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WHEREAS, Ian T. Jackson, M.D. residing at 5045 Inkster Road, Bloomfield Hills, Michigan 48302, (hereinafter referred to as Assignor), has invented certain new and useful improvements in U.S. Patent No. 5,476,478, entitled **PREOPERATIVE SKIN STRETCHING APPARATUS AND METHOD**, issued on December 19, 1995.

WHEREAS, Rick Joel Smith, M.D., of 942 Cherry Valle, Williamston, Michigan 48895, (hereinafter referred to as Assignee), is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and in and to the U.S. Patent No. 5,476,478 that was granted therefor in the United States and in any continuations or related patents or applications in the U.S. and in all foreign countries.

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable considerations, Assignor hereby sells, assigns and transfers unto said Assignee the full and exclusive right, title and interest to the said invention in the United States and in all foreign countries and the entire right, title and interest in and to any and all Letters Patent which may be granted therefor in the United States and in any and all foreign countries and in and to any and all divisions, reissues, continuations, continuation-in-part, and extensions thereof including the full right to claim for any such applications the benefits of the International Convention.

Assignor hereby authorizes and requests the Patent Office Officials in the United States and in any and all foreign countries to issue any and all of said Letters Patent, when granted, to said Assignee as the owner of the entire right, title and interest in and to the same, for the sole use and benefit of said Assignee, its successors and assigns.

FURTHER, Assignor agrees to communicate to said Assignee or its representatives any facts known to Assignor respecting said invention, and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuation, continuation-in-part, substitution, renewal, and reissue applications, execute all necessary assignment papers to cause any and all of said Letters Patent to be issued to said Assignee, make all rightful oaths and generally do everything possible to aid said Assignee, its successors and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper protection for said invention in the United States and in any and all foreign countries.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand on the date appearing next to my signature.

Witness:

Inventor:

Date:

Gordon C. Bello

I. T. Jackson
Ian T. Jackson M.D.

10.30.01

Subscribed and sworn before me, this 30th
day of October, 2001, a Notary Public
in and for Oakland County,
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John W. Bello

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