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## ASSIGNMENT AND AGREEMENT

For value received, we, Hovhannes Habib Mardirossian, of Morris Plains in the County of Morris and State of New Jersey, and Wali Shah, of Newark in the County of Essex and State of New Jersey, hereby sell, assign, and transfer to Tyco Submarine Systems Ltd., a corporation of the State of Delaware, having an office at 340 Mount Kemble Avenue, Morristown, New Jersey 07960, U.S.A., and its successors, assigns, and legal representatives, the entire right, title, and interest in and to certain inventions related to **Method and Apparatus for Providing a**Flexible Splint Splice described in an application for Letters Patent of the United States, executed by us of even date herewith, and all the rights and privileges in said application and under any and all Letters Patent that may be granted in the United States for said inventions; and we also concurrently hereby sell, assign, and transfer to Tyco Submarine Systems Ltd. the entire right, title, and interest in and to said inventions for all countries foreign to the United States, including all rights of priority arising from the application aforesaid, and all the rights and privileges under any and all forms of protection, including Letters Patent, that may be granted in said countries foreign to the United States for said inventions.

We authorize Tyco Submarine Systems Ltd. to make application for such protection in its own name and maintain such protection in any and all countries foreign to the United States, and to invoke and claim for any application for patent or other form of protection for said inventions, without further authorization from us, any and all benefits, including the right of priority provided by any and all treaties, conventions, or agreements.

We hereby consent that a copy of this assignment shall be deemed a full legal and formal equivalent of any document which may be required in any country in proof of the right of Tyco Submarine Systems Ltd. to apply for patent or other form of protection for said inventions and to claim the aforesaid benefit of the right of priority.

We request that any and all patents for said inventions be issued to Tyco Submarine Systems Ltd. in the United States and in all countries foreign to the United States, or to such nominees as Tyco Submarine Systems Ltd. may designate.

PATENT REEL: 9388 FRAME: 0576 We agree that, when requested, we shall without charge to Tyco Submarine Systems Ltd. but at its expense, sign all papers, and do all acts which may be necessary, desirable, or convenient in connection with said applications, patents, or other forms of protection.

Hovhannes Habib Mardirossian

Date:  $\frac{7/29/98}{}$ 

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On this 3 day of 1996 before me personally came (insert first inventor's name) to me known to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged execution of same.

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