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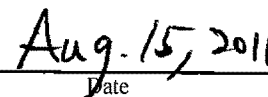
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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, We, James R. Newton, residing at 3309 Sunset Lake Drive, Burnsville, MN 55337-7705, and Michael Karl Sacha, residing at 6260 Near Mountain Blvd., Chanhassen, MN 55317, and Wei Li Lin, residing at 3115 Olive Lane North, Plymouth, MN 55447, made certain new and useful inventions and improvements which are described in an application for U.S. Letters Patent on July 11, 2011, which application was assigned U.S. patent application serial number 13/179,784, and is entitled HEARING AID WITH MAGNETOSTRICTIVE ELECTROACTIVE SENSOR;

FOR GOOD AND VALUABLE CONSIDERATION, the receipt, sufficiency and adequacy of which are hereby acknowledged, the undersigned do hereby:

SELL, ASSIGN AND TRANSFER to Starkey Laboratories, Inc. (the "Assignee"), a corporation of the State of Minnesota, having a place of business at 6600 Washington Ave. So., Eden Prairie, MN 55344, the entire right, title and interest for the United States and all foreign countries in and to: any and all inventions and improvements which are disclosed in the identified application for U.S. Letters Patent, and which may be further identified below; such application and all divisional, continuing, substitute, renewal, reissue and all other applications for patent which have been or shall be filed in the United States (including all provisional and non-provisional applications), and in all foreign countries on any of such inventions and/or improvements (including any applications for utility models); all original and reissued patents which have been or shall be issued in the United States and all foreign countries on such inventions and/or improvements; and specifically including the right to file foreign applications under the provisions of any convention or treaty and to claim priority based on the identified application;

AUTHORIZE AND REQUEST that any attorney associated with U.S. PTO Customer No. 21186 may (directly or through his/her designee) delete, insert, or alter any information identifying this application, or any related application, below, after execution of this Assignment;

Additional Application Information

No Provisional claim for priority is being made at this time.

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AUTHORIZE AND REQUEST the issuing authority to issue any and all United States and foreign patents granted on such improvements to the Assignee;

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THIS AGREEMENT IS TO BE BINDING on the heirs, assigns, representatives and successors of the undersigned, and is to extend to the benefit of the successors, assigns and nominees of the Assignee.

AGREED as of the date of my signature below:

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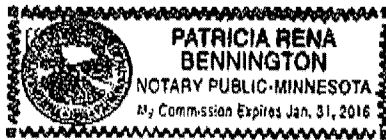
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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 13th day of July, 2011.

James R. Newton
James R. Newton

STATE OF Minnesota)
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COUNTY OF Hennepin

On this 13th day of July, 2011 before me personally appeared James R. Newton, to me known and known to me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and he/she duly acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.



Patty Bennington
Notary Public

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 13th day ofJuly, 2011.Michael K Sacha

Michael Karl Sacha

STATE OF Minnesota)

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COUNTY OF Hennepin)

On this 13th day of July, 2011, before me personally appeared Michael Karl Sacha, to me known and known to me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and he/she duly acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

Kari L. Strack

Notary Public

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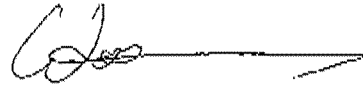
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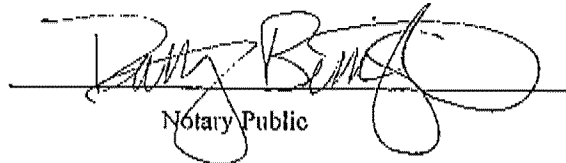
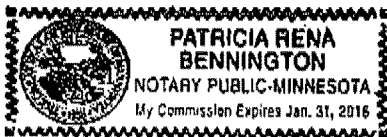
Wei Li Lin

STATE OF Minnesota

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On this 13th day of July, 20 11 before me personally appeared Wei Li Lin, to me known and known to me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and he/she duly acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.


Notary Public