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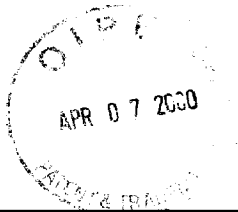
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ASSIGNMENT AND AGREEMENT

For value received, we, **Marcia L. O'Connor**, of **Bolton** in the County of **Worcester** and State of **Massachusetts**; **Michael S. Banik** of **Bolton** in the County of **Worcester** and State of **Massachusetts**; and **Kathleen M. Miller** of **Shrewsbury** in the County of **Worcester** and State of **Massachusetts**, hereby sell, assign, and transfer to

Boston Scientific Limited

a company of the Republic of Ireland, having an office at

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P.O. Box 111
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West Indies

and its successors, assigns, and legal representatives, a portion of the entire right, title, and interest in and to certain inventions related to **DRUG RELEASING ELASTIC BAND AND METHOD** described in an application for Letters Patent of the United States, executed by us of even date herewith.

The portion of the entire right, title, and interest that we hereby sell, assign, and transfer to:

Boston Scientific Limited

includes any and all rights and privileges in said inventions in any country foreign to the United States, including, but not limited to, all foreign rights of priority arising from said United States application, and all the rights and privileges under any and all forms of protection, including Letters Patent, that may be granted in said countries foreign to the United States for said inventions.

We authorize

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to make application for such protection in its own name and maintain such protection in any and all countries foreign to the United States, and to invoke and claim for any application for patent or other form of protection for said inventions, without further authorization from us, any and all benefits, including the right of priority provided by any and all treaties, conventions, or agreements.

We hereby consent that a copy of this assignment shall be deemed a full legal and formal equivalent of any document that may be required in any country in proof of the right of

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to apply for patent or other form of protection for said inventions and to claim the aforesaid benefit of the right of priority.

We request that any and all patents or other forms of protection granted in any country; foreign to the United States for said inventions be issued to

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or to such nominees as it may designate.

We agree that, when requested, we shall without charge to

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but at its expense, sign all papers and do all acts that may be necessary, desirable, or convenient in connection with said applications, patents, or other forms of protection.

Date: 5-13-99

Marcia L. O'Connor
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United States of America)

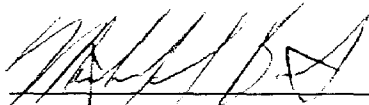
State of Massachusetts) ss.:

County of Worcester)

On this 3rd day of May 1999, before me personally came **Marcia L. O'Connor** to me known to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged execution of same.

Barbara F. Benzie
Notary Public

Date: 6/1/99




Michael S. Banik

United States of America)

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County of Worcester)

On this 1st day of June 1999, before me personally came **Michael S. Banik** to me known to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged execution of same.



Notary Public

Date: May 18, 1999

Kathleen M. Miller
Kathleen M. Miller

United States of America)

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On this 18th day of May 1999, before me personally came **Kathleen M. Miller** to me known to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged execution of same.

Barbara F. Benzi
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