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WHEREAS, I, **WILLIAM HOWARD SLATTERY, III**, of 5171 Gould Avenue, La Cañada, California 91011, together with **ROBERT EDWIN SCHNEIDER**, of 2777 Hughs Drive, Erie, Colorado 80516, and **JAMES FRANK KASIC, II**, of 4785 Harrison Avenue, Boulder, Colorado 80303, have invented a certain new and useful invention entitled "**SOFT TISSUE PLACEMENT OF IMPLANTABLE MICROPHONE**," for which a patent application has been prepared and filed with the U.S. Patent & Trademark Office on **June 20, 2006**, receiving Serial No. **11/425,284**, and further identified as Attorney File No. **45568-00570**.

NOW THEREFORE, be it known that I, **WILLIAM HOWARD SLATTERY, III**, for and in consideration of certain good and valuable consideration, the sufficiency and receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, at the request of the assignee do sell, assign and transfer unto said assignee, House Ear Institute, a California non-profit public benefit corporation, having a place of business at 2100 West Third Street, Los Angeles, California 90057, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, my interest in aforesaid application for the territory of the United States of America and all continuation, divisional, continuation-in-part and reissue applications, all patent applications in foreign countries, all applications pursuant to the Patent Cooperation Treaty and all applications for extension filed or to be filed for the invention, and all Letters Patent, Invention Registrations, Utility Models, Extensions or Reissues and other patent rights, obtained for the invention in the United States or any other country; I also assign any right, title or interest in and to the invention which has not already been transferred to the assignee; I warrant that I have made no assignment of the invention, application or patent therefor to a party other than House Ear Institute and I am under no obligation to make any assignment of the invention, application, or patent therefor to any other party; and I further agree to cooperate with the assignee hereunder in the obtaining and sustaining of any and all such Letters Patent and in confirming assignee's exclusive ownership of the invention, but at the expense of said assignee.

