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Address: 1820 Embarcadero Road

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## ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, We, Mark A. Maguire, a United States citizen, residing at 1615 Cottle Avenue, San Jose, CA 95125, Michael D. Lesh, a citizen of the United States, residing at 301 Monte Vista Avenue, Mill Valley, CA 94941, James C. Peacock, III, a United States citizen, residing at 410 Winding Way, San Carlos, CA 94070, and Edward L. Carcamo, a United States citizen, residing at 380 Vallejo Drive, Suite 122, Millbrae, CA 94030, have invented certain new and useful improvements in a TISSUE ABLATION DEVICE ASSEMBLY AND METHOD FOR ELECTRICALLY ISOLATING A PULMONARY VEIN OSTIUM FROM AN ATRIAL WALL for which we have filed an application for Letters Patent in the United States, Application No. 09/435,281, filed November 5, 1999;

AND WHEREAS, ATRIONIX, INC. (hereinafter "ASSIGNEE"), a California Corporation, with its principal place of business at 1820 Embarcadero Road, Palo Alto, CA 94303, desires to acquire the entire right, title, and interest in and to the said improvements and the said Application:

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) to me in hand paid, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we, the said inventors, do hereby acknowledge that we have sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over, unto the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, the entire right, title, and interest throughout the world in, to and under the said improvements, and the said application and all divisions, renewals and continuations thereof, and all Letters Patent of the United States which may be granted thereon and all reissues and extensions thereof, and all rights of priority under International Conventions and applications for Letters Patent which may hereafter be filed for said improvements in any country or countries foreign to the United States, and all Letters Patent which may be granted for said improvements in any country or countries foreign to the United States and all extensions, renewals and reissues thereof; and we hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents of the United States, and any Official of any country or countries foreign to the United States, whose duty it is to issue patents on applications as aforesaid, to issue all Letters Patent for said improvements to the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this instrument.

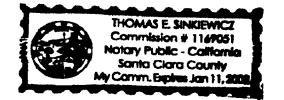
AND WE HEREBY covenant and agree that we will communicate to the said ASSIGNEE, successors, legal representatives and assigns, any facts known to us respecting said improvements, and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuing and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths and generally do everything possible to aid the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for said improvements in all countries.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and seal this aday of tebruary 2000 Mark A. Maguire

STATE OF COUNTY OF Santa Class ss.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

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Thomas & Sinkiewir, Notary Signature

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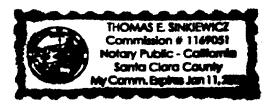
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On Austic of the personally known to me (or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence) to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same in his authorized capacity (in), and that by his signature on the instrument the person on the entity upon behalf of which the person (a) acted, executed the instrument. WITNESS my hand and official seal. THOMAS E SINKIEWICZ [SEAL] Commission # 1169051 Notary Public - California Santa Clara County My Comm. Expires Jan 11, 2002 IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and seal this 8th day of felmuary James C. Peacock, III STATE OF Ca COUNTY OF Santa Class | ss. , before me, <u>Ihromas U</u>X appeared James C. Peacock, III, personally known to me (or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence) to be the person() whose name() is/ego subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same in his authorized capacity(iss), and that by his signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument. WITNESS my hand and official seal. [SEAL]

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and seal this \_Ph day of \_Feb. 41 4 \_\_\_\_\_ 2000.

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appeared Edward L. Carcamo, personally known to me (or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence) to be the person( ) whose name( ) is/ see subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same in his authorized capacity( ), and that by his signature ( ) on the instrument the person ( ), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

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