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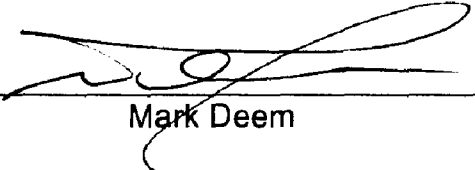
This Assignment is by Mark Deem; Hanson Gifford III; Denise Demarais; Douglas Sutton; Erik Thai; Mark Gelfand; and Howard R. Levin (the "Assignors"), residing at 685 Sierra Drive, Mountain View, California 94041; 3180 Woodside Road, Woodside 94062, California; 15403 Shannon Road, Los Gatos, California 95032; 1595 Adobe Drive, Pacifica, California 94044; 2318 Brushglen Way, San Jose, California 95133; 196 Grand Street, New York, New York 10013; and 640 Pomander Walk, Teaneck, New Jersey 07666, respectively. The Assignors have invented one or more certain inventions (the "Invention(s)") described in a Patent application for Letters Patent of the United States entitled METHODS AND APPARATUS FOR RENAL NEUROMODULATION (the "Application"), already filed on May 13, 2005 as U.S. Application No. 11/129,765.

Ardian, Inc., a Corporation of Delaware having its principal place of business at 199 Jefferson Drive, Menlo Park, California 94025 ("Assignee"), desires to acquire the entire right, title and interest in and to the Invention(s) and the Application, and in and to any patents (collectively, "Patents") that may be granted for the Invention(s) in the United States or in any foreign countries.

For valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which Assignors acknowledge, Assignors hereby sell, assign, and transfer to Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to: the Invention(s), the Application, and any Patents; any divisions, continuations, and continuations-in-part of the Application and any other application claiming priority rights from the Application; any reissues, reexaminations, or extensions of any and all Patents; the right to file foreign applications directly in the name of Assignee; and the right to claim priority rights deriving from the Application (collectively, the "Rights"). Assignors warrant that Assignors own the Rights, and that the Rights are unencumbered. Assignors also agree to not sign any writing or do any act conflicting with this assignment, and, without further compensation, sign all documents and do such additional acts as Assignee deems necessary or desirable to: perfect Assignee's enjoyment of the Rights; conduct proceedings regarding the Rights, including any litigation or interference proceedings; or perfect or defend title to the Rights. Assignors request the Commissioner of Patents to

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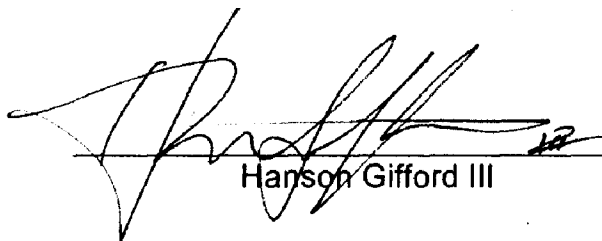
Mark Deem

Date: 8/12/05

United States of America)
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On this _____ day of _____, _____, before me
personally came Mark Deem, to me known to be the individual
described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged execution
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Notary Public


Hanson Gifford III

Date: 8/15/05

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On this _____ day of _____, _____, before me
personally came Hanson Gifford III, to me known to be the individual
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D. Demarais
Denise Demarais

Date: 8.15.05

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On this _____ day of _____, before me
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On this _____ day of _____, _____, before me personally came Douglas Sutton, to me known to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged execution of the same.

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Erik Thai

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On this _____ day of _____, before me
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