

**CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION**

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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

On the title page, item [63], in column 1:

**IN THE RELATED U.S. APPLICATIONS:**

at line 1, insert —abandoned,— after "April 5, 1994,".

**IN THE REFERENCES CITED:**

Please add the following U.S. Patent documents:

—5,430,022 07/04/95 Hemmi *et al.* 514/18—; and

—5,439,887 08/08/95 Hamon *et al.* 514/13—.

**IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

at column 1, lines 4-10,

"This application is a Continuation-in-part of U.S. application Ser. No. 08/223,513, filed Apr. 5, 1994, now abandoned, and also a Continuation-in-part of U.S. application Ser. No. 07/900,623, filed Jun. 18, 1992, now abandoned, which is a Continuation-in-part of U.S. application Ser. No. 07/628,111, filed Dec. 14, 1990, now U.S. Pat. No. 5,331,573." should read

—This application is a continuation-in-part of U.S. application Ser. No. 07/900,623 to Ming Fai Chan and Vitukudi N. Balaji, filed Jun. 18, 1992, entitled "CYCLIC PEPTIDE SURFACE FEATURE MIMICS OF ENDOTHELIN", now abandoned, which is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Application Serial No. 07/628,111, filed December 14, 1990, now U.S. Patent No. 5,331,573, to Vitukudi N. Balaji and Chandra U. Singh, entitled "METHOD OF DESIGN OF COMPOUNDS THAT MIMIC CONFORMATIONAL FEATURES OF SELECTED PEPTIDES". This application is also a Continuation-in-part of U.S. application Ser. No. 08/427,987 to Vitukudi N. Balaji and Chandra U. Singh, filed April 24, 1995, entitled "A METHOD OF RATIONAL DRUG DESIGN BASED ON *AB INITIO* COMPUTER SIMULATION OF CONFORMATIONAL FEATURES OF PEPTIDES", now U.S. Pat. No. 5,579,250, which is a Continuation of U.S. application Ser. No. 08/223,513 to Vitukudi N. Balaji and Chandra U. Singh, filed Apr. 5, 1994, entitled "RATIONAL DESIGN OF COMPOUNDS THAT MIMIC CONFORMATIONAL FEATURES OF SELECTED PEPTIDES", now abandoned.

U.S. Application Serial Nos. 08/223,513, 08/427,987, 07/900,623 and 07/628,111, and U.S. Patent Nos. 5,331,573 and 5,579,250 each are incorporated herein in its entirety by reference thereto.—;