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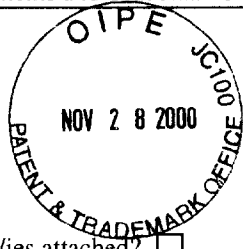
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ASSIGNMENT FOR PATENT APPLICATION
(All Rights)

WHEREAS, Peter Gerke, Diemar Hein, Nicholas P. Woods, and Clive B. Reay-Young, (hereinafter ASSIGNORS) of Jahnstrasse 26A, D-42477 Radevormwald, Germany; Falckensteiner Strasse 42, D-24159 Kiel, Germany; c/o Atlantech Medical Devices Limited, Atlantech House, Freemans Way, Harrogate Business Park, Harrogate, N. Yorkshire, United Kingdom HG3 1DH; and c/o Atlantech Medical Devices Limited, Atlantech House, Freemans Way, Harrogate Business Park, Harrogate, N. Yorkshire, United Kingdom Hg3 1DH; respectively, have invented a certain improvement in A BONE ANCHOR for which a so-entitled application for Letters Patent of the United States was filed on June 30, 2000 as Serial No. 09/608,139;

WHEREAS, Atlantech Medical Devices Limited (hereinafter ASSIGNEE), a corporation of the United Kingdom, having an office and place of business at Atlantech House, Freemans Way, Harrogate Business Park, Harrogate, N. Yorkshire, United Kingdom HG3 1DH is desirous of acquiring an interest therein;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of Ten Dollars (\$10.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the said ASSIGNORS by these presents hereby sell, assign, and transfer unto the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns, and legal representatives, ASSIGNORS' entire right, title and interest in the United States of America and all foreign countries, in and to the invention as described in the aforesaid application, and to

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the said application and to all subsequent applications based thereon including any and all continuations, divisions, reissues, and substitutes of said application, and all resulting patents, together with the right of priority under the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, Inter-American Convention Relating to Patents, Designs and Industrial Models, and any other international agreements to which the United States of America adheres; and the ASSIGNORS hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue said Letters Patent to ASSIGNEE, for its interest as ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns, and legal representatives. It is understood and agreed that ASSIGNEE'S attorneys Nixon & Vanderhye P.C. have represented only ASSIGNEE and will continue to represent only ASSIGNEE with respect to this invention;

ASSIGNORS hereby agree to execute any papers by ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns, and legal representatives, deemed essential to ASSIGNEE'S full protection and title in and to the invention hereby transferred; and

ASSIGNORS hereby agree, upon request of ASSIGNEE, and without further remuneration, to execute any and all papers desired by ASSIGNEE, for the filing and granting of foreign applications and the perfecting of title thereto in ASSIGNEE.

AGREED and executed as noted below:

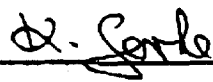
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