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Richard G. Cartledge  
Hugh F. Smisson, III  
Jeffery O. Brown

Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached?

☐ Yes ☒ No

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

Name: Smisson-Cartledge Biomedical LLC

Address: 840 Pine Street, Suite 870

City: Macon

State: Georgia

Zip: 31201

3. Nature of conveyance:

☒ Assignment ☐ Merger  
☐ Security Agreement ☐ Change of Name  
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Richard Cartledge - July 17, 2001  
Hugh F. Smisson, III - May 8, 2001  
Jeffery O. Brown - February 8, 2000

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William L. Warren

Date: August 27, 2001

Attorney Docket No. 17311-0024

Signature

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## ASSIGNMENT

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WHEREAS, we, **Richard G. Cartledge**, a citizen of the United States of America, residing at 1320 York Avenue, Apartment 13-N, New York, New York 10021, **Hugh F. Smisson, III** a citizen of the United States of America, residing at 4792 Brae Burn Lane, Macon, Georgia 31210, and **Jeffery O. Brown**, residing at 1531 East 1630 North, North Logan, Utah 84341 have invented certain inventions and improvements disclosed in an application for Letters Patent entitled "**INFUSION PUMP CARTRIDGE**" filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on February 17, 2000 and assigned U.S. Application Serial No. 29/118,861 and;

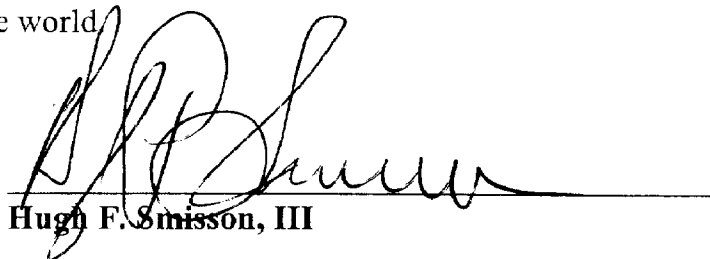
WHEREAS, **SMISSON-CARTLEDGE BIOMEDICAL LLC** a corporation of the State of Georgia having a principal place of business at 840 Pine Street, Suite 870, Macon, Georgia 31201 is desirous of acquiring an interest in the same;

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of Five Dollars (\$5.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which we hereby acknowledge, we, **Richard G. Cartledge, Hugh F. Smisson, III** and **Jeffery O. Brown**, by these presents do sell, assign and transfer unto **SMISSON-CARTLEDGE BIOMEDICAL LLC** the full, exclusive and entire right, title, and interest in and to said application, in and to any divisions, continuations, and reissues thereof, and in and to all inventions and improvements disclosed and described in said application, preparatory to obtaining Letters Patent of the United States therefor; and we hereby request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any and all Letters Patent of the United States resulting from said application, or from a division, continuation, or reissue thereof, to **SMISSON-CARTLEDGE BIOMEDICAL LLC**, as the assignee, for its interest and for the sole use and benefit of **SMISSON-CARTLEDGE BIOMEDICAL LLC** and its assigns and legal representatives;

For the same consideration, we, by these presents do sell, assign, and transfer to **SMISSON-CARTLEDGE BIOMEDICAL LLC**, the full, exclusive, and entire right, title and


interest in and to any foreign application or applications corresponding to said application, in whole or in part, in countries other than the United States, in and to any Letters Patent and similar protective rights granted on said foreign applications, and in and to the right to claim any applicable priority rights arising from or required for said foreign applications under the terms of any applicable conventions, treaties, statutes, or regulations; said foreign applications to be filed and issued in the name of **SMISSON-CARTLEDGE BIOMEDICAL LLC**, or its designee insofar as permitted by applicable law.

AND, for the same consideration, we agree to sign all lawful papers, execute all division, continuing, reissue and other applications, make all assignments and rightful oaths, and generally do everything possible to aid **SMISSON-CARTLEDGE BIOMEDICAL LLC**, its successors, assigns, and nominees, to obtain and enforce proper protection for all said inventions and improvements in all countries throughout the world.

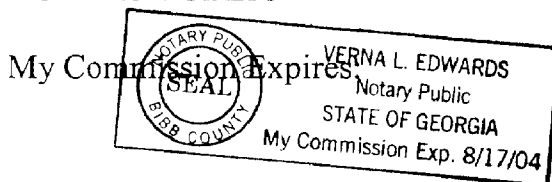
  
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Hugh F. Smisson, III

STATE OF Georgia

Before me, a Notary Public in and for the State of Georgia, on this 8<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2001, personally appeared **Hugh F. Smisson, III** who being duly sworn, signed and acknowledged the foregoing Assignment as his free act and deed.

