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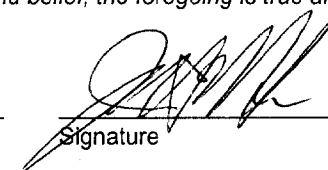
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ASSIGNMENT OF PATENT APPLICATION

JOINT

WHEREAS, Katherine J. Klumb, of 12195 Magdalena Avenue, Los Altos, California 94024, Thomas J. Fogarty, of 3270 Alpine Road, Portola Valley, California 94028, Kirti P. Kamdar, of 692 Thorn Apple Drive, Sunnyvale, California 94806, Bradley B. Hill, of 3270 Alpine Road, Portola Valley, California 94028, hereinafter referred to as "Assignors," are the inventors of the invention described and set forth in the below-identified application for United States Letters Patent:

Title of Invention: ENDOLUMINAL PROSTHESIS AND TISSUE SEPARATION CONDITION TREATMENT METHOD
Filing Date: June 30, 2000
Application No.: 09/608281 and

WHEREAS, Vascular Architects, Inc., a corporation of the state of Delaware, located at 1830 Bering Drive, San Jose, CA, 95112, hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNEE," is desirous of acquiring an interest in the invention and application and in any U.S. Letters Patent and Registrations which may be granted on the same;

For good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged by Assignors, Assignors have assigned, and by these presents do assign to Assignee all right, title and interest in and to the invention and application and to all foreign counterparts (including patent, utility model and industrial designs), and in and to any Letters Patent and Registrations which may hereafter be granted on the same in the United States and all countries throughout the world, and to claim the priority from the application as provided by the Paris Convention. The right, title and interest is to be held and enjoyed by Assignee and Assignee's successors and assigns as fully and exclusively as it would have been held and enjoyed by Assignors had this Assignment not been made, for the full term of any Letters Patent and Registrations which may be granted thereon, or of any division, renewal, continuation in whole or in part, substitution, conversion, reissue, prolongation or extension thereof.

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, Assignors have signed their names on the dates indicated.

Dated: 7/31/00

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