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ASSIGNMENT of U.S. Patent Application

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(hereinafter collectively ASSIGNOR), has/have made an invention known as Atty Dkt. No.: 02-44 PV, entitled:

VESTIBULAR SYSTEM STIMULATION APPARATUS

for which an application for Letters Patent of the United States

☐ is about to be filed as a Provisional Application in the United States Patent and Trademark Office;

☒ was filed as a Provisional Application on January 7, 2005, as Appln. No.: 60/642,367

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AND WHEREAS RIC INVESTMENTS, LLC. (hereinafter ASSIGNEE), a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware and having its principal office and place of business at 801 West Street, 2nd Floor, Wilmington, Delaware, 19801-1545, desires to acquire the entire interest in, to and under said invention and in, to and under Letters Patent or similar legal

protection to be obtained therefor in the United States and in any and all foreign countries;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of Ten Dollars (\$10.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the said ASSIGNOR, does hereby sell, assign and transfer unto ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, the full and exclusive right, title and interest to the said invention in the United States and all foreign countries, as described in the aforesaid application, and to the said application and to all subsequent applications based thereon including regular applications, continuations, divisions, renewal, reissues and substitutes of said application and any legal equivalent thereof, together with the right of priority under the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, Inter-American Convention Relating to Patents, Designs and Industrial Models, and any other international agreements to which the United States of America adheres, and ASSIGNOR hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents to issue said Letters Patent to ASSIGNEE, for its interest as ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns and legal representatives;

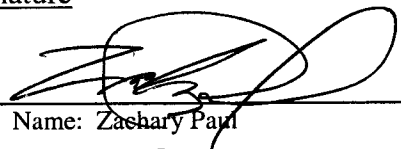
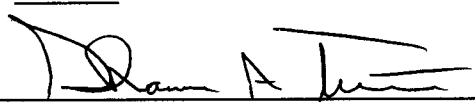
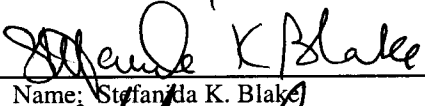
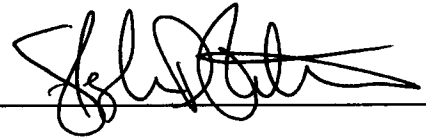
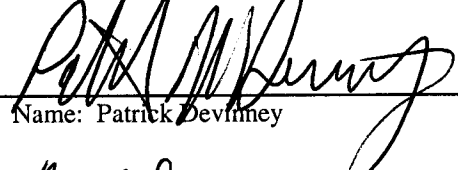

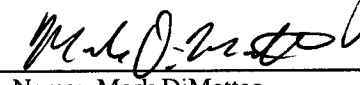
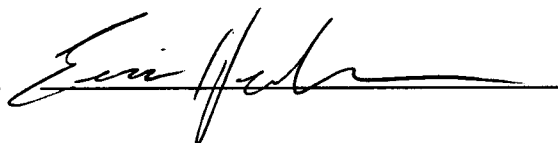
AND ASSIGNOR hereby agrees to execute any papers requested by ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, deemed essential to ASSIGNEE's full protection and title in and to the invention hereby transferred;




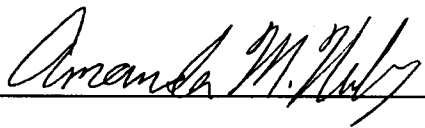
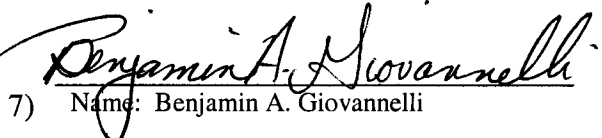

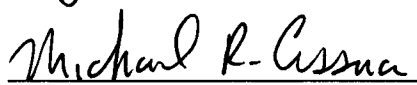
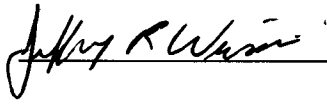
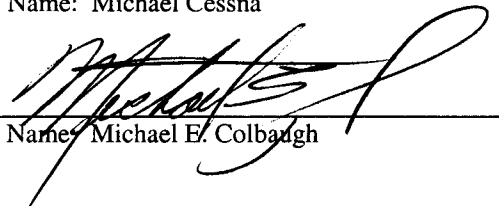

ASSIGNOR COVENANTS and AGREES with the ASSIGNEE that no assignment, sale, agreement, encumbrance or other writing or act has been or will be made or entered into that would conflict with this assignment and sale;

ASSIGNOR FURTHER COVENANTS that ASSIGNEE will, upon its request, be provided promptly with all pertinent facts and documents relating to said application, said invention and said Letters Patent and legal equivalents in foreign countries as may be known and accessible to us and we will testify as to the same in any interference or litigation related thereto and will promptly execute and deliver to ASSIGNEE or its legal representative any and all papers, instruments or affidavits required to apply for, obtain, maintain, issue and enforce said application, said invention and said Letters Patent and said equivalents thereof in any foreign country which may be necessary or desirable to carry out the purposes thereof; and

ASSIGNOR furthermore agrees upon request of said ASSIGNEE, and without further remuneration, to execute any and all papers desired by said ASSIGNEE for the filing and granting of foreign applications and the perfecting of title thereto in said ASSIGNEE.

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