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## ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, we, Barry M. Zide, residing at 15 Cottage Street, Medway, MA, 02053, Vincent DiFilippo, residing at 71 Princeton Street, Unit 301, North Chelmsford, MA 01863, and Sean Kirkpatrick, residing at 29 Nashoba Road, Littleton, MA 01460 (hereinafter referred to collectively as "Assignors"), have jointly made an invention entitled METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR IMPROVING THE EFFECTIVENESS OF MEDICAL DEVICES BY ADHEREING DRUGS TO THE SURFACE THEREOF, for which an application for a United States Patent was filed on May 13, 2002 and accorded Serial No. 10/144,919, and which claims priority to U.S. Provisional Application Serial No. 60/290,389 filed May 11, 2001 and U.S. Provisional Application Serial No. 60/317,652, filed September 6, 2001.

WHEREAS, Epion Corporation, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, having its principal place of business at 37 Manning Road, Billerica, MA 01821 (hereinafter referred to as "Assignee"), is desirous of acquiring right, title and interest in said invention.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00), and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignors by these presents, do sell, assign and transfer to Assignee, Assignors entire right, title and interest, for the United States of America and its possessions and territories and for all foreign countries, in and to said invention, including all rights of priority created and conferred by any treaty or international convention which is available in connection with said invention, including the right to apply for patent rights, U.S. or foreign, and in any continuations, divisions, substitutes, renewals, reissues or other applications filed in the U.S. or abroad (including multinational filing arrangements of all kinds), and in any U.S. or foreign patents issued on any such applications and reissues, extensions and renewals thereof, to be held and enjoyed by Assignee, for its own use and behalf and for its successors and assigns, to the full ends of the terms or extended terms for which any Letters Patents or the like may be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by Assignors had this sale, assignment and transfer not been made.

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Executed this 13 day of August, 2002.

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Sean Kirkpatrick

Commonwealth of Massachusetts )  
 ) ss  
County of Middlesex )

Before me appeared Sean Kirkpatrick on this 13<sup>th</sup> day of Aug., 2002, who signed this Assignment document, and who acknowledges that he signed it as a free act on his behalf.

Alice Bourget

Notary Public

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_

