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TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, NOVO NORDISK A/S, a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of Denmark, and having a place of business at Novo Alle, DK-2880, Bagsvaerd, Denmark hereinbelow called "Assignor", owns and has used in its business the following trademark and trademark registration;

<u>TRADEMARK</u>	<u>REGISTRATION NO.</u>	<u>REG. DATE</u>
VAGIFEM	2,123,814	December 23, 1997

;and

WHEREAS, NOVO NORDISK FEMCARE AG, a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of Switzerland, and having a place of business at Andreasstrasse 15, CH-8050 Zurich, Switzerland, hereinbelow called "Assignee", is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to the said trademark and trademark registration and in and to any registrations, renewals and extensions that may be granted thereon, together with the goodwill of the business connected therewith;

THEREFORE, BE IT KNOWN that for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) to it in hand paid, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, said Assignor has sold, assigned, transferred and by these presents does hereby sell, assign, and transfer unto the said Assignee, its successors or assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to the said trademark and trademark registration and in and to any registrations, renewals and extensions that may be granted thereon, together with the goodwill of the business connected therewith and any right to recover for past infringement thereof.

Bagsvaerd Dated: <u>H.P. Deboer,</u> 2004 ↓	NOVO NORDISK A/S By: <u>Marianne Weikop</u> Name: Marianne Weikop Title: Manager, Corporate Trademarks	Novo Nordisk A Novo Allé DK-2880 Bagsvaerd Denmark
Zürich Dated: <u>2nd Nov.</u> 2004 ↓	NOVO NORDISK FEMCARE AG By: <u>Klaus Ehrlich</u> Name: Klaus Ehrlich Title: General Manager	
Zürich Dated: <u>2nd Nov.</u> 2004 ↓	NOVO NORDISK FEMCARE AG By: <u>Ole F. Ramsby</u> Name: Ole F. Ramsby Title: Senior Vice President, General Counsel	

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

NOVO NORDISK FEMCARE AG

Registration No. 2,123,814

Registered: December 23, 1997

Trademark: **VAGIFEM**

Assistant Commissioner for Trademarks
2900 Crystal Drive
Arlington, Virginia 22202-3513

APPOINTMENT OF DOMESTIC REPRESENTATIVE

NOVO NORDISK FEMCARE AG , the registrant in the above-identified trademark registration herewith appoints DARBY & DARBY P.C., P.O. Box 5257, New York, New York 10150-5257, its domestic representative on whom may be served notice or process in proceedings affecting the above-referenced trademark registration, pursuant to Rule 2.24 of the Trademark Rules of Practice of the Patent Office.

Please address all correspondence to Karin Segall, Darby & Darby P.C., P.O. Box 5257, New York, New York 10150-5257, and direct all telephone calls to (212) 527-7619.

Zürich
Dated: 2nd Nov. 2004

NOVO NORDISK FEMCARE AG
By: [Signature]
Name: Klaus Ehrlich
Title: General Manager

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NOVO NORDISK FEMCARE AG
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Name: Ole F. Ramsby
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