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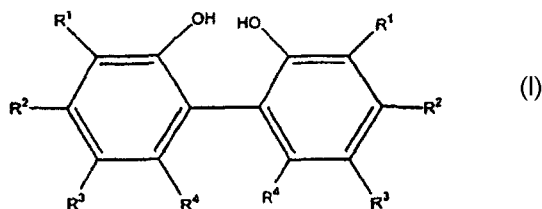
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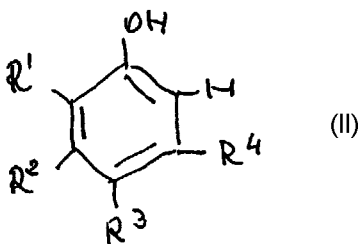
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(I)

(57) Abstract: A process for making a compound of Formula (I) by oxidative coupling of a compound of the formula (II) in the presence of a molecular oxygen-containing gas and a copper-containing catalyst produced by contacting a copper halide salt with an organic diamine compound. Some compounds of the formula (I) are also claimed.



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