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4,773,417

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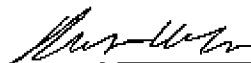
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PATENT NUMBER 4,773,417

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Robert R. Moore, an individual residing in Idaho, Steve R. Lamb, an individual residing in _____, and Eugene M. Wolf, an individual residing in California, (collectively, the "ASSIGNORS") own a certain patent application and/or registration, as listed in Exhibit A attached hereto and incorporated herein by this reference ("PATENT"); and

WHEREAS, ORTHOPEDIC SYSTEMS, INC., a Delaware corporation, with offices at 30031 Ahern Avenue, Union City, California 94587-1234 ("ASSIGNEE"), desires to acquire all of the right, title and interest of ASSIGNOR in, to and under the PATENT;

WHEREAS, ASSIGNORS and ASSIGNEE have entered into a certain Assignment Agreement dated _____, assigning, among other things, all right, title and interest in and to the PATENT from ASSIGNORS to ASSIGNEE;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of other good and valuable consideration paid by ASSIGNEE to ASSIGNORS, the receipt and sufficiency of which hereby is acknowledged, ASSIGNORS do hereby sell, assign, transfer and convey unto ASSIGNEE its entire right, title and interest in and to the PATENT, including all divisions, continuations, continuations-in-part, reexaminations, substitutions, reissues, extensions and renewals of the applications and registrations for the PATENT (and the right to apply for any of the foregoing); all rights to causes of action and remedies related thereto (including, without limitation, the right to sue for past, present or future infringement, misappropriation or violation of rights related to the foregoing); and any and all other rights and interests arising out of, in connection with or in relation to the PATENT.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, ASSIGNORS have caused this Assignment to be duly executed by an authorized officer on this 4 day of ~~December~~, 2001.

January, 2002.

By: Robert R. Moore

Name: Robert R. Moore

Title: co-inventor

By: _____

Name: Steve R. Lamb

Title: Steve R. Lamb co-inventor

By: Eugene M. Wolf

Name: Eugene M. Wolf

Title: co-inventor

Exhibit A

PATENT

Registration or Application Number	Patent Title	Registration or Application Date
4,773,417	Method for Using a Tendon Stripper and Leader Set	September 27, 1988