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ASSIGNMENT

For valuable consideration, I, Dennis M. Skelton of 9167 Decatur Avenue South, Bloomington, MN 55438, hereby assign to: Medtronic, Inc., having a place of business at: 710 Medtronic Parkway, Minneapolis, MN 55432 and its successors and assigns (collectively hereinafter called "the Assignee"), the entire right, title and interest throughout the world in the inventions and improvements which are the subject of an application for United States Patent signed by me, entitled DETECTING POSTURE SENSOR SIGNAL SHIFT OR DRIFT IN MEDICAL DEVICES, filed April 30, 2010, and assigned U.S. Serial Number 12/771,854, this assignment including said application, any provisional, continuation, continuation-in-part, divisional, reissue, renewal, extension or other application for any of said inventions or improvements, any and all United States and foreign patents, utility models, and design registrations granted for any of said inventions or improvements, including any and all extensions, divisions, continuations, continuations-in-part or reissues thereof, and the right to claim priority based on the filing date of said application under the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, the Patent Cooperation Treaty, the European Patent Convention, and all other treaties of like purposes and we authorize the Assignee to apply in all countries in our name or in its own name for patents, utility models, design registrations and like rights of exclusion and for inventors' certificates for said inventions and improvements; and we agree for ourselves and our respective heirs, legal representatives and assigns, without further compensation to perform such lawful acts and to sign such further applications, assignments, Preliminary Statements and other lawful documents as the Assignee may reasonably request to effectuate fully this assignment.

Date: 06/02/2010

[Signature]
Dennis M. Skelton

State of _____)
) ss:
County of _____)

On this 2nd day of June, 2010, before me, Dennis M. Skelton
Notary Public, personally appeared Dennis M. Skelton personally known to me (or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence) to be the person whose name is subscribed to within the instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same in his/her authorized capacity, and that by his/her signature on the instrument the person, or the entity upon behalf of which the person acted, executed the instrument.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

[Signature]
Signature of Notary Public
My Commission Expires:

