me duly sworn, did depose and say that s/he resides at 140 Melbourne Drive, Athens, GA 30606; that he is the Secretary/Treasurer of Merial, Inc., the corporation described in and which executed the above instrument; that s/he knows the seal of said corporation; that the seal affixed to said instrument is such corporate seal; that it was so affixed by order of the Board of Directors of said corporation and that he signed his name thereto by like order.

  
Notary Public

[seal]

KARA A. LOBDELL  
Notary Public, State of New York  
NO. 02LO6031220  
Qualified in New York County  
Commission Expires Sept. 27, 2001

U. S. Trademarks

<u>TRADEMARK</u>	<u>STATUS (APPLICATION OR REGISTRATION)</u>	<u>SERIAL/ REGISTRATION NUMBER</u>
CARBAM	REGISTRATION	1,327,963
ERYTHRO	REGISTRATION	948,482
ERYTHRO	REGISTRATION	697,372
GALLIMYCIN	REGISTRATION	631,633
GALLIMYCIN	REGISTRATION	737,778
OSBORN	APPLICATION	75/476,549 (PENDING)
PLEXAMINO	REGISTRATION	991,099
POLYOX	REGISTRATION	1,734,316
SUSTAIN III	REGISTRATION	1,732,411
VETA-K1	REGISTRATION	1,706,201
VICETON	REGISTRATION	1,756,379
SPECTAM	REGISTRATION	863,824