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City: St. Paul  
State: Minnesota Zip: 55112-5798
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**A S S I G N M E N T**

WHEREAS, we, BRUCE A. TOCKMAN, a citizen of the United States of America, residing at 21788 Pomroy Avenue North, Scandia Minnesota 55073, and RANDY WESTLUND, a citizen of the United States of America, residing at 2618 16th Avenue South, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55407, are the inventors of that certain invention disclosed and claimed in an application for United States Letters Patent executed by BRUCE A. TOCKMAN on 6-12, 1998, and executed by RANDY WESTLUND on 6-12, 1998, and entitled "TORQUE DEVICE FOR LEFT VENTRICULAR LEAD SYSTEMS"; and

WHEREAS, CARDIAC PACEMAKERS, INC., a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Minnesota and having its principal office located at 4100 North Hamline Avenue, St. Paul, Minnesota 55112-5798 is desirous of acquiring the said invention and any and all patents of any and all countries which may be granted on said invention.

NOW, THEREFORE, Be It Known that for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) to us in hand paid by said CARDIAC PACEMAKERS, INC. and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of all of which is hereby acknowledged, we, BRUCE A. TOCKMAN and RANDY WESTLUND, have sold, assigned and transferred, and do hereby sell, assign and transfer unto said CARDIAC PACEMAKERS, INC. the entire right, title, and interest, both legal and equitable, in and to the said above identified invention for all countries, in and to the same above identified application for patent, and in and to any and all patents of any and all countries which may be granted on said invention; and the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks is hereby authorized and requested to issue, in accordance with this Assignment, any and all patents which may be granted on the above identified application or on the invention therein disclosed.

Signed at St Paul, Minnesota this 12<sup>th</sup> day of  
June, 1998.

B. A. Tockman (1) Randy Westlund (2)  
Bruce A. Tockman Randy Westlund

STATE OF MINNESOTA  
COUNTY OF Ramsey SS

On this 12<sup>th</sup> day of June, 1998, before me, a  
Notary Public for and within the County aforesaid, personally  
appeared Bruce A. Tockman and Randy Westlund to me known to be  
the persons described in the foregoing Assignment, and they  
acknowledged to me that they executed the same as their free act  
and deed.

(Seal)

Barbara H. Becker  
Notary Public

