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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, we, James Frank Kasic II, residing at 4785 Harrison Avenue, Boulder, Colorado 80303; José H. Bedova, residing at 604 Tenth Street, Boulder, Colorado 80302; Douglas Alan Miller, residing at 372 Driftwood Circle, Lafayette, Colorado 80026; and, James Roy Easter, residing at 286 Wichita Road, P.O. Box 739, Lyons, Colorado 80540-0739, have invented a certain new and useful invention entitled IMPLANTABLE HEARING AID WITH IMPROVED SEALING, for which an application for Letters Patent of the United States has been prepared for filing, said application being identified as Attorney File No. 45568-00421 and executed on even date herewith:

NOW THEREFORE, be it known that we, the said inventors, for and in consideration of certain good and valuable consideration, the sufficiency and receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, at the request of the assignee do sell, assign and transfer unto said assignee, Otologics LLC, a Missouri corporation having a place of business at 5445 Airport Boulevard, Suite 106, Boulder, Colorado 80301, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, the aforesaid application for the territory of the United States of America and all continuation, divisional, continuation-in-part and reissue applications, all patent applications in foreign countries, all applications pursuant to the Patent Cooperation Treaty, and all applications for extension filed or to be filed for the invention, and all Letters Patent, Invention Registrations, Utility Models, Extensions or Reissues and other patent rights, obtained for the invention in the United States or any other country; we also assign any right, title or interest in and to the invention which has not already been transferred to the assignee; we warrant that we have made no assignment of the invention, application or patent therefore to a party other than Otologics LLC, and we are under no obligation to make any assignment of the invention, application, or patent therefore to any other party; and we further agree to cooperate with the assignee hereunder in the obtaining and sustaining of any and all such Letters Patent and in confirming assignee's exclusive ownership of the invention, but at the expense of said assignee.

The Commissioner of Patents is hereby authorized and requested to issue the Letters Patent solely in accordance with the terms of this Assignment, to Otologics LLC, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, as the assignee of the entire right, title and interest therein.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this Assignment as of the date indicated hereunder.

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Before me, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, personally appeared James Frank Kasic II , known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the purposes and considerations therein expressed.
Given under my hand and seal of office this
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Before me, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, personally appeared José H. Bedoya , known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the purposes and considerations therein expressed.
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Before me, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, personally appeared Douglas Alan Miller , known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the purposes and considerations therein expressed.
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Before me, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, personally appeared James Roy Easter , known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the purposes and considerations therein expressed.
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