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Joseph M. Stewart IV	07/21/2005
William J. Bourdeau	07/14/2005
Brian D. Choules	07/29/2005
James D. Purdy	07/21/2005
Neal E. Feamot	07/14/2005

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City:	Bloomington
State/Country:	INDIANA
Postal Code:	47402

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City:	West Lafayette
State/Country:	INDIANA
Postal Code:	47906

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Property Type	Number
Application Number:	12609521

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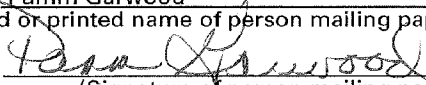
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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING	
I hereby certify that this paper (along with any paper referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being deposited with the United States Postal Service on the date shown below with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Alexandria, VA 22313.	
Date: <u>August 23, 2006</u>	<div style="text-align: center;"> <u>Pamm Garwood</u> (Typed or printed name of person mailing paper or fee) </div> <div style="text-align: center;">  (Signature of person mailing paper or fee) </div>

ASSIGNMENT AND AGREEMENT

For value received, I, Brian L. Bates, residing at 3718 Exeter Lane, Bloomington, IN 47401 U.S.A., hereby sell, assign, and transfer to **Cook Incorporated**, a corporation of the State of Indiana, having an office at 925 South Curry Pike, Bloomington, IN 47403, U.S.A., and its successors, assigns and legal representatives, and we, Anthony O. Ragheb, residing at 2719 Manchester Street, West Lafayette, IN 47906, U.S.A., Joseph M. Stewart IV., residing at 424 West Front Street, Delphi, IN 46923, U.S.A., William J. Bourdeau, residing at 909 Teal Road, Lafayette, IN 47905, U.S.A., Brian D. Choules, residing at 964 White Sands Drive, Washington, Utah 84780, U.S.A., James D. Purdy, residing at 2008 Perrine Street, Lafayette, IN 47904, U.S.A., and Neal E. Fearnot residing at 3051 Hamilton Street, West Lafayette, IN 47906, U.S.A., hereby sell, assign, and transfer to **MED Institute, Inc.**, a corporation of the State of Indiana, having an office at 1400 Cumberland Drive, West Lafayette, IN 47906, U.S.A., and its successors, assigns and legal representatives, hereinafter collectively "Cook and MED," the entire right, title and interest, for the United States of America, in and to certain inventions related to "COATED IMPLANTABLE MEDICAL DEVICE" described in U.S. Provisional Application Serial No. 60/244,446 filed on October 31, 2000 and described in U.S. Application Serial No. 10/000,659 filed on October 31, 2001, and U.S. Application Serial No. 11/141,574 filed on May 31, 2005, which is a continuation of U.S. Application No. 10/618,977 filed October 31, 2001, and U.S. Provisional Application Serial No. 60/244,446, filed October 31, 2000, and all the rights and privileges in said application and under any and all Letters Patent or any continuation, division, renewal, or substitute thereof, and any reissue or re-examination thereof that may be granted in the United States for said inventions; and we also concurrently hereby sell, assign and transfer to Cook and MED the entire right, title and interest in and to said inventions for all countries foreign to the United States, including all rights of priority arising from the application aforesaid, and all the rights and privileges under any and all forms of protection, including Letters Patent, that may be granted in said countries foreign to the United States for said inventions.


We authorize Cook and MED to make application for such protection in its own name and maintain such protection in any and all countries foreign to the United States, and to invoke and claim for any application for patent or other form of protection for said inventions, without further authorization from us, any and all benefits, including the right of priority provided by any and all treaties, conventions, or agreements.

We hereby consent that a copy of this assignment shall be deemed a full legal and formal equivalent of any document which may be required in any country in proof of the right of Cook and MED to apply for patent or other form of protection for said inventions and to claim the aforesaid benefit of the right of priority.

We request that any and all patents for said inventions be issued to Cook and MED in the United States and in all countries foreign to the United States, or to such nominees as Cook and MED may designate.

We agree that, when requested, we shall, without charge to Cook and MED but at their expense, sign all papers, take all rightful oaths, and do all acts which may be necessary, desirable or convenient in connection with said applications, patents, or other forms of protection.

Date: August 18, 2005



Brian L. Bates

United States of America)

State of Indiana) ss:

County of Monroe)

On this 18th day of August, 2005, before me personally came Brian L. Bates, to me known to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged execution of the same.


Notary Public
PAMELA B. GARWOOD, Notary Public
Resident of Monroe County
My commission expires 10/24/2007

My Commission Expires: _____

Date: July 19, 2005

Anthony O. Ragheb
Anthony O. Ragheb

United States of America)

State of Indiana) ss:

County of Tippecanoe)

On this 19th day of July, 2005, before me personally came Anthony O. Ragheb, to me known to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged execution of the same.

Callal Jernup
Notary Public

My Commission Expires: Sept 12, 2008

Date: July 21, 2005

Joseph M Stewart IV
Joseph M. Stewart IV

United States of America)

State of Indiana) ss:

County of Tippecanoe)

On this 21st day of July, 2005, before me personally came Joseph M. Stewart IV, to me known to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged execution of the same.

Callal Jernup
Notary Public

My Commission Expires: Sept 12, 2008

Date: 14 July, 2005

William J. Bourdeau
William J. Bourdeau

United States of America)

State of Indiana) ss:

County of Tippecanoe)

On this 14th day of July, 2005, before me personally came William J. Bourdeau, to me known to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged execution of the same.

Callab Thompson
Notary Public

My Commission Expires: Sept 12, 2008

Date: _____

Brian D. Choules

United States of America)

State of Utah) ss:

County of Washington)

On this _____ day of _____, 2005, before me personally came Brian D. Choules, to me known to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged execution of the same.

Notary Public

My Commission Expires: _____

Date: _____

William J. Bourdeau

United States of America)

State of Indiana) ss:

County of Tippecanoe)

On this _____ day of _____, 2005, before me personally came William J. Bourdeau, to me known to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged execution of the same.

Notary Public

My Commission Expires: _____

Date: June 29, 2005

Brian D. Choules
Brian D. Choules

United States of America)

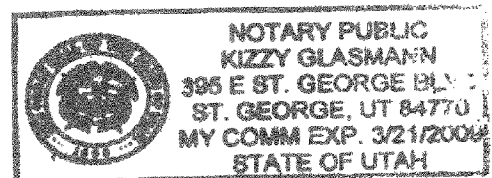
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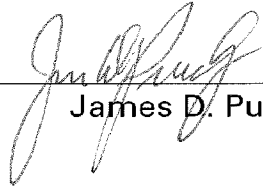
On this 29 day of June, 2005, before me personally came Brian D. Choules, to me known to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged execution of the same.

Kizzy Glasmann
Notary Public

My Commission Expires: 3/29/09



Date: 21 July 2005


James D. Purdy

United States of America)

State of Indiana) ss:

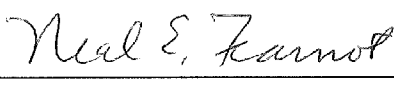
County Tippecanoe)

On this 21st day of JULY, 2005, before me personally came James D. Purdy, to me known to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged execution of the same.


Notary Public

My Commission Expires: Sept 12, 2008

Date: 14 July 2005


Neal E. Fearnot

United States of America)

State of Indiana) ss:

County of Tippecanoe)

On this 14th day of JULY, 2005, before me personally came Neal E. Fearnot, to me known to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged execution of the same.


Notary Public

My Commission Expires: Sept 12, 2008