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Commissioner of Patents and Trader Box Assignment, Washington, D.C. ttached original documents or copy thereof. To the Honorable Commissioner of 1. Name of conveying party(ies): address of receiving party(ies): 101362385 Patrick D. Wolk Name: Duke University MAY 0 4 2000 🖺 Pendekanti Raj Internal Address: Street Address: Additional name/s of conveying party/ies attached? City: Durham 3. Nature of conveyance: State/Country: North Carolina **◯** Assignment Merger Zip: 27708-0083 ☐ Security Assignment ☐ Change of Name Other Additional name/s & address/es attached? Yes No **Fxecution Date:** May 1, 2000 4. Application number(s) or patent number(s): if this document is being filed together with a new application, the execution date of the application is: A. Patent Application No(s). B. Patent No(s). (1) 09/130,990 (1) (2) (2)(3) (3)Additional numbers attached Yes No 6. Total number of applications & patents involved: 5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed: 7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41) 40.00 Name: Bryan H. Davidson, Esq. Authorized to be charged to deposit account #14-1140 Internal Address: 8. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the fee(s) filed, or asserted to be filed, or which Street Address: Nixon & Vanderhye P.C. 1100 North Glebe Road should have been filed herewith (or with any paper thereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Account No. 8<sup>th</sup> Floor 22201 14-1140. City: Arlington State: VA Zip: DO NOT USE THIS SPACE 9. Statements and signature. To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document. May 4, 2000 Bryan H. Davidson, Esq. Name of Person Signing Reg. No. 30,251 Total number of pages including **original** cover sheet, attachments, and document: [2]

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## **ASSIGNMENT**

WHEREAS, Patrick D. WOLF (hereinafter ASSIGNOR), along with Raj Pendekanti, have invented a certain improvement in ATRIAL DEFIBRILLATION METHODS AND APPARATUS for which a so-entitled application for Letters Patent of the United States was filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office under Serial No. 09/130,990 (Atty. Dkt. No. VTO264-US1).

WHEREAS, DUKE UNIVERSITY(hereinafter ASSIGNEE), of Durham, North Carolina, is desirous of acquiring an interest therein;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of Ten Dollars (\$10.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the said ASSIGNOR by these presents hereby sells, assigns, and transfers unto the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns, and legal representatives, the full and exclusive right to the said invention in the United States and all foreign countries, as described in the aforesaid application, together with the right of priority under the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, Inter-American Convention Relating to Patents, Designs and Industrial Models, and any other international agreements to which the United States of America adheres, and hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue said Letters Patent to ASSIGNEE, for its interest as ASSIGNEE, for the sole use and behoof of ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns, and legal representatives.

And, ASSIGNOR hereby agrees to transfer a like interest upon request of said ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns, and legal representatives, and without further remuneration, in and to any improvements, and applications for patents based thereon, growing out of or related to the said invention; and to execute any papers by ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns, and legal representatives, deemed essential to ASSIGNEE'S full protection and title in and to the invention hereby transferred.

Agreeing, further, upon request of ASSIGNEE, and without further remuneration, to execute any and all papers desired by ASSIGNEE, for the filing and granting of foreign applications and the perfecting of title thereto in ASSIGNEE.

The undersigned hereby authorizes and requests Nixon & Vanderhye P.C. to insert hereon any further identification necessary or desirable for recordation of this document.

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