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For: U.S. Application or U.S. Patent
By : Inventor or Present Owner

ASSIGNMENT OF INVENTION

In consideration of the payment by ASSIGNEE to ASSIGNORS of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00), the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, and for other good and valuable consideration,

ASSIGNORS: Karl H. Ehrenfels
David Ivanko
Randolph F. Lehn
Roberto Pedros
Csaba L. Rethy
Frank J. Viola

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ASSIGNEE: Tyco Healthcare Group LP
60 Middletown Avenue
North Haven, CT 06473
US

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and which is found in

- (a) U.S. patent application executed on even date herewith.
- (b) U.S. patent application executed on _____.
- (c) U.S. application Serial No. 12/619,829 filed on November 17, 2009.
- (d) U.S. provisional application No. _____ filed on _____.
- (e) U.S. Patent No. _____ issued _____.
- (f) PCT application No. _____ filed on _____.
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- (g) and any legal equivalent thereof in a foreign country, including the right to claim priority and, in and to, all Letters Patent to be obtained for said invention by the above application or any continuation, continuation-in-part, divisional, renewal, or substitute thereof, and as to letters patent any reissue or re-examination thereof.

[Handwritten Signature]

David Ivanko

1/25/10

(Dated)

State of)
) ss
County of)

Before me this ____ day of _____ 2010,

personally appeared **David Ivanko** to me personally known to be the person described in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same of his own free will for the purposes therein set forth.

AFFIX SEAL

see attached certificate

Notary Public

Randolph F. Lehn

(Dated)

State of Connecticut)
) ss
County of New Haven)

Before me this ____ day of _____ 2010,

personally appeared **Randolph F. Lehn** to me personally known to be the person described in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same of his own free will for the purposes therein set forth.

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Notary Public

David Ivanko

(Dated)

State of)
) ss
County of)

Before me this ____ day of _____ 2010,

personally appeared **David Ivanko** to me personally known to be the person described in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same of his own free will for the purposes therein set forth.

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Notary Public



Randolph F. Lehn

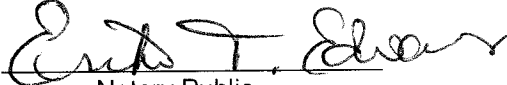
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(Dated)

State of Connecticut)
) ss
County of New Haven)

Before me this 19 day of January 2010,

personally appeared **Randolph F. Lehn** to me personally known to be the person described in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same of his own free will for the purposes therein set forth.

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Notary Public
Erika T. Edwards
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State of Connecticut
My Commission Expires
November 30, ~~2009~~ 2014

R.P.P.

Roberto Pedros

1/15/10

(Dated)

State of Connecticut)
) ss
County of New Haven)

Before me this 15 day of January 2010,

personally appeared **Roberto Pedros** to me personally known to be the person described in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same of his own free will for the purposes therein set forth.

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Erika T. Edwards

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Csaba L. Rethy
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02-03-10

(Dated)

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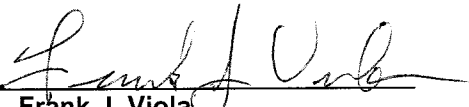
Before me this 3 day of FEBRUARY 2010,

personally appeared **Csaba L. Rethy** to me personally known to be the person described in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same of his own free will for the purposes therein set forth.

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Susan S. Rickard
Notary Public

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Frank J. Viola

1/18/10

(Dated)

State of Connecticut)
) ss
County of New Haven)

Before me this 18 day of January 2010,

personally appeared **Frank J. Viola** to me personally known to be the person described in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same of his own free will for the purposes therein set forth.

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Erika T. Edwards
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State of Connecticut
My Commission Expires
November 30, ~~2009~~ 2014

CALIFORNIA ACKNOWLEDGMENT CERTIFICATE

State of California

County of San Diego

On January 25, 2010 before me, Marjorie L. Jarvis, Notary Public, personally appeared David Ivanko, who proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same in his authorized capacity, and that by his signature on the instrument the person, or the entity upon behalf of which the person acted, executed the instrument.

I certify under PENALTY OF PERJURY under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing paragraph is true and correct.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

Signature Marjorie L. Jarvis

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