

TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT

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NATURE OF CONVEYANCE:	ASSIGNS THE ENTIRE INTEREST AND THE GOODWILL		
CONVEYING PARTY DATA			
Name	Formerly	Execution Date	Entity Type
Novartis AG		02/03/1997	a Swiss corporation:
RECEIVING PARTY DATA			
Name:	Wellmark International		
Street Address:	1501 E. Woodfield Road, Suite 200		
City:	West Schaumburg		
State/Country:	ILLINOIS		
Postal Code:	60173		
Entity Type:	a California corporation:		
PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 1			
Property Type	Number	Word Mark	
Registration Number:	1053504	ALTOSAND	
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NAME OF SUBMITTER:	Mary L. Shapiro		
Signature:	/Mary L. Shapiro/		
Date:	11/14/2005		

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This Agreement is between NOVARTIS AG, a Swiss corporation having a business address of CH-4002, Basel, Switzerland ("Assignor") to Wellmark, a California corporation having a business address at 1501 E. Woodfield Rd., Suite 200 West, Schaumburg, IL 60173 ("Assignee"). The Agreement shall be effective, *nunc pro tunc*, as of February 3, 1997.

WHEREAS, Assignor is the owner of various marks, including common law and statutory trademarks, and United States and Canadian applications and registrations identified in Exhibit A - (hereinafter collectively "the Marks");

WHEREAS, Assignor warrants that it owns all rights, title and interest of every kind, nature or description in and to the Marks, all rights therein, including any and all common law and statutory rights therein, past, present and future registrations and applications therefore, all rights of renewal thereof, all rights to royalties for the licensing thereof, all claims for infringement thereof, and all goodwill pertaining thereto (except for those portions of the rights in the Marks Assignor has previously granted to Assignee, if any) (hereinafter "All Rights in the Marks"); and,

WHEREAS, Assignor desires to assign to Assignee All Rights in the Marks;


NOW THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignor does hereby sell, assign, set over and transfer to Assignee, as of the effective date of this Assignment set out hereinabove, *nunc pro tunc*, All Rights in the Marks as defined hereinabove. The rights of Assignee at common law and/or to the end of the term or terms of which registration(s) of the Marks may be granted or renewed are to be held and enjoyed by Assignee for Assignee's own use and enjoyment, and for the use and enjoyment of its successors, assigns and other legal representatives, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by Assignor if this Assignment and sale had not been made; including all claims for royalties for licensing of Marks, all damages by reason of past infringement(s) of the Marks, with the right to sue for and collect the same for its own use and benefit, and for the use, benefit and on behalf of its successors, assigns and other legal representatives.

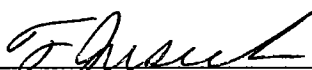
Assignor agrees to execute all documents necessary to effectuate and maintain registrations pertaining to the Marks, now and in the future.

The undersigned officer of Assignor represents that he has authority to execute this Assignment on behalf of Assignor, and to carry out all obligations imposed hereunder. The undersigned has read, understand, and agrees to the terms of this Assignment

NOVARTIS AG

WELLMARK INTERNATIONAL

By:  Irene Degen-Olivetti

By: 

Name: Tom Sadler Irene Degen-Olivetti

Name: Frank Jusich

Title: Trademark Specialist Trademark Assistant

Title: COO & CFO

Date: 1st February 2005

Date: Jan 18, 2005

EXHIBIT A
TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT
REGISTERED MARKS
BY NOVARTIS AG TO WELLMARK INTERNATIONAL

UNITED STATES

ALTOSAND	Reg. No. 1,053,504
GENCOR	Reg. No. 1,325,395
MUSCAMONE	Reg. No. 990,622
VET-KEM	Reg. No. 1,137,129

CANADA

ALTOZAR	TMA198,484
MUSCAMONE	TMA206358