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Paul E. Higgs
Scott Sweeney - (executed Assignment)
Jason Williams - (executed Assignment)

Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached:
 Yes No

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies):

Name: Higgs Medical Products, LLC

Internal Address: _____

Street Address: 37 Ironia Road

City: Flanders State: NJ Zip: 07836

Additional name(s) & address(es) attached: Yes No

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ASSIGNMENT

For good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, each of the undersigned, Paul E. Higgs, Scott Sweeney and Jason Williams, hereby sells, assigns and transfers to Higgs Medical Products, LLC ("Assignee"), having a place of business at 37 Ironia Road, Flanders, New Jersey 07836, a New Jersey limited liability corporation, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, his entire right, title and interest for the United States and all other countries, in and to the improvements(s) known as: United States Application Serial No. _____ filed _____ and/or executed on even date herewith and is entitled:

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and in and to said application and all divisional, continuing, substitute, renewal, reissue and all other applications for Letters Patent which have been or shall be filed in the United States and all other countries on any of said improvements, and in and to all original, re-examined and reissued patents and extensions thereof which have been or shall be issued in the United States and all other countries on said improvements (hereinafter collectively, the "Improvements").

The undersigned further agrees that said Assignee may apply for and receive Letters Patent for said Improvements in its own name; and, when requested, without charge to but at the expense of Assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, to carry out in good faith the intent and purpose of this assignment, the undersigned will execute all divisional, continuing, substitute, renewal, reissue and all other patent applications on all such Improvements; execute all rightful oaths, assignments, powers of attorney and other papers; communicate to said Assignee, its successors, assigns and representatives all facts known to the undersigned relating to said Improvements and the history thereof; and do everything possible which said Assignee, its successors, assigns or representatives shall consider desirable for aiding in securing and maintaining proper patent protection for said Improvements and for vesting title to said Improvements and all applications for patent and all patents on said improvements in Assignee, its successors, assigns and representatives.

The undersigned hereby represents and warrants to Assignee, its successors, assigns and representatives that no assignment, grant, mortgage, license or other right or agreement affecting the rights and property herein conveyed has been made to others by the undersigned and that full right to convey the same as expressed herein is possessed by the undersigned.

The undersigned hereby grants power to John N. Bain (Reg. No. 18,651); John G. Gilfillan, III (Reg. No. 22,746); Elliot M. Olstein (Reg. No. 24,025); Raymond J. Lillie (Reg. No. 31,778); William Squire (Reg. No. 25,378); and Alan J. Grant (Reg. No. 33,389) to insert on this Assignment any further identification which may be necessary or desirable in order to comply with the rules of the United States Patent and Trademark Office for recordation of this document. Address correspondence and telephone calls to William Squire, Esq. c/o Carella, Byrne, Bain, Gilfillan, Cecchi, Stewart & Olstein, 6 Becker Farm Road, Roseland, New Jersey 07068.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Assignment is executed by the undersigned on the date(s) opposite their signature(s):

First Inventor's Signature: _____ Date: May, 2000
Paul E. Higgs

STATE OF NEW JERSEY, COUNTY OF _____ SS: _____

Before me this 2 day of May, 2000 personally appeared the above named individual(s), to me known to be the person(s) who are described in and who executed the foregoing assignment instrument and acknowledged to me that they executed the same of their own free will for the purpose therein expressed.

Notary Public

Second Inventor's Signature: _____ Date: May 2, 2000
Scott Sweeney

STATE OF FLORIDA, COUNTY OF _____ SS: 267-77-5653

Before me this 2 day of May, 2000 personally appeared the above named individual(s), to me known to be the person(s) who are described in and who executed the foregoing assignment instrument and acknowledged to me that they executed the same of their own free will for the purpose therein expressed.

Notary Public



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Third Inventor's Signature: J. Williams Date: May 2, 2000
Jason Williams

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Barbara J. Walton
Notary Public

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