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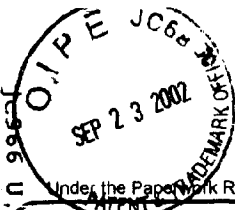
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See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

1. ☒ Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)  
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2. ☒ Applicant claims small entity status.  
See 37 CFR 1.27.
3. ☒ Specification [Total Pages 23]  
(preferred arrangement set forth below)  
- Descriptive title of the invention  
- Cross Reference to Related Applications  
- Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D  
- Reference to sequence listing, a table,  
or a computer program listing appendix  
- Background of the Invention  
- Brief Summary of the Invention  
- Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)  
- Detailed Description  
- Claim(s)  
- Abstract of the Disclosure
4. ☒ Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets 4]
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named in the prior application, see 37 CFR  
1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
6. ☐ Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76

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## ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

9. ☒ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
10. ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement [Power of Attorney]  
(when there is an assignee)
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12. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 [Copies of IDS Citations]
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## ASSIGNMENT

THIS ASSIGNMENT, made this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of September, 2002, by (1) Kim A. Atwater, and (2) Marian J. Bryant, (hereinafter referred to as the assignor(s), citizens of the United States of America, residing at (1) 1201 44<sup>th</sup> Place, SE, ~~SW~~ <sup>Ki</sup> Washington, DC 20019, and (2) 404 Womptack Court, Silver Spring, Maryland 20905, respectively, witnesseth:

WHEREAS, the said assignors have invented certain new and useful improvements in United States Utility Patent Application entitled "Hand, Wrist, and Forearm Device for Patients During Surgery," to be filed on September 23, 2002;

WHEREAS, Kim A. Atwater located at 1201 44<sup>th</sup> Place, