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*Title of the Invention*

IRRIGATOR FOR USE WITH SURGICAL RETRACTOR AND TISSUE STABILIZATION DEVICE AND METHODS RELATED THERETO

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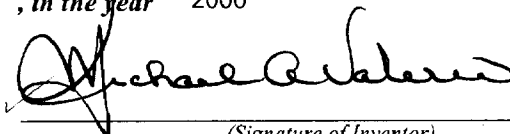
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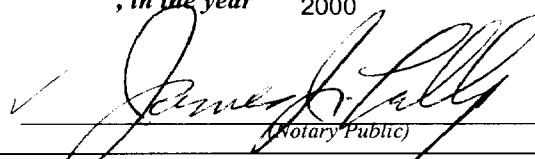
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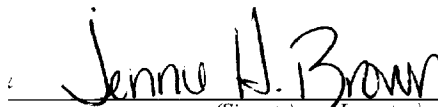
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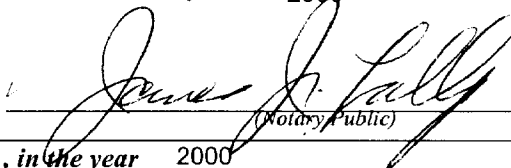
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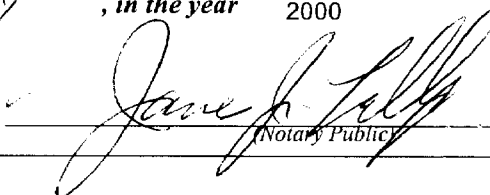
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