

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

METHOD FOR INDUCING DEFECTIVE *nef* GENE IN HIV-1 USING RED GINSENG

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A method for inducing defective *nef* genes in HIV-1 using red ginseng is provided. More particularly, the present invention provides a method for inducing defective *nef* genes in HIV-1, which comprises administering an effective amount of red ginseng to a subject in need thereof. This method can derive gross deletion from
10 the *nef* genes in HIV-1 and can thus be effectively applied in the prevention and treatment of AIDS.

Figure 6