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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, BOSTON SCIENTIFIC CORPORATION, organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, having an office at One Boston Scientific Place, Natick, Massachusetts 01760-1537, owns all rights, title and interest in the following patents:

U.S. Patent 5,928,163, issued July 27, 1999 and recorded on July 10, 1995 at Reel 7543/Frame 0137

U.S. Patent 6,261,242, issued July 17, 2001 and recorded on February 1, 2000 at Reel 010574/Frame 0241

(hereinafter "the Patents") and all U.S. and foreign patent applications claiming priority therefrom;

WHEREAS, SCIMED LIFE SYSTEMS, INC., organized and existing under the laws of the State of Minnesota, having a principal office at One Scimed Place, Maple Grove, Minnesota 55311-1566, and BOSTON SCIENTIFIC CORPORATION have agreed that all current and future U. S. and non-U.S. rights in the Patents are to be assigned by BOSTON SCIENTIFIC CORPORATION to SCIMED LIFE SYSTEMS, INC.;

NOW, THEREFORE, to all to whom it may concern, be it known that pursuant to the parties' prior agreement and other good and valuable considerations, the receipt and sufficiency whereof is hereby acknowledged, BOSTON SCIENTIFIC CORPORATION has assigned and transferred, and by this instrument does hereby assign and transfer unto SCIMED LIFE SYSTEMS, INC., its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest, for the United States and all countries outside of the United States, in and to the Patents, all inventions and improvements disclosed in the Patents, and in and to any and all patent applications which shall be filed in all foreign countries for said inventions and improvements, including an assignment of all rights under the provisions of the Paris Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property and the Patent Cooperation Treaty, and all patents of foreign countries which may be granted therefrom.

BOSTON SCIENTIFIC CORPORATION further authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue the entire right, title, and interest in and to the

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United States Patents to SCIMED LIFE SYSTEMS, INC. for its sole use and advantage and for the use and advantage of its legal representatives, to the full end of the term for which said Patents may be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by BOSTON SCIENTIFIC CORPORATION had this Assignment and sale not been made.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 17^{th} day of $April_, 2003.$

BOSTON SCIENTIFIC CORPORATION

Robert M. Rauker Senior Patent Counsel

SCIMED LIFE SYSTEMS, INC., the assignee, hereby accepts the foregoing assignment of all United States and foreign rights.

SCIMED LIFE SYSTEMS, INC.

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Robert M. Rauker Assistant Secretary

United States of America State/Commonwealth of Massachusetts County of Middlesex

On this 17^{th} day of Ap_{f1} , 2003, before me personally appeared Robert M. Rauker, Assistant Secretary of SCIMED LIFE SYSTEMS, INC., known to me to be the individual who executed the foregoing instrument, and he duly acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the purpose therein set forth.

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