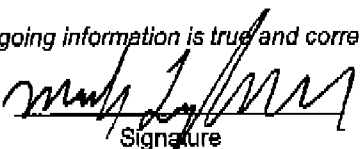
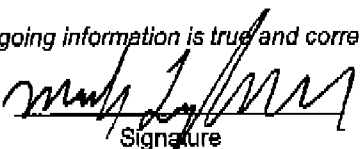
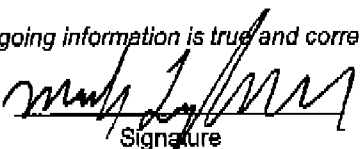


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For good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, the undersigned agree(s) to assign, hereby do(es) assign, transfer and set over to:

- (9) Insert Name of Assignee (9) Abbott Cardiovascular Systems Inc.
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