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Waleska Perez-Segarra	01/09/2007
Anthony O Ragheb	01/09/2007
Neal E Fearnot	01/08/2007
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Brian L Bates	01/04/2007
Thomas A Osborne	01/03/2007

### **RECEIVING PARTY DATA**

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Street Address:	1400 Cumberland Avenue
City:	West Lafayette
State/Country:	INDIANA
Postal Code:	47906

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### PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 1

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#### ASSIGNMENT AND AGREEMENT

For value received, We, Patrick H. Ruane residing at 750 Bair Island Road, Bldg. 5, Apt. 104, Redwood City, California 94063, USA, Waleska Pérez-Segarra residing at 1301 Palmer Drive, #312, West Lafayette, Indiana 47906, USA, Anthony O. Ragheb residing at 2719 Manchester Street, West Lafayette, Indiana 47906, USA, Neal E. Fearnot residing at 1311 East 500 North, West Lafayette 47906, USA, and William D. Voorhees, III residing at 1020 West 850 North, West Lafayette, Indiana 47906, USA, hereby sell, assign, and transfer to MED Institute, Inc., a corporation of the State of Indiana, having an office at 1400 Cumberland Avenue, West Lafayette, IN, 47906, U.S.A. and its successors, assigns and legal representatives, hereinafter collectively "MED," and

For value received, We, **Brian L. Bates** residing at 3718 Exeter Lane, Bloomington, Indiana 47401, USA, and **Thomas A. Osborne** residing at 9480 S. Pointe LaSalles Drive, Bloomington, Indiana 47401, USA, hereby sell, assign, and transfer to **Cook Incorporated**, a corporation of the State of Indiana, having an office at 750 N. Daniels Way, Bloomington, IN, 47404, U.S.A., its successors, assigns and legal representatives, hereinafter collectively "Cook,"

the entire right, title and interest, for the United States of America, and the entire right, title and interest, in and to certain inventions related to "IMPLANTABLE MEDICAL DEVICE WITH BIOABSORBABLE COATING" described in U.S. Provisional Application Serial No. 60/738,476, filed on November 21, 2005, and any and all applications claiming the benefit thereof including the right of priority, and described in U.S. Nonprovisional Application Serial No. 11/599,859 filed on November 15, 2006, and all the rights and privileges in said applications and under any and all Letters Patent or any continuation, division, renewal, or substitute thereof, and any reissue or re-examination thereof that may be granted in the United States for said inventions, together with the right to recover all damages, including, but not limited to, a reasonable royalty, by reason of past, present, or future infringement or any other violation of patent or patent application rights; to have and to hold for the sole and exclusive use and benefit of the Assignee, its successors and assigns, to the full end of the term or terms for all such patents. We also concurrently hereby sell, assign and transfer to Cook and MED, either jointly or individually, the entire right, title and interest in and to said inventions for all countries foreign to the United States, including all rights of priority arising from the applications aforesaid, and all the rights and privileges under any and all forms of protection, including Letters Patent, that may be granted in said countries foreign to the United States for said inventions.

We authorize Cook and MED, either jointly or individually, to make application for such protection in its own name and maintain such protection in any and all countries foreign to the United States, and to invoke and claim for any

application for patent or other form of protection for said inventions, without further authorization from us, any and all benefits, including the right of priority provided by any and all treaties, conventions, or agreements.

We hereby consent that a copy of this assignment shall be deemed a full legal and formal equivalent of any document which may be required in any country in proof of the right of Cook and MED, either jointly or individually, to apply for patent or other form of protection for said inventions and to claim the aforesaid benefit of the right of priority.

We request that any and all patents for said inventions be issued to Cook and MED, either jointly or individually, in the United States and in all countries foreign to the United States, or to such nominees as Cook and MED, either jointly or individually, may designate.

We agree that, when requested, I/we shall, without charge to Cook and MED, but at their expense, sign all papers, take all rightful oaths, and do all acts which may be necessary, desirable or convenient in connection with said applications, patents, or other forms of protection.

The Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks is hereby authorized and requested to issue patents to the Assignee in accordance with the terms of this Assignment.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, the Assignors have executed this agreement.

