UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT ~~OF KANSAS~~ Columbia TFH

HILL'S PET NUTRITION, INC.,	)	
	)	MDL No. 1285
Plaintiff,	)	
v.	)	No. 99-197 (TFH)
	)	
F. HOFFMAN LAROCHE, LTD., et al.,	)	Docket No. 00-4001-RDR
	)	
Defendants.	)	

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ORDER APPOINTING SPECIAL PROCESS SERVER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that APS International, Ltd. is authorized to effect service of process on defendant, Merck KGaA in Germany in accordance with the Hague Convention and international law.

Dated: Jan. 23, 2001

JUDGE THOMAS F. HOGAN

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