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[54] **IFN-GAMMA AS AN ACTIVE SUBSTANCE FOR INHIBITING AND PREVENTING DEGRADATION PROCESSES IN BONE**

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[57] **ABSTRACT**

This invention relates to methods for preventing and treating bone diseases caused by bone loss comprising administering to a patient a pharmaceutical composition with IFN-γ as the active substance.

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