

PATENT ASSIGNMENT

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CONFIRMATORY ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS **THE TECHNOLOGY PARTNERSHIP PLC** (hereinafter "Assignor"), a UK registered company, having a place of business at **Melbourn Science Park, Royston, Herts, SG8 6EE, England**, has had a right, title, and interest in the invention(s) for which a patent is sought based on the patent application entitled:

"Low-Noise Optical Current Source"

having application serial number 13/283041, filed on October 27, 2011

and which may be further identified below (hereinafter, the "Application"); and

WHEREAS, **NELLCOR PURITAN BENNETT LLC**, doing business as Covidien, (hereinafter "Assignee"), a Delaware corporation having principal offices at 6135 Gunbarrel Avenue, Boulder, Colorado 80301, acquired an interest in the Application in accordance with the terms and conditions of its past and/or present relationship with Assignor;

NOW, THEREFORE, to all whom it may concern be it known that the Assignor, pursuant to the Assignor's obligations to the Assignee or an affiliate thereof, under the terms and conditions of the Assignor's past and/or present relationship with the Assignee or such affiliate, and for and in consideration of other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which the Assignor does hereby acknowledge, confirms that it has sold, assigned and transferred unto said Assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, Assignor's entire right, title and interest in and throughout the United States of America, its territories and all foreign countries, in and to said invention(s), together with Assignor's entire right, title and interest in and to the Application and such patents as may issue thereon, and any reissue, continuation, continuation-in-part, divisional and foreign counterparts thereof (together with the Application, the "Applications") and including the right to claim priority under any applicable statute, treaty or convention based on any of said Applications; said Applications and patents to be held and enjoyed by said Assignee for its own use and behalf and for its successors, assigns and legal representatives, to the full end of the term for which said patents may be granted as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by Assignor had this assignment not been made; Assignor has conveyed all rights arising under or pursuant to any and all international agreements, treaties or laws relating to the protection of industrial property by filing any such Applications, all choses in action pertaining to the Applications or patents including the right to sue for and collect damages and other recoveries for past infringement thereof, all rights to initiate proceedings before government and administrative bodies, and all files, records and other materials arising from the prosecution, exploitation, or defense of rights and registrations pertaining to the Applications or patents. Assignor hereby acknowledge that this confirmatory assignment, being a confirmation of a prior assignment of its entire right, title and interest in and to said Applications, carries with it the right in Assignee to apply for and obtain from competent authorities in all countries of the world any and all patents by attorneys and agents of Assignee's selection and the right to procure the grant of all such patents to Assignee for its own name as assignee of the entire right, title and interest therein;


AND, the Assignor, hereby further agrees for itself and its employees, agents, executors and administrators to execute upon request and without further consideration (except that

Assignee will reimburse expenses incurred by the Assignor that are required to comply with this paragraph (e.g., notary fees)) any other lawful documents and likewise to perform any other lawful acts which may be deemed necessary to secure fully the aforesaid Applications and patents to said Assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, including the execution of applications for patents in foreign countries, and the execution of substitution, reissue, divisional, continuation or continuation-in-part applications and preliminary or other statements, the execution of further and consistent assignments;

AND, Assignor does hereby authorize and request Assignee, its successors and assigns, or any attorney it may properly designate to insert, at anytime after execution of this confirmatory assignment, the application serial number and filing date in the spaces set forth above to further identify the Patent Application after it is filed;

AND, Assignor does hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents of the United States to issue such patents as shall be granted upon said Applications or applications based thereon to said Assignee, its successors, assigns, and legal representatives.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto signed my name and affixed my seal on the date indicated hereinafter.

By: 
Name: TRISHNA BARAKLEY
Title: SENIOR CONSULTANT
The Technology Partnership plc

Date: 27 OCTOBER 2011