

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

LUKASHEV *et al.* (as changed)

Appl. No.: 12/526,296

§ 371(c) Date: January 13, 2011

For: **Treatment for Multiple Sclerosis**
(*As Amended*)

Confirmation No.: 5197

Art Unit: 1649

Examiner: John D. ULM

Atty. Docket: 2159.3210001/JMC/M-R/U-S

**Request to Add Inventor in a Nonprovisional Patent Application
Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(c)**

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants request that the United States Patent and Trademark Office correct inventorship in the above-captioned nonprovisional patent application for which an oath or declaration has already been filed. Specifically, Applicants request that the United States Patent and Trademark Office add Gilmore O'Neil to the inventive entity. Accordingly, upon entry of this request, the inventive entity would be changed from Matvey E. LUKASHEV to **Matvey E. LUKASHEV and Gilmore O'NEILL**.

This request is accompanied by:

- (1) A statement under 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(c)(2) from the person to be added as an inventor stating that the amendment to the inventorship is necessitated by amendment of the claims and that the inventorship error occurred without deceptive intention on his part;
- (2) An oath or declaration by the actual inventors as required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.63 or as permitted by 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.42, 1.43 or 1.47;

- (3) The written consent of the assignee in accordance with § 1.48(c)(5); and
- (4) The processing fee as set forth under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i).

Applicants hereby authorize the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office to charge any fee deficiency, or credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 19-0036.

Respectfully submitted,

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Statement Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a)(2) of a
Person to be Added as an Inventor

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

I am an inventor/coinventor of the invention of one or more claims in the above-captioned nonprovisional application for which an oath or declaration under 37 C.F.R. § 1.63 has been filed. The addition of me as an inventor is necessitated by an amendment to the claims and an addition to the claims. The inventorship error occurred without deceptive intent on my part. I have read and understand 37 C.F.R. § 11.18(b).

Signed:  Date: October 27th 2011
Gilmore O'Neill

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Consent of the Assignee Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a)(5)

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
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Sir:

Biogen Idec MA Inc., assignee of the entire right, title and interest of the originally named inventor of the above-captioned application, consents to the change in inventorship from Matvey E. LUKASHEV to **Matvey E. LUKASHEV and Gilmore O'NEILL**.

I have read and understand 37 C.F.R. § 11.18(b).

For: Biogen Idec MA Inc.
Signature: Bart G Newland
Type or Print name: Bart G Newland
Title: Vice President and Chief I.P. Counsel
Date: October 28, 2011

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COMBINED DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled Treatment for Multiple Sclerosis (as amended), the specification of which:

- is attached hereto.
- was filed on _____ as Application No. _____.
- was filed as PCT International Application No. PCT/US2008/001602, filed on February 7, 2008, and as amended herewith in U.S. Application No. 12/526,296, which is the national stage entry of PCT/US2008/001602 and having a § 371(c) date of January 13, 2011.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose all information I know to be material to patentability in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56.

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, §119(e)(1) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below:

U.S. Serial No.	Filing Date	Status
60/888,921	February 8, 2007	Expired

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, §120 of any United States application(s) listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, §112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose all information I know to be material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56(a) which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application:

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I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, §119 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate or of any PCT international application(s) designating at least one country other than the United States of America listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate or any PCT international application(s) designating at least one country other than the United States of America filed by me on the same subject matter having a filing date before that of the application(s) of which priority is claimed:

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