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ASSIGNMENT OF INVENTION AND PATENTS THEREON

WHEREAS, I, Hamid Sheikh residing at 301 W. Alton #B, Santa Ana in the State of California, have invented a WIRE CUTTER WITH FLUSH CUT AND HOLDING ABILITY, as fully disclosed in an application for Patent so entitled and (check one)

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	United States therefor; and				

WHEREAS, Ormco Corporation, a corporation organized under the Laws of the State of California and having its principal office at 1332 South Lone Hill Avenue, Glendora, California 91740 desires to acquire the entire interest in and to the subject-matter disclosed in said application and in and to all patents issued or to be issued thereon.

NOW, THEREFORE, to all whom it may concern, be it known that, for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar to me in hand paid, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I have sold, assigned and transferred, and by these presents do sell, assign and transfer unto the said **Ormco Corporation.** my entire right, title and interest in and to the subject-matter disclosed in said application and in and to all Letters Patent Domestic and Foreign issued or to be obtained thereon, including all rights and interests with priority rights under the Paris Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, the International Patent Cooperative Union, European Patent Convention, Common Market Convention, or any other Convention or Union for each country of said Convention or Union; and I do hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents to issue the Letters Patent granted on said application and all future patents granted upon the subject-matter disclosed therein to the above named Assignee, its legal representatives and assigns.

Witness my hand this 35 day of FEBRUARY, 1998.

// Thukk Hamid Sheikh, Inventor

STATE OF <u>CALIFORNIA</u>) ss. COUNTY OF <u>LOS ANGELES</u>)

On this 25 day of formary, 1998, before me personally appeared **Hamid Sheikh**, to me known and known to me to be the individual aforesaid, who duly acknowledged the signing of the foregoing instrument to be his voluntary act and deed and who executed the same for the uses and purposes therein specified.

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