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**RE: IDE Number G960214/21** 

CardioLogic VEST-CPR® System
Public Disclosure After Study Termination

Dear Sir/Madam:

In accordance with Federal Regulation 21 CFR §50.24 (a) (7) (ii) and (iii), §56.109(g) and §812.47(a), we are submitting public disclosure information that appraised the community and researchers of the termination of the VEST-CPR study and its results.

As required by Federal Regulation 21 CFR §56.109(g) and §812.47(a), each IRB has provided a copy of the information that was publicly disclosed. In addition, the IRB's have provided written verification of their review and approval of the information prior to its disclosure.

A duplicate copy of this information has been sent to Dockets Management at the following address:

Docket number 95S-0158

Dockets Management Branch (HFA-305)
Food and Drug Administration
12420 Parklawn Drive Room 1-23
Rockville, MD 20857

I would appreciate the FDA considering IDE G960214 officially terminated and all requirements completed in accordance with Federal Regulation 21 CFR §812.150 (7).

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at (410) 691-5200.

Sincerely.

Linda Gregg

Director of Clinical Affairs Official Correspondent

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### **VEST-CPR SYSTEM**

## Public Disclosure and Community Notification Regarding Study Termination

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Linda Gregg Cardiologic Systems, Inc. 7455-T New Ridge Rd. Hanover, MD 21076-3143 June 2, 1998

Dear Ms. Gregg,

On May 21, 1998, Geoffrey Burbridge, MD, Chairman of the Hamot Medical Center Institutional Review Committee provided expedited review and approval of a community notification disclosure for the study, "Clinical investigation of the VEST-CPR system in Adults". When this approval was reported at the June 1, 1998 IRC meeting, suggestions were made to revise the advertisement (Attachment 1).

Would you please revise the community notification disclosure as specified and return for review by our Community Relations and Risk Management Departments. Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

Phyllis J. Kuhn, PhD

IRC Secretary

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### HAMOT MEDICAL CENTER

### **VEST-CPR® STUDY**

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Geoffrey Burbridge, MD, IRC Chairman

Leo Bennett, MD CC. Brad Cooper, PharmD Phyllis J. Kuhn, PhD, IRC Secretary

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July 12, 1998

Amicus Research Presbyterian Healthcare 200 Hawthorne Lane Charlotte NC 28207

RE: IRB # 97009 - CPR Vest Trial

This is to confirm for your records that the revision for the above referenced protocol was approved by the Institutional Review Board (IRB) on July 12, 1998 through expedited review and four other IRB voting members.

Revision includes a public notification article regarding the completion of the aforementioned study and the outcome.

A copy of this revision is on file in the IRB Office. Any changes must be submitted to the IRB for approval prior to implementation. Any unexpected or significant adverse events should be reported immediately.

The Institutional Review Board is in compliance with the requirements in Part 56, Subchapter D, Part 312 of 21 Code of Federal Regulations.

Robert Farnham, MD, Chairperson Institutional Review Board

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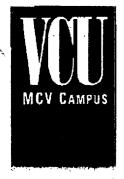
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Ms. Linda Gregg Cardiologic Systems, Inc. 7455-T New Ridge Road Hanover, Maryland 21076-3134

Dear Ms. Gregg:

This letter is to confirm that I reviewed and approved the Community Notification regarding the termination of the VEST-CPR clinical trial.

Thank you,

Robert L. Campbell, D.D.S.

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