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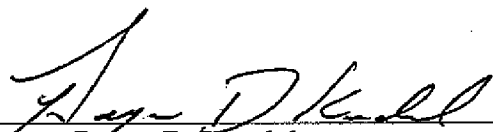
For good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I

Bryan D. Knodel of Flagstaff, Arizona

hereby sell, assign and transfer to Cardica, Inc., a Delaware corporation, having a place of business at 900 Saginaw Drive, Redwood City, CA 94063, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest throughout the world in my invention in U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 12/840,156, filed July 20, 2010, and entitled

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and all patent applications and patents of every country for said invention, including divisions, reissues, continuations and extensions thereof, and all rights of priority resulting from the filing of said applications; I authorize the above-named assignee to apply for patents of foreign countries for said invention, and to claim all rights of priority without further authorization from us; I agree to execute all papers useful in connection with said United States and foreign applications, and generally to do everything possible to aid said assignee, their successors, assigns and nominees, at their request and expense, in obtaining and enforcing patents for said invention in all countries; and I request that the United States Patent and Trademark Office issue all patents granted for said invention to the above-named assignee, its successors and assigns.

  
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