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## ASSIGNMENT

This Assignment made by James M. Carlson of Gilroy, California, Assignor, to  
ADVANCED CARDIOVASCULAR SYSTEMS, INC., a California corporation, Assignee,  
having a place of business at 3200 Lakeside Drive, Santa Clara, California.

WHEREAS, Assignor has invented a new and useful METAL INJECTION MOLDED  
TUBING FOR DRUG-ELUTING STENTS for which an application for United States Letters  
Patent has been executed by them this day; and

WHEREAS, Assignor believes himself to be the original, first inventor of the invention  
disclosed and claimed in said application for Letters Patent; and

WHEREAS, Assignee desires to acquire by formal, recordable assignment the entire  
right, title and interest in and to said invention, said application, and any Letters Patent that may  
be granted for said invention in the United States and throughout the world;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of  
which are hereby acknowledged, Assignor hereby sells, assigns and transfers to Assignee, the  
entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, said application, and any Letters Patent that  
may be granted for said invention in the United States and throughout the world, including the  
right to file foreign applications directly in the name of the Assignee and to claim for any such  
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conventions, treaties or otherwise.

Further, Assignor agrees that, upon request and without further compensation, but at no  
expense to Assignor, they and their legal representative(s) and assigns will do all lawful acts,  
including the execution of papers and the giving of testimony, that may be necessary or desirable  
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Assignor represents and warrants that he has not granted and will not grant to others any rights inconsistent with the rights granted herein.

Assignor authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States and of all foreign countries to issue any Letters Patent granted for said invention, whether on said application or on any subsequently filed division, continuation, continuation-in-part or reissue application, to Assignee, its successors and assigns, as the assignee of the entire interest in said invention.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Assignor has executed this Assignment on the date written herein below.

Assignor:

Date: 5/19/03

  
JAMES M. CARLSON

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