CLAIMS

1. Use of 7-[4-(4-benzo[b]thiophen-4-yl-piperazin-1-yl)butoxy]-1H-quinolin-2-one or a salt thereof in the manufacuture of a medicament for preventing and/or treating impulsive symptoms associated with dementia.

2. The use according to claim 1, wherein the dementia is selected from the group consisting of Alzheimer-type dementia, dementia with Lewy bodies, frontotemporal dementia, cerebrovascular dementia, Parkinson's type dementia and Huntington's disease.

3. The use according to claim 2, wherein the dementia is Alzheimer-type dementia.

4. The use according to Claim 1, wherein the impulsive symptom is agitation.

5. The use according to any one of Claims 1 to 4, wherein the medicament is for the treatment of a patient who cannot receive a sufficient effect for impulsive symptoms associated with dementia from a generally available therapeutic drug for dementia.

6. The use according to Claim 5, wherein the generally available therapeutic drug for dementia is donepezil, galantamine, rivastigmine or memantine, or a salt thereof.