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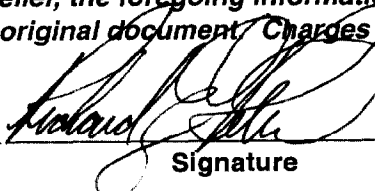
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## ASSIGNMENT

**WHEREAS**, we, **Andras A. Hites and George Hites** of Lafayette, California and Pleasanton, California (respectively) are two of the three inventors of a new and useful product known as:

### **NONMETTALIC DENTAL POST AND METHOD**

and have been **granted a United State Patent No. 5,964,592 awarded on October 12, 1999**, the said invention having been fully described and identified in specifications and drawings that accompanied the Application for Letters Patent of the United States, Serial No. 08/897,431, filed 21 July 1997 such Figure Drawings having been incorporated into the filed Patent 5,964,592 as Figures 1 through 7; and

**WHEREAS, MicroDental Laboratories**, a California Corporation, with principal offices at 5601 Arnold Road, Dublin, California 94568, is desirous of acquiring the rights, title and interest in and to the said invention and in and to the Letters Patent thereon, as granted, and in and to any and all improvements thereon;

**NOW THEREFORE, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:**

**BE IT KNOWN** that for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) to us in hand paid and of other good and valuable consideration by us received from the said MicroDental Laboratories, the receipt whereof in full by us is hereby acknowledged, we **Andras A. Hites and George Hites**, have sold, assigned, transferred, and set over and do by these presents sell assign, transfer, and set over unto the said **MicroDental Laboratories**, its successors, and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to our said invention that we collectively hold in and to our said invention and in and to the Letters Patent thereon, for the whole of the United States and each and every foreign country, which may or shall be issued thereon, and in and to any and all improvements thereon;

**THE SAME TO BE HELD AND ENJOYED BY, MicroDental Laboratories**, its successors and assigns, for its own use and behoof to the full end of the term for which the said Letters Patent shall or may be granted, as fully and entirely as the same might or could have been enjoyed by us had this assignment and sale not been made. The third inventor, **Dr. Chris Pescatore** of San Ramon, California, of the device and method that is the subject of this assignment(**NONMETALLIC DENTAL POST AND METHOD**) does not desire to assign his right, title and interest in the patented device and method at this time.


**AND WE HEREBY AUTHORIZE AND REQUEST** the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to register this Assignment of our rights, title and interest in this mark in the Official Registry of the United States Patent and Trademark Office, in accordance with this assignment.

**WITNESSETH**, we, the said **Andras A. Hites** and **George Hites**, hereunto set our hands at and in the City of Dublin, County of Alameda, State of California, on the respective dates set forth there by.

Date: 4/15/2001

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**Andras A. Hites**

  
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