

CONFIRMATORY ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, WuXi AppTec (Shanghai) Co., Ltd. ("Assignor"), a Chinese corporation with offices at No. 1 Building, 288 Fute Zhong Road, Waigaoqiao Free Trade Zone, Shanghai 200131, People's Republic of China, under the terms of the Amendment No. 12 of Restated Full Time Equivalents Agreement For Services between Assignor's parent company WuXi AppTec (BVI) Inc. and Merck Sharp & Dohme LLC, formerly known as Merck Sharp & Dohme Corp., ("Assignee") with an effective date of May 1, 2014 ("Agreement") did assign to Assignee all of its rights in any and all inventions set forth and described in an application for patent having the attorney docket number indicated above and the following Title of Invention:

ANTIMALARIAL AGENTS;

and/or in the following application(s):

U.S. Provisional Application No. 63/397,614 having a filing date of 08/12/2022;

U.S. Application No. _____ having a filing date of _____; and

PCT International Application No. PCT/CN2021/136177 having a filing date of 12/07/2021;

PCT International Application No. PCT/US22/051770 having a filing date of 12/05/2022

("Inventions").

AND WHEREAS, to confirm the assignment, Assignor has agreed to execute and deliver this assignment;

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the good and valuable consideration provided under the Agreement, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, Assignor hereby confirms that it has assigned to Assignee its entire right, title, interest, property and benefit in and to the Inventions and the associated patent application(s), including any and all rights relating thereto that may arise at law, all rights of action resulting from prior infringement or other unauthorized use thereof, any and all applications corresponding to the Inventions worldwide, whether in the form of divisions, continuations, re-examinations, re-issues and extensions thereof, any and all letters patent and like industrial property registrations that may issue, be granted or result from said corresponding applications for the Inventions worldwide (hereinafter referred to as the Patents), and any and all rights of priority exercisable in any jurisdiction resulting from the filing of the patent application(s) associated with Inventions, the said corresponding applications and any previously filed applications in respect of the Inventions under international conventions, treaties or otherwise, the same to be held and enjoyed as fully and exclusively as the same would have been held and enjoyed by Assignor had this assignment not been made;

AND ASSIGNOR, on behalf of itself and its successors, assigns, nominees, or other legal representatives, does hereby covenant and agree to perform all lawful acts and duties and to execute and deliver without further consideration such further lawful assignments, instruments, assurances, applications and other documents as may reasonably be required by said Assignee, or by its successors, assigns, nominees, or other legal representatives, to file patent application(s) associated with Inventions, obtain said Patents and vest or secure the same in Assignee, and in Assignee's successors, assigns, nominees or other legal representatives.

AND ASSIGNOR does hereby authorize any official whose duty it is to grant patents or industrial property registrations, to grant said Patents to the Assignee, and to Assignee's successors, assigns, nominees or other legal representatives.

AND ASSIGNOR, on behalf of itself and its successors, assigns, nominees, or other legal representatives, does hereby authorize said Assignee, its successors, assigns, nominees or other legal representatives, including its patent agents, to amend the present assignment document to insert or correct the filing date, serial number or other identifying information of the associated patent application(s) and/or Patents as may be needed to record same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Assignor has by its authorized signing officer executed this confirmatory assignment, and Assignee has by its authorized officer accepted this confirmatory assignment.

Assignor: WuXi AppTec (Shanghai) Co., Ltd.

Executed this 30th day of October, 2022.

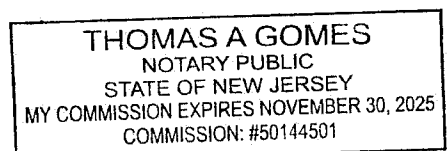
Signature: Tao Gao

Name: Tao Gao

Title: Authorized Signatory

Personally appeared before me the above named TOA Gao to me known and known to me to be the person who executed the foregoing instrument in my presence and acknowledged said instrument to be his/her free act and deed this 30th day of October, 2022.

Notary: [Signature]



Assignee: Merck Sharp & Dohme LLC

Executed this 30 day of November, 2022.

Signature: Cynthia A. Francisco

Name: Cynthia A. Francisco

Title: Executive Director, Asset Management

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

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) s.s.:

County of UNION)

On this 30th day of November, 2022, personally appeared before me Cynthia A. Francisco to me known, and known by me to be the same person(s) described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he (she) executed the same, of his (her) own free will for the purpose set forth.

(Seal)

Karen Ann Torkildsen
Notary Public

