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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS We, 1) Howard V. Goldberg; 2) Prabhat Kumar; 3) Thomas J. Ryan

of 1) 34 Donna Road, Framingham, MA 01701-7910; 2) 31 Pinewood Drive, Framingham, MA 01701-7656; 3) 1140 Washington Street, Canton, MA 02021-2124

have invented certain improvements in ELECTRODE LEAD WIRES

described in a patent application executed by US on
 and identified in the United States Patent Office as follows:

Patent No.: 6,593,532

Date of Patent: July 15, 2003

and Attorney's Docket No.: Mo-7305/NRC-P42; and

WHEREAS, H.C. STARCK INC. of Newton, Massachusetts, a corporation of the State of Massachusetts, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention or inventions and any and all patents to be obtained therefore;

NOW, THEREFORE, for valuable consideration and in accordance with the obligations in our employment contracts with H.C. STARCK INC., we do hereby sell, assign and transfer unto said H.C. STARCK INC., its successors and assigns, the entire right, title, and interest in and to said invention or inventions, as described in the aforesaid application, in any form or embodiment thereof, and in and to the aforesaid application; and in and to any applications filed in any foreign country based thereon, including the right to file said foreign applications under the provisions of the International Convention; also any improvements on said invention or inventions now or hereafter made by us during the period of our employment; also the entire right, title and interest in and to any and all patents or reissues or extensions thereof to be obtained in this or any foreign country upon said invention, inventions or improvements and any divisional, continuation, continuation-in-part or substitute applications which may be filed upon said invention, inventions or improvements in this or any foreign country; and we hereby authorize and request the issuing authority to issue any and all patents on said application or applications to said H.C. STARCK INC., as assignee of the entire interest.

We further agree, without any payment by H.C. STARCK INC., other than expenses incurred by the undersigned, to communicate to said H.C. STARCK INC., its representatives or agents, any facts relating to said invention, inventions or improvements, including evidence for interference purposes or for other legal proceedings, whenever requested, testify in any interference or other legal proceedings, whenever requested; and execute and deliver, on request, all lawful papers required to make any of the foregoing provisions effective.

SIGNED AT Newton, MA, this

20th day of September, 2004.

(L.S.) 1) Howard V. Goldberg
Howard V. Goldberg

SIGNED AT Newton, MA, this

20th day of September, 2004

(L.S.) 2) Prabhat Kumar
Prabhat Kumar

SIGNED AT EAST WALPOLE, MA, this
27th day of SEPTEMBER, 2004

(L.S.) 3) 
Thomas J. Ryan