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1. Name of conveying party(ies):  
**Bice, Chapman and Smith, M.D.,  
P.C.**

Individual(s)                       Association  
 General Partnership             Other  
 Limited Partnership  
 Limited Liability Company -  
 Corporation - **Tennessee**

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

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies): **11-21-02**

Name:  
**The Regional Eye Center, P.C.**

Street Address:  
**135 West Ravine Road, Suite 2C  
Kingsport, TN 37664**

Individual(s) citizenship:  
 Association  
 General Partnership  
 Limited Partnership  
 Limited Liability Company  
 Corporation - **Tennessee**  
 Other

If assignee is not domiciled in the United States, a domestic representative designation is attached:  Yes  No

Additional names(s) & address(es) attached?  Yes  No

3. Nature of conveyance:

Assignment                       Merger  
 Change of Name                 Other  
 Security Agreement

Execution Date: **November 4, 2002**

4. Application number(s) or registration (numbers):

A. Trademark Application No(s).

B. Trademark Registration No(s).

2,026,419

Additional numbers attached?  Yes  No

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

**Mark S. Graham, Esq.  
LUEDEKA, NEELY & GRAHAM, P.C.  
P. O. Box 1871  
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6. Total number of applications and registrations involved:  
1

7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41).....\$40.00  
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*To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document.*

Mark S. Graham, Esq.                                            November 14, 2002

Name of Person Signing                      Signature                      Date

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Mark S. Graham, Esq., **TRADEMARK**

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# ASSIGNMENT


Bice, Chapman and Smith, M.D., P.C., a corporation of the State of Tennessee, the owner of the service mark THE REGIONAL EYE CENTER and all associated logos, commercial symbols, and trade names incorporating the wording "The Regional Eye Center" (hereinafter collectively referred to as the "Mark") for use in connection with medical services, namely, surgery and medical treatment of the eye and eyelid, and the owner of the following United States Registration for a certain form of the Mark:

<u>Mark</u>	<u>U. S. Reg. No.</u>	<u>Registration Date</u>
THE REGIONAL EYE CENTER and Design	2,026,419	December 31, 1996

(the above-mentioned Mark and Registration being referred to hereinafter as the "Mark and Registration"), for good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, has assigned and hereby does assign to The Regional Eye Center, P.C., a corporation of Tennessee having a business address at 135 West Ravine Road, Suite 2C, Kingsport, TN 37664, all of its right, title and interest in and to the Mark and Registration, together with the goodwill of the business symbolized by the Mark and Registration.

Bice, Chapman and Smith, M.D., P.C.

Date: 11/18/2002

By   
John T. Williams  
Chief Executive Officer

STATE OF TENNESSEE )  
                                  ) ss  
COUNTY OF SULLIVAN)

Before me, a notary public of the state and county mentioned, personally appeared John T. Williams with whom I am personally acquainted, and who, upon oath, acknowledged himself to be Chief Executive Officer of Bice, Chapman and Smith, M.D., P.C., the within named party, a corporation, and that he as such Chief Executive Officer, executed the foregoing instrument for the purposes therein contained, by signing the name of the corporation by himself as Chief Executive Officer.

WITNESS my hand and seal, at office in Dallam County, Tennessee  
this 4 day of November, 2002.

**REBECCA JONES-YORK**  
Notary Public At Large  
My Commission Expires July 14, 2004

Rebecca Jones York  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires: July 14, 2004

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