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CONFIRMATION OF ASSIGNMENT

ResMed Motor Technologies Inc to ResMed Limited

WHEREAS, ResMed Motor Technologies Inc, a subsidiary of ResMed Inc, United States of America, whose postal address is 9540 De Soto Avenue, CHATSWORTH, CA 91311, is the assignee of the rights in and to a certain new and useful Invention relating to a METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR BACKSPILL PREVENTION, for which application has been made for Letters Patent of the United States and which application may be identified in the United States Patent Office as Patent Application Serial No 12/285,342, filed on October 2, 2008, titled METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR BACKSPILL PREVENTION, and

WHEREAS, ResMed Limited, ABN 30 003 765 142 an Australian company, whose postal address is 1 Elizabeth Macarthur Drive, Bella Vista, New South Wales 2153, AUSTRALIA, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said Invention, said application, or any continuation or divisional application, renewal, or substitute thereof, and the Letters Patent, or any reissue or re-examination thereof, to be obtained therefor:

NOW THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, ResMed Motor Technologies Inc has sold, assigned, and set over and by these presents does hereby sell, assign and set over unto the said ResMed Limited, and ResMed Limited's legal representatives, successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to said Invention, said application or any continuation or divisional application, renewal or substitute thereof, international and foreign and regional applications corresponding thereto, and the Letters Patent, both foreign and domestic, that may or shall issue thereon, or any reissue or re-examination thereof, and ResMed Motor Technologies Inc does hereby authorize and request the U.S. Commissioner of Patents and Foreign Commissioners of Patent to issue said Letters Patent to the above-mentioned ResMed Limited, consistent with the terms of this Assignment.

UPON SAID CONSIDERATION, ResMed Motor Technologies Inc hereby covenants and agrees with ResMed Limited that ResMed Motor Technologies Inc will not execute any writing or do any act whatsoever conflicting with these presents, and that ResMed Motor Technologies Inc will, at any time upon request, without further or additional consideration, but at the expense of ResMed Limited, execute such additional assignments and other writings and do such additional acts as ResMed Limited may deem necessary or desirable to perfect ResMed Limited's or its assign's enjoyment of this grant, and render all necessary

assistance in making application for and obtaining original, continuation, or divisional, renewal, reissued or extended Letters Patent of the United States, or of any and all foreign countries, on said Invention, and in enforcing any rights or chose in action accruing as a result of such applications or patents, by giving, testimony in any proceedings or transactions involving such applications or patents, and by executing preliminary statements and other affidavits, it being understood that the foregoing covenant and agreement shall bind, and inure to the benefit of, the assigns and legal representatives of all parties.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands on the date indicated below.

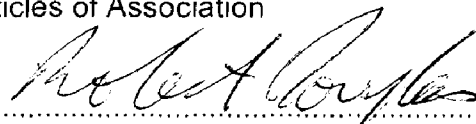
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RESMED MOTOR TECHNOLOGIES INC
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Signature of Authorised Person

Dennis Brodie
Chief Operating Officer

Date: 2-5-9

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Date: 13th February 2009