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## TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT

THIS TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT ("ASSIGNMENT") is made effective as of November 15, 2001 by Aventis Pharma S.A., a French corporation (formerly known as "Hoechst Marion Roussel, S.A.") located and doing business at 20 Avenue Raymond Aron, F-92165 Antony Cedex, France ("ASSIGNOR"), in favor of Medicis Pharmaceutical Corporation, a Delaware corporation located and doing business at 8125 N. Hayden Road, Scottsdale, Arizona 85258-2463, USA ("ASSIGNEE").

WHEREAS, pursuant and subject to that certain Asset Purchase Agreement, dated as of November 15, 1998 and effective as of November 15, 2001 (the "PURCHASE AGREEMENT"), ASSIGNOR has agreed to assign to ASSIGNEE the trademarks specified herein.

NOW, THEREFORE, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN, be it known that for good and valuable consideration, including without limitation consideration transferred pursuant to the PURCHASE AGREEMENT, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, and intending to be legally bound, ASSIGNOR has sold, assigned and transferred and by these presents does sell, assign and transfer unto ASSIGNEE, (i) all right, title and interest in and to the following trademark registrations:

- U.S. Trademark Registration Number 1,046,658 for the mark TOPICORT
- U.S. Trademark Registration Number 621,695 for the mark TOPICORT

and (ii) all right, title and interest of ASSIGNOR in and to the mark TOPICORT in the United States of America.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD unto ASSIGNEE, its successors and assigns forever, together with the good will attached thereto related to the products sold to ASSIGNEE pursuant to the PURCHASE AGREEMENT in the United States of America. This ASSIGNMENT (i) is executed by and shall be binding upon ASSIGNOR and its successors and assigns, (ii) shall inure to the benefit of ASSIGNEE and its successors and assigns, (iii) shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of Delaware without regard to conflict of laws principles thereof, and (iv) shall be subject to the provisions of the PURCHASE AGREEMENT.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, ASSIGNOR has duly executed this ASSIGNMENT as of the day and year above first written.

**AVENTIS PHARMA S** 

By:

Name: CHRISTIAN GELAIN

Title: AUTHORIZED OFFICER

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