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Applicant: Gilead Sciences, Inc.  
International Application No.: PCT/US2012/055621  
International Filing Date: 14 September 2012 (14.09.2012)  
Title of Invention: Methods for Treating HCV  
Confirmation No.: 1886

**REQUEST FOR A CHANGE UNDER RULE 92bis**

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Sir or Madam:

In accordance to Rule 92bis, Applicant respectfully requests a change of the Applicant name Gilead Sciences, Inc. to Gilead Pharmasset LLC. An assignment evidencing the change of Applicant is also enclosed.

The IB is requested to transmit the above change to the appropriate designated and/or elected offices. Please issue form(s) PCT/IB/306 confirming the recordation of the change requested above **as soon as possible**.

This request is being made within the time limit referred to in Rule 92bis.1(b). If additional information is desired, please contact the undersigned at the address and facsimile number provided below.

Your assistance with this international application is greatly appreciated. Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions or concerns.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: March 4, 2014

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FOR VALUE RECEIVED, GILEAD SCIENCES, INC.

a corporation of Delaware, U.S.A.

having a place of business at 333 Lakeside Drive, Foster City, CA 94404, U.S.A. (hereinafter called the "Assignor"), which by virtue of an Assignment dated October 22, 2012, October 19, 2012, October 22, 2012, October 19, 2012 and October 18, 2012 by Adrian S. Ray, William J. Watkins, David W. Oldach, William E. Delaney, IV and John O. Link is the owner of the entire right, title and interest, for all countries, in and to certain inventions described in International Application No. PCT/US2012/055621 executed by Gilead Sciences, Inc. jointly with Adrian S. Ray, William J. Watkins, David W. Oldach, William E. Delaney, IV and John O. Link

hereby sells, assigns, transfers and conveys unto GILEAD PHARMASSET LLC

a company of Delaware, U.S.A.

having a place of business at c/o Gilead Sciences, Inc., 333 Lakeside Drive, Foster City, CA 94404, U.S.A.

its successors, assigns and legal representatives (hereinafter called the "Assignee"), the entire right, title and interest, for all countries, in and to certain inventions relating to

**METHODS FOR TREATING HCV**

described in International Application No. PCT/US2012/055621 filed in the United States Receiving Office on September 14, 2012, and currently assigned to Assignor in and to said application, and all divisions, renewals and continuations thereof, and all Letters Patent of the United States which may be granted, thereon, and all reissues and extensions thereof, and all applications for Letters Patent or other grants of protection of proprietary rights including, but not limited to, inventor's certificate, utility model, utility certificate, patent of importation, registration of patent and industrial design registration which may be filed, and which may be granted, upon said inventions in any countries or regions foreign to the United States, and all reissues, renewals and extensions thereof;

AND Assignor hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner for Patents of the United States, and all officials of countries or regions foreign to the United States having authority so to do, to issue all such Letters Patent or other grants of protection upon said inventions to the Assignee or to such nominees as it may designate.

AND Assignor authorizes and empowers said Assignee or nominees to invoke and claim for any application for such Letters Patent or other grants of protection ensuing from said application for said inventions filed by it or them, the benefit of the right of priority provided by the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, as amended, or by a convention which may henceforth be substituted for it, and to invoke and claim such right of priority without further written or oral authorization from Assignor.

AND Assignor hereby consents that a copy of this assignment shall be deemed a full and formal equivalent of any assignment, consent to file or like document which may be required in any country or region for any purpose and more particularly in proof of the right of the said Assignee or nominees to claim the aforesaid benefit of the right of priority provided by the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, as amended, or by any convention which may henceforth be substituted for it.

AND Assignor hereby covenants that Assignor has the full right to convey the entire right, title and interest herein assigned and that Assignor has not executed and will not execute any agreement in conflict herewith.

AND Assignor hereby covenants and agrees that Assignor will communicate to said Assignee or nominees all facts known to Assignor pertaining to said inventions, and testify in all legal proceedings, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuing and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths and declarations and in general perform all lawful acts necessary or proper to aid said Assignee or nominees in

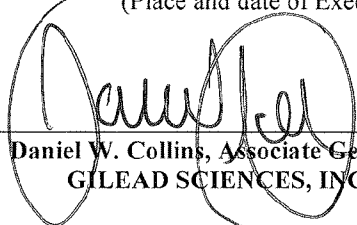
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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand:

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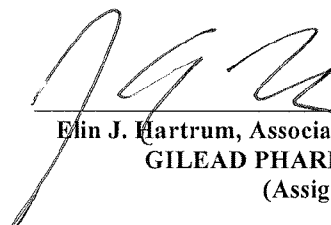
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Daniel W. Collins, Associate General Counsel, IP  
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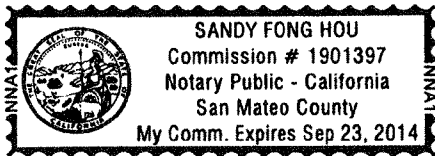
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who proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

I certify under PENALTY OF PERJURY under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing paragraph is true and correct.

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