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1. Name of conveying party(ies):
Medtronic Sofamor Danek, Inc.

- Individual(s) Association
- General Partnership Limited Partnership
- Corporation - State Indiana
- Other _____

Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? Yes No

3. Nature of conveyance:

- Assignment Merger
- Security Agreement Change of Name
- Other _____

Execution Date: February 4, 2003

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies)
Medtronic, Inc.
710 Medtronic Parkway
Minneapolis, Minnesota 55432-5604

- Individual(s) citizenship _____
- Association _____
- General Partnership _____
- Limited Partnership _____
- Corporation - State Minnesota
- Other _____

If assigned is not domiciled in the United States, a domestic representative designations attached: Yes No
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Additional name(s) & address(es) attached? Yes No

4. Application number(s) or registration number(s)
A. Trademark Application No(s).

78/121922 CORNERSTONE

B. Trademark Registration Numbers(s)

Additional number(s) attached Yes No

5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:

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6. Total number of applications and registrations involved: 1

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Cindy L. Evenson
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TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Medtronic Sofamor Danek, Inc. (hereinafter "Assignor"), a Indiana corporation having a principal place of business at 1800 Pyramid Place, Memphis, Tennessee 38132, is the record owner of United States Trademark Application No. 78/121922 for the mark CORNERSTONE;

WHEREAS, Medtronic, Inc. (hereinafter "Assignee"), a Minnesota corporation having a principal place of business at 710 Medtronic Parkway, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55432 is desirous of acquiring all right, title and interest in and to said application;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, said assignor has sold, assigned and transferred, and by these presents does hereby sell, assign and transfer unto the said assignee, its successors or assigns, the entire right, title and interest in the United States in and to said trademark and said trademark application, together with the goodwill and other incidents of its business associated with or symbolized by said trademark and by said trademark application.

Medtronic Sofamor Danek, Inc.

Date: February 4, 2003

By: 
David J. Scott
Vice President and Secretary