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Hereby sell, assign and transfer to **SIEMENS MEDICAL SOLUTIONS USA, INC.**, a corporation of the State of Delaware, having a principal place of business at 51 Valley Stream Parkway, Malvern, PA 19355-1406, hereinafter "Assignee", its successors, assigns and legal representatives, the entire right, title and interest in and for the United States and all foreign countries, in and to any and all improvements which are disclosed in the application for United States Letters Patent filed on **June 14, 2006** as U.S. Application No. **11/453,788**, and is entitled:

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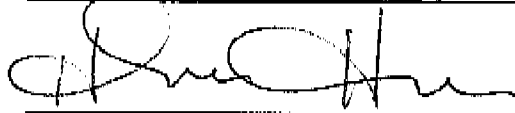
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On this 14 day of AUGUST 2006, before me, MARGARET A. SIMMONS,
Notary Public, personally appeared HELENE C. HOULE, personally
known to me (~~or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence~~) to be the person(s)
whose name(s) ~~is/are~~ subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that
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