  
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NOTARY PUBLIC

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Docket No.: 17311-0024

## ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, I, **Jeffery O. Brown**, residing at 1531 East 1630 North, North Logan, Utah 84341 have invented certain inventions and improvements disclosed in an application for Letters Patent entitled INFUSION PUMP CARTRIDGE executed by me on the <sup>7</sup>~~14~~th day of ~~December, 1999~~<sup>Feb 2006</sup>, and about to be filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office; and

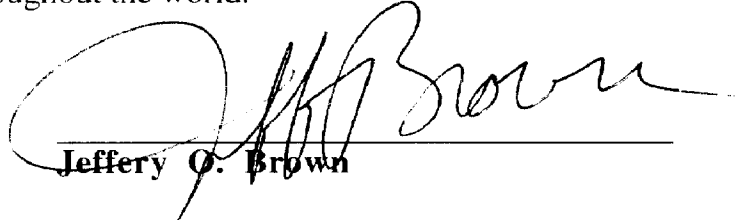
WHEREAS, **SMISSON-CARTLEDGE BIOMEDICAL L.L.C.**, a corporation of the State of Georgia having a principal place of business at 840 Pine Street, Suite 870, Macon, Georgia 31201 is desirous of acquiring an interest in the same;

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of Five Dollars (\$5.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which I hereby acknowledge, I, **Jeffery O. Brown** by these presents do sell, assign and transfer unto **SMISSON-CARTLEDGE BIOMEDICAL L.L.C.** the full, exclusive and entire right, title, and interest in and to said application, in and to any divisions, continuations, and reissues thereof, and in and to all inventions and improvements disclosed and described in said application, preparatory to obtaining Letters Patent of the United States therefor; and I hereby request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any and all Letters Patent of the United States resulting from said application, or from a division, continuation, or reissue thereof, to **SMISSON-CARTLEDGE BIOMEDICAL L.L.C.**, as the assignee, for its interest and for the sole use and benefit of **SMISSON-CARTLEDGE BIOMEDICAL L.L.C.** and its assigns and legal representatives;

For the same consideration, I, by these presents do sell, assign, and transfer to **SMISSON-CARTLEDGE BIOMEDICAL L.L.C.** the full, exclusive, and entire right, title and interest in and to any foreign application or applications corresponding to said application, in whole or in part, in countries other than the United States, in and to any Letters Patent and similar protective rights granted on said foreign applications, and in and to the right to claim any applicable priority rights arising from or required for said foreign applications under the terms of any applicable conventions, treaties, statutes, or regulations; said foreign applications to be filed and

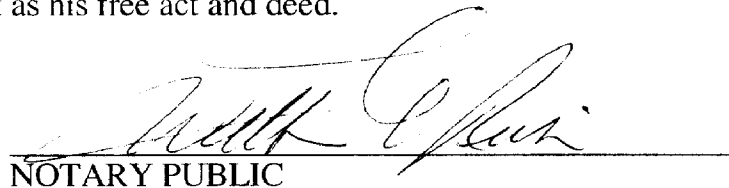
issued in the name of **SMISSON-CARTLEDGE BIOMEDICAL L.L.C.**, or its designee insofar as permitted by applicable law.

AND, for the same consideration, I agree to sign all lawful papers, execute all division, continuing, reissue and other applications, make all assignments and rightful oaths, and generally do everything possible to aid **SMISSON-CARTLEDGE BIOMEDICAL L.L.C.**, its successors, assigns, and nominees, to obtain and enforce proper protection for all said inventions and improvements in all countries throughout the world.

  
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**Jeffery O. Brown**

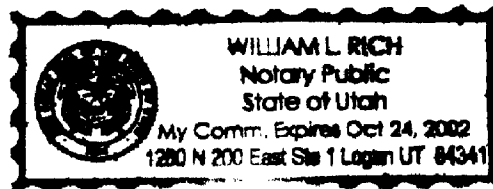
STATE OF Utah

Before me, a Notary Public in and for the State of Utah, on this 8 day of Feb, <sup>2000</sup>~~1999~~, personally appeared **Jeffery O. Brown** who being duly sworn, signed and acknowledged the foregoing Assignment as his free act and deed.

  
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My Commission Expires:



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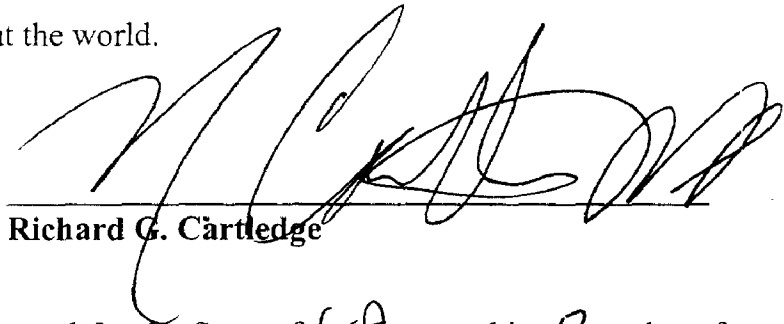
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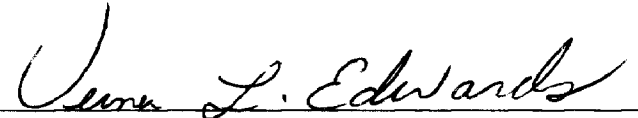
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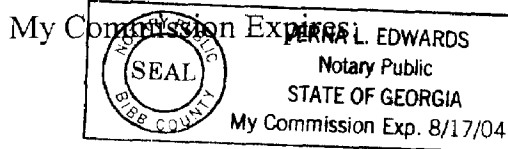
  
Richard G. Cartledge

STATE OF GA

Before me, a Notary Public in and for the State of GA, on this 17 day of July, 2001, personally appeared **Richard G. Cartledge** who being duly sworn, signed and acknowledged the foregoing Assignment as his free act and deed.

  
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