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WHEREAS, I, Samuel C. Yoon, residing at 719 Leister Drive, Timonium, Maryland 21093 have invented certain new and useful improvements in Surgical Instruments With Multiple Rotatably Mounted Offset End Effectors and Method of Using the Same, for which a patent application for United States Letters Patent was executed on May 1, 1997.

WHEREAS, InBae Yoon, M.D. having a place of residence at 2101 Highland Ridge Drive, Phoenix, Maryland 21131, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and in and to any Letters Patent that may be granted therefor in the United States and in any and all foreign countries.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of Ten Dollars (\$10.00) in hand paid, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, and other valuable considerations, I have sold, assigned and transferred, and by these presents do sell, assign and transfer unto InBae Yoon, M.D., the full and exclusive right to said invention in the United States and its territorial possessions and in all foreign countries and the entire right, title and interest in and to any and all Letters Patent which may be granted thereon in the United States and its territorial possessions and in any and all foreign countries, and in and to any and all divisions, reissues, continuations and extensions thereof.

I hereby authorize and request the Patent and Trademark Office officials in the United States and in any and all foreign countries to issue any and all of said Letters Patent, when granted, to said InBae Yoon, M.D., as the assignee of the entire interest in and to the same, for the sole use and behalf of InBae Yoon, M.D., his successors and assigns.

FURTHER, I agree that I will communicate to InBae Yoon, M.D., or his representatives, any facts known to me respecting said invention, and testify in any legal proceedings, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuation, substitution, renewal and reissue applications, execute all necessary assignment papers to cause any and all of said Letters Patent to be issued to InBae Yoon, M.D., make all rightful oaths and generally do everything possible to aid InBae Yoon, M.D., his successors and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper protection for said invention in the United States and in any and all foreign countries.

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