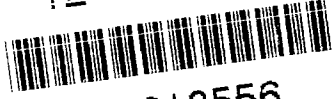


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This Assignment made by RICHARD M. BATCH of Del Mar, California, Assignor, to ALARIS Medical Systems, Inc. a Delaware corporation, Assignee, having a place of business at 10221 Wateridge Circle, Bldg. A, San Diego, California 92121.

WHEREAS, Assignor has invented a new and useful SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR ANALYZING MEDICAL TREATMENT DATA for which an application for United States Letters Patent has been executed by him this day; and

WHEREAS, Assignor believes himself to be the original and 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, in consideration of the sum of one-hundred and fifty dollars (\$150.00), and other 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 foreign applications any priority rights to which such applications are entitled under international conventions, treaties or otherwise.

Further, Assignor agrees that, upon request and without further compensation, but at no expense to Assignor, he and his 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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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Assignor has executed this Assignment on the date written herein below.

Assignor:

Date: November 26, 2003


RICHARD M. BATCH

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