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ASSIGNMENT

I, Wesley Johnson a citizen of the United States residing at 802 Bittersweet Lane, Menomonie, Wisconsin 54751-2382, have made an invention relating to OSTEOTOMY DEVICE AND METHOD and have today executed an application for United States Letters Patent based thereon and identified by attorney's File No. 34386.11.0, and naming the following inventors: **Wesley Johnson, William B. Smith and Alan E. Edwards**, Application No. 08/799,606, filed 02/12/97. I hereby authorize and request my attorney, James R. Haller, of 1100 International Centre, 900 Second Avenue South, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55402, to insert the filing date and application number of said application when known.

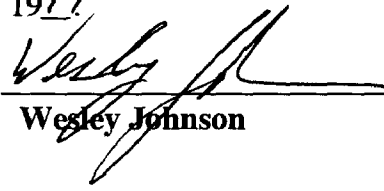
In exchange for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which I now acknowledge, I hereby assign to **Metagen, LLC** a company of the State of Wisconsin having its principal place of business at The Origen Center, 428 Technology Drive, Menomonie, Wisconsin, 54751, its successors and assigns:

- (1) The entire right, title and interest to the above-identified invention and application;
- (2) The entire right, title and interest to any United States or foreign Letters Patents which may issue with respect to the above-identified invention;
- (3) The entire right, title and interest to any renewals, reissues, extensions, substitutions, continuations, continuations-in-part, or divisions that may be filed with respect to the above-identified invention and application; and
- (4) The right to apply for Letters Patents in foreign countries in its own name and to claim any priority rights to which such foreign applications are entitled under international conventions, treaties or otherwise.

I further agree for myself and for my heirs, executors and administrators, to execute and deliver without further consideration any further applications, assignments or other documents and to perform such other lawful acts as Metagen, LLC its successors and assigns may deem necessary to fully secure its rights, title or interest as outlined herein.

I hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue to Metagen, LLC any Letters Patents which may be granted in accordance with this Assignment.

Dated this 25 day of Feb., 1997.



Wesley Johnson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of February, 1997.



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