

PATENT ASSIGNMENT

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EXHIBIT D

ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Cardiac Assist Devices, Inc. (hereinafter "CADI"), a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Ohio, and having its principal offices at 11000 Cedar Avenue, Suite 541, Cleveland, Ohio 44106-3052 is the owner of the U.S. patents and patent applications identified on the Attachment A; and

WHEREAS, St. Jude Medical, Daig Division, Inc. (hereinafter "DAIG"), a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Minnesota, and having its principal offices at 14901 DeVeau Place, Minnetonka, Minnesota 55345, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said patents, said applications and in, to and under any and all Letters Patent to be obtained therefor;

NOW, THEREFORE, for one Dollar and other good and valuable consideration to CADI paid by DAIG, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, CADI has sold, assigned and transferred, and by these presents does hereby sell, assign and transfer unto DAIG, its successors and assigns, its entire right, title and interest in and to said patents, said applications, all divisions, continuations or renewals thereof, and the Letters Patent, both foreign and domestic, that may or shall issue therefrom, including all reissues or extensions of such patents and all of its rights under the International Convention, and CADI does hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents to issue said Letters Patent to the above-mentioned assignee in accordance herewith.

CADI further authorizes DAIG, its successors and assigns, or anyone it may properly designate, to apply for Letters Patent, in its own name if desired, in any and all foreign countries, and additionally to claim the filing date of said United States application and/or otherwise take advantage of the provisions of the International Convention.

Upon said consideration CADI does hereby covenant and agree with the DAIG, its successors and assigns, that CADI will not execute in writing or do any act whatsoever conflicting with these presents, and that CADI or its executors or administrators will at any time upon request, without further or additional consideration, but at the expense of DAIG, its successors and assigns, execute such additional writings and do such additional acts as DAIG, its successors and assigns, may deem necessary or desirable to perfect the assignee's enjoyment of this grant, and render all necessary assistance in making application for and obtaining original, divisional, reissued or extended Letters Patent of the United States, or of any and all foreign countries on said invention, and in enforcing any rights occurring as a result of such applications or patents, by giving testimony in any proceedings or transactions involving such applications or patents.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, CADI and DAIG have caused this Assignment to be signed this 20th day of December, 2002.

For Assignor: Cardiac Assist Devices, Inc.

Russell Rashkov

Name:

Title:

Subscribed to and sworn to before me this 20th day of December, 2002.

Claudia J. Taller

Notary Public

Notary Seal



CLAUDIA J. TALLER, Notary Public
State of Ohio
My Commission Expires Apr. 20, 2004

For Assignee: St. Jude Medical, Daig Division, Inc.

Name:

Title:

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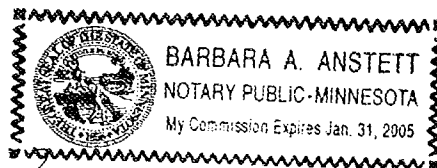
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Attachment A:
U.S. Patents and Patent Applications

U.S. Patent 5,552,713

Title: A Method and Device for Testing an Electrophysiology Catheter
Issued: September 3, 1996

U.S. Patent 5,861,024

Title: Electrophysiology Catheter and Remote Actuator Therefor
Issued: January 19, 1999

U.S. Patent Application No. 09/232,866

Title: Electrophysiology/Ablation Catheter and Remote Actuator Therefor
Filing Date: January 15, 1999

U.S. Patent Application No. 09/726,235

Title: Electrophysiology/Ablation Catheter Having "Halo" Configuration
(aka, "Electrophysiology/Ablation Catheter Having Lariat Configuration")
Filing Date: November 29, 2000

U.S. Patent Application No. 10/260,242

Title: Electrophysiology/Ablation Catheter and Remote Actuator Therefor
Filing Date: September 30, 2002

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