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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE RE Form **PTO-1595** U.S. Patent and Trademark Office (Rev. 03/01) 102228138 OMB No. 0651-0027 (exp. 5/31/2002) Tab settings ⇒ ⇒ ⇒ To the Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks: Please record the attached original documents or copy thereof. 2. Name and address of receiving party(ies) Name of conveying party(ies): Name: AlbaHealth, LLC Alba-Waldensian, Inc. 9117102 Internal Address: _____ Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? 🖵 Yes 🖾 No 3. Nature of conveyance: Assignment Merger Street Address: 201 St. Germain Avenue, \$ Change of Name Security Agreement Other_____ City: Valdese State: NC Execution Date: September 6, 2002 4. Application number(s) or patent number(s): If this document is being filed together with a new application, the execution date of the application is:_____ B. Patent No.(s) A. Patent Application No.(s) See Attached SCHEDULE A Two (2) Patents Additional numbers attached?x Yes No 6. Total number of applications and patents involved: 2 5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed: 7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41).....\$__80.00 John L. Sullivan, Jr., Esq. XX Enclosed Internal Address: Alston & Bird LLP Authorized to be charged to deposit account Bank of America Plaza 8. Deposit account number: Street Address: 101 South Tryon Street, 16-0605 Suite 4000 (Attach duplicate copy of this page if paying by deposit account) City: Charlotte State: NC Zip: 28280 DO NOT USE THIS SPACE 9. Statement and signature. To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document. Sept. 11, 2002

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SCHEDULE A

PATENTS

- 1. U.S. Patent No. 4,557,381 entitled "WRAP FOR IMPREGNATED DRESSING"
- 2. U.S. Patent No. 5,814,003 entitled "PULSATILE ANTI-EMBOLISM STOCKING"

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PATENT ASSIGNMENT

PATENT ASSIGNMENT (this "<u>Assignment</u>"), dated as of September 6, 2002, by Alba-Waldensian, Inc., a Delaware corporation ("<u>Assignor</u>"), to AlbaHealth, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("<u>Assignee</u>").

BACKGROUND

- A. Assignor, having a principal place of business at 201 St. Germain Avenue S.W., Valdese, North Carolina 28690, owns the patents and/or patent applications identified in Schedule A hereto (the "Patents"); and
- B. Assignee, having a principal place of business at 425 North Gateway Avenue, Rockwood, Tennessee 37854, desires to acquire Assignor's entire right, title and interest in and to the Patents.

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and adequacy of which are hereby acknowledged:

- Assignor's entire right, title and interest in and to the Patents, including divisional, renewal, substitute, continuation and convention applications based in whole or in part upon said Patents, and any and all letters patent that may issue thereon and all reissues and reexaminations thereof, to the full end of the term or terms for which said letters patent may be issued, the same to be held and enjoyed by Assignee for its own use and benefit and for the use and benefit of its successors and assigns, to be used as fully and entirely as said rights would have been held and enjoyed by Assignor if this assignment had not been made.
- 2. Assignor hereby authorizes the Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office and other empowered officials of the United States Patent and Trademark Office and/or the appropriate empowered officials in relevant jurisdictions to transfer all of said Patents to Assignee as assignee of Assignor's entire right, title and interest therein or otherwise as Assignee may direct, in accordance with this Assignment.
- 3. Assignor covenants and agrees that it will, upon the reasonable request of Assignee, execute and deliver, or cause to be executed or delivered, any and all documents provided by Assignee that may be necessary or desirable to transfer to Assignee, its successors or other legal representative, the Assignor's right, title and interest in and to the Patents.
- 4. This Assignment may be executed in one or more counterparts, all of which shall be considered one and the same assignment and shall become effective when one or more counterparts have been signed by each of the parties and delivered to the other parties, it being understood that all parties need not sign the same counterpart.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, each party has caused its proper officer to execute this Assignment effective as of the date first above written.

ALBA-WALDENSIAN, INC.

By: Dan - Mesika
Name: DAN MESIKA

Sworn to me this 6 day of 9, 2002.

ASSIGNEE:

ALBAHEALTH, LLC

By: Dan Mesika

Name: DAN MESIKA

Title: CEO

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