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Name:

C.R. Bard, Inc.

Internal Address:

Street Address:

730 Central Avenue

Murray Hill, NJ 07974

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Sell, assign and transfer to C.R. Bard, Inc., a New Jersey corporation having a place of business at 730 Central Avenue, Murray Hill, NJ 07974, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, all hereinafter referred to as the Assignee, the entire right, title and interest for the United States and all foreign countries, in and to any and all inventions which are disclosed in the application for United States Letters Patent filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on July 25, 2000 under Serial No. 09/624,779 and entitled IMPLANTABLE PROSTHESIS, and in and to said application and all divisional, continuing, substitute, renewal, reissue and all other applications for Letters Patent which have been or shall be filed in the United States and all foreign countries on any of said inventions; and in and to all original and reissued patents which have been or shall be issued in the United States and all foreign countries on said inventions including the right to apply for patent rights in each foreign country and all rights to priority.

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We hereby request the Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue said Letters Patent to said Assignee.

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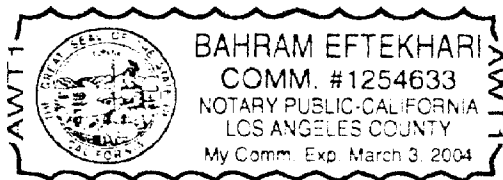
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Dr. Parviz K. Amid

STATE OF California :
COUNTY OF Los Angeles :

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of Dec., 2000.

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My Commission Expires 3/3/04

Date

Ronald L. Greene

STATE OF _____ :
COUNTY OF _____ :

Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____.

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