

IN THE FEDERAL COURT OF CANADA  
TRIAL DIVISION  
(AT OTTAWA)

BETWEEN

HER MAJESTY THE QUEEN

- and -

RHÔNE-POULENC BIOCHIMIE S.A.

Accused

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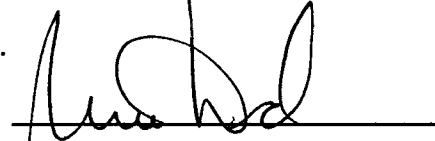
INDICTMENT

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**THE ACCUSED** stands charged:

THAT it did, between 1990 and 1999, the exact dates being unknown, in various locations outside Canada, unlawfully conspire, combine, agree or arrange with MERCK KGaA, to prevent or lessen, unduly, competition in the production, manufacture, purchase, sale, storage, transportation or supply of a product, namely, methylglucamine, in Canada, contrary to paragraph 45(1)(c) of the *Competition Act*.

Dated at Ottawa, Ontario, this 31 day of January, 2003.



For the Attorney General of Canada

I hereby consent to the preferment of this indictment pursuant to section 577 of the Criminal Code.

Dated at Ottawa, Ontario this <sup>4th</sup> day of February, 2003.



Morris Rosenberg  
Deputy Attorney General of Canada

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