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To the Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks: Please record the attached original documents or copy thereof.

1. Name of conveying party(ies):  
**AVL SCIENTIFIC CORPORATION**

Individual(s)                       Association  
 General Partnership             Limited Partnership  
 Corporation-State **Georgia**  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

Additional names(s) of conveying party(ies)       Yes  No



2. Name and address of receiving party(ies):

Name: **Roche Diagnostics GmbH**  
Internal Address: **Sandhofer Strasse 116**  
Street Address: **D-68305 Mannheim**  
City: **Germany** State: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

Individual(s) citizenship \_\_\_\_\_  
 Association \_\_\_\_\_  
 General Partnership \_\_\_\_\_  
 Limited Partnership \_\_\_\_\_  
 Corporation-State **GERMANY**  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

If assignee is not domiciled in the United States, a domestic designation is  Yes  N  
(Designations must be a separate document from  
Additional name(s) & address(es)  Yes  N

3. Nature of conveyance:

Assignment                       Merger  
 Security Agreement             Change of Name  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

Execution Date: **30 December 2000**

4. Application number(s) or registration numbers(s):

A. Trademark Application No.(s)

Additional numbers

B. Trademark Registration No.(s)

**2,178,782**

Yes  No

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

Name: **Donald N. Huff**  
Internal Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street Address: **1300 I Street**  
**Suite 300 West**  
City: **Washington** State: **DC** ZIP: **20005**

6. Total number of applications and registrations involved:..... **1**

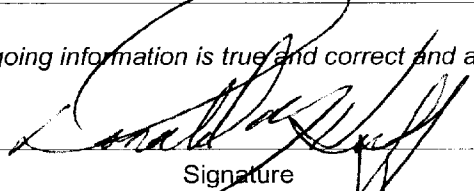
7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41):.....\$ **\$40.00**

Enclosed  
 Authorized to be charged to deposit account

8. Deposit account number:  
**04-2223**

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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.*

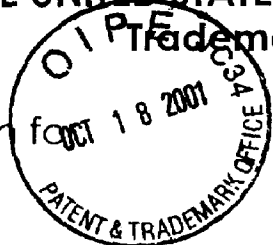
**Donald N. Huff**                                            **18 October 2001**  
Name of Person Signing                      Signature                      Date

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Trademark Examining Division



In re Application for

Mark: **OPTI**

Registrant: Roche Diagnostics GmbH

Registration No. 2,178,782

**APPOINTMENT OF DOMESTIC REPRESENTATIVE**

Donald N. Huff and the firm of Dykema Gossett PLLC, whose postal address is 1300 I Street, N.W., Third Floor West, Washington, D.C. 20005-2477, are hereby designated Registrant's domestic representatives upon whom notices of process in proceedings affecting the mark may be served.

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Dr. Weber  
Senior Director  
Patents

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Gilow  
Senior Vice President  
Legal

Date: Mannheim, October 11, 2001

**ASSIGNMENT OF TRADEMARKS**

WHEREAS, effective as of the undersigned date, AVL Scientific Corporation, a corporation of Georgia (hereinafter ASSIGNOR), having a principal address at 33 Mansell Court, Roswell, Georgia 30077 is the owner of the trademark rights and goodwill in and to U.S. trademark Registration No. 2,178,782 (THE TRADEMARK):

WHEREAS, Roche Diagnostics GmbH, (hereinafter ASSIGNEE), a corporation of Germany, having a principal address at Sandhofer Strasse 116, D-68305, Mannheim, Germany, is desirous of formally acquiring the said trademark rights and goodwill in and to THE TRADEMARK;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration in hand receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNOR does hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over unto ASSIGNEE, its legal representatives, successors, and assigns, all trademark rights in and to said THE TRADEMARK, together with the business symbolized thereby and goodwill appurtenant thereto, the right to sue and recover for damages for past infringement thereof, all applications to register same, and all licenses and other agreements relating to same.

I hereby set my hand at the date below entered,

AVL SCIENTIFIC CORPORATION

By: A. Marek

Date: Dec. 30, 2000

Name: ALFRED MAREK

Title: President