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ASSIGNMENT

For valuable consideration, I, DAVID ALAN BOAS of Newmarket, NH, hereby assign to The General Hospital Corporation, a corporation having a place of business at: 55 Fruit Street, Boston, MA 02114 and its successors and assigns (collectively hereinafter called "the Assignee"), the entire right, title and interest throughout the world in the inventions and improvements which are subject of an application for United States Patent signed by me, entitled DETECTION OF STROKE EVENTS USING DIFFUSE OPTICAL TOMOGRAPHY, filed June 19, 2000, and assigned U.S. Serial Number 09/598,422, this assignment including said application, any and all United States and foreign patents, utility models, and design registrations granted for any of said inventions or improvements, and the right to claim priority based on the filing date of said application under the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, the Patent Cooperation Treaty, the European Patent Convention, and all other treaties of like purposes; and I authorize the Assignee to apply in all countries in my name or in its own name for patents, utility models, design registrations and like rights of exclusion and for inventors' certificates for said inventions and improvements; and I agree for me and my respective heirs, legal representatives and assigns, without further compensation to perform such lawful acts and to sign such further applications, assignments, Preliminary Statements and other lawful documents as the Assignee may reasonably request to effectuate fully this assignment.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereto set my hand and seal at MGH - CNY,
this 13th day of October, 2000.
DAVID ALAN BOAS  L.S.

State of MASSACHUSETTS
: ss.
County of SUFFOLK :

Before me this 13th day of OCTOBER, 2000, personally appeared
DAVID ALAN BOAS known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing
Assignment and acknowledged that he executed the same as his free act and deed for the
purposes therein contained.


Notary Public
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