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Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
Office of the Secretary
445 12th Street, SW
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**Re: *Ex parte* Notice
Investigation of the Spectrum Requirements for Advanced Medical
Technologies – ET Docket No. 06-135
Amendment of Parts 2 and 95 of the Commission’s Rules To Establish
The Medical Data Service at 401-402 and 405-406 MHz – RM-11271**

Dear Ms. Dortch:

This is to note that on January 23, 2007, the undersigned and David E. Hilliard as counsel for Medtronic, Inc., met with the following members of the Commission’s Office of Engineering and Technology: Julius Knapp, Ira Keltz, Alan Stillwell, Bruce Romano, Jamison Prime, and Gary Thayer. We discussed Medtronic’s comments in the above-referenced proceedings, and noted the overwhelming support for the Commission’s proposal to authorize the 401-402 and 405-406 MHz wing bands for use by body-worn and implantable medical devices. We also discussed the need to maintain: (i) the spectrum access protocol in core 402-405 MHz band; and (ii) the current limitations in the core band for communications between implantable medical devices and associated programmer/controller peripheral equipment.

Please contact me with any questions concerning this matter.

Sincerely,

/s/ John W. Kuzin

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