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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, WE, Jomar G. Ochoco, residing at 2285 Stewart Avenue, Apt. 2206, St. Paul, MN 55116, AND Peter J. Schiller, residing at 12370 Heather Street NW, Coon Rapids, MN 55433, made certain new and useful inventions and improvements for which we filed an application for Letters Patent of the United States entitled SIGNAL PROCESSING FOR COCHLEAR IMPLANTS.

WHEREAS, We hereby authorize and request my attorneys, as listed on the Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney, at <u>Brooks, Cameron & Huebsch, PLLC.</u>, located at <u>1221 Nicollet Avenue, Suite 500, Minneapolis, MN 55403</u>, to insert here in parentheses (Serial No. <u>12/411, 212</u>; Filing Date: <u>March 25, 2007</u>) the application number and filing date of said application when known.

AND WHEREAS, <u>Envoy Medical</u>, a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of <u>MINNESOTA</u>, and having an office and place of business at <u>5000 TOWNSHIP PARKWAY</u>, <u>ST. PAUL</u>, <u>MN 55110</u>, (hereinafter "Assignee") is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title, and interest in and to said inventions, improvements, and application and in and to any Letters Patent to be obtained therefore;

NOW THEREFORE, to all whom it may concern, be it known that for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency whereof is hereby acknowledged, we have sold, assigned, and transferred, and by these presents do sell, assign, and transfer unto said Assignee, its successors or assigns, the right, title, and interest for all countries in and to all inventions and improvements disclosed in the aforesaid application, and in and to the said application, all divisions, continuations, continuations-in-part, or renewals thereof, all Letters Patent which may be granted therefrom, and all reissues or extensions of such patents, and in and to any and all applications which have been or shall be filed in any foreign countries for Letters Patent on the said inventions and improvements, including an assignment of all rights under the provisions of the International Convention, and all Letters Patent of foreign countries which may be granted therefrom; and we do hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patent and Trademarks to issue any and all United States Letters Patent for the aforesaid inventions and improvements to the said Assignee as the assignee of the entire right, title, and interest in and to the same, for the use of the said Assignee, its successors and assigns.

AND, for the consideration aforesaid, we do hereby agree that we and our executors and legal representatives will make, execute, and deliver any and all other instruments in writing including any and all further application papers, affidavits, assignments and other documents, and will communicate to said Assignee, its successors and representatives all facts known to us relating to said improvements and the history thereof and will testify in all legal proceedings and generally do all things which may be necessary or desirable to more effectually secure and vest in said Assignee, its successors or assigns the entire right, title, and interest in and to the said improvements, inventions, applications, Letters Patent, rights, titles, benefits, privileges and advantages hereby sold, assigned, and conveyed, or intended so to be.

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AND, furthermore we covenant and agree with said Assignee, its successors and assigns, that no assignment, grant, mortgage, license or other agreement affecting the rights and property herein conveyed has been made to others by me/us and that full right to convey the same as herein expressed is possessed by us.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 19 day of March, 2009.

STATE OF MN)
COUNTY OF Ramsey)

On this 19 day of March, 2009 before me personally appeared Jomar G. Ochoco, known to me or identified as the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and he/she duly acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

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PAMELA J JOHNSON Notary Public Minnesota

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 19 day of Mach. 2009.

STATE OF MN ()
COUNTY OF Ramsey

On this 19 day of March, 2009 before me personally appeared Peter J. Schiller, known to me or identified as the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and he/she duly acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

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