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## ASSIGNMENT OF PATENT APPLICATION

## FOR GOOD AND VALUABLE CONSIDERATION,

We, the undersigned (each) have agreed and hereby agree to assign for good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby expressly acknowledged, and do hereby sell, assign and transfer unto:

<u>Cyberonics, Inc.</u> 100 Cyberonics Blvd. Houston, TX 77058

a corporation organized under the laws of the state of Delaware as Assignee, and its successors, assigns and legal representatives, the entire right, title and interest, for all countries in and to certain inventions relating to

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described in an application for Letters Patent of the United States, identified as Attorney Docket No. <u>098.1126.US.UTL</u>, at Cascadia Intellectual Property, 12360 Lake City Way NE, Ste 501, Seattle, WA 98125 and filed on <u>December 7, 2011</u>, as Application Serial No. <u>13/314,135</u>, and any and all invention and improvements set forth therein, and any and all continuations, continuations-in-part, divisionals, and renewals of and substitutes for said application for said Letters Patent, and all the rights and privileges under any and all Letters Patent that may be granted therefore in any country, and any reissues, or reexaminations, or extensions of said Letters Patent. We request that any and all Letters Patent for said inventions be issued to said Assignee, successors of said Assignee, assigns and legal representatives, or to such nominees as said Assignee may designate.

We agree that, when requested, we will, without charge to said Assignee but at the expense of said Assignee, sign all papers, take all rightful oaths, and do all acts which may be necessary, desirable or convenient for securing and maintaining patents for said inventions in any and all countries and for vesting title thereto in said Assignee, successors of said Assignee, assigns and legal representatives or nominees.

We authorize and empower said Assignee, successors of said Assignee, assigns and legal representatives or nominees, to invoke and claim for any application for patent or other form of protection for said inventions filed by said Assignee, successors of said Assignee, assigns and legal representatives or nominees, the benefit of the right of priority provided by the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property ("International Convention"), as amended, or by any convention which may henceforth be substituted for said International Convention, and to invoke and claim such right of priority without further written or oral authorization from us.

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