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DATED:	January 10 2007	Die
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DATED:		WALESKA PÉREZ-SEGARRA
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		ANTHONY O. RAGHEB

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DATED:	8 January 2007	Veal E. Franot NEAL E. FEARNOT
DATED:	9 January 2007	WILLIAM D. VOORHEES, III
DATED:		BRIAN L. BATES
DATED:		THOMAS A. OSBORNE
STATE OF CA	)	
I, State aforesaid, same person wh in person and a	do hereby certify that PATRIC	, A Notary Public in and for the County and K H. RUANE, personally known to me to be the pregoing instrument, appeared before me this day alled and delivered the said instrument as his free ein set forth.
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		Notary Public
(SEAL)		
My Commission	Expires:	

DATED:	NEAL E. FEARNOT
DATED:	WILLIAM D. VOORHEES, III
DATED: January 4,00	BRIAN L. BATES
DATED: January 3, 2007	THOMAS A. OSBORNE
STATE OF CALIFORNIA ) ) SS: COUNTY OF )	
same person whose name is subscribed to the	, A Notary Public in and for the County and ICK H. RUANE, personally known to me to be the foregoing instrument, appeared before me this day sealed and delivered the said instrument as his free herein set forth.
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I I	have hereunto set my hand and Notarial Seal, this, 200
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DATED:		NEAL E. FEARNOT
DATED:		WILLIAM D. VOORHEES, III
DATED:	₩	BRIAN L. BATES
DATED:		THOMAS A. OSBORNE
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COUNTY OF	)	Jan/10/2007
State aforesaid, do hereb same person whose nam in person and acknowled	by certify that PATRICK e is subscribed to the fore	A Notary Public in and for the County and H. RUANE, personally known to me to be the going instrument, appeared before me this day d and delivered the said instrument as his free a set forth.
IN WITN day of Ja	ESS WHEREOF, I have	hereunto set my hand and Notarial Seal, this 200 7.
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STATE OF INDIANA ) ) SS: COUNTY OF Tippecanue)
I, <u>Susan M. Dunsmore</u> , A Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid, do hereby certify that WALESKA PÉREZ-SEGARRA, personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, appeared before me this day in person and acknowledged that she signed, sealed and delivered the said instrument as her free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein set forth.
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and Notarial Seal, this day of January, 2007.
Notary Public
(SEAL)
My Commission Expires: July 21, 2013
STATE OF INDIANA ) ) SS: COUNTY OF Tippecanol )
I, Sunt M. Dunsell, A Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid, do hereby certify that ANTHONY O. RAGHEB, personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, appeared before me this day in person and acknowledged that he signed, sealed and delivered the said instrument as his free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein set forth.
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and Notarial Seal, this day of, 2007.
Notary Public
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My Commission Expires: July 21, 20,3

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I, Suga M. Dunsmore.  State aforesaid, do hereby certify that NEAL E. FE same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoin person and acknowledged that he signed, sealed and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein s	oing instrument, appeared before me this day and delivered the said instrument as his free		
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I, Susan M Dunsmore, A Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid, do hereby certify that WILLIAM D. VOORHEES, III, personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, appeared before me this day in person and acknowledged that he signed, sealed and delivered the said instrument as his free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein set forth.			
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I, Christive Humphiey, A Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid, do hereby certify that BRIAN L. BATES, personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, appeared before me this day in person and acknowledged that he signed, sealed and delivered the said instrument as his free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein set forth.	
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and Notarial Seal, this day of	
	Christine Humphey Notary Public
(SEAL)	
My Commission Expires: July 2, 2009	<u> </u>
My Commission Expires: July 2, 2009  STATE OF INDIANA ) SS:  COUNTY OF Monroe )	
I, Christine Humphrey, A Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid, do hereby certify that THOMAS A. OSBORNE, personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, appeared before me this day in person and acknowledged that he signed, sealed and delivered the said instrument as his free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein set forth.	
\	e hereunto set my hand and Notarial Seal, this 200_7.
	Christine Humphay Notary Public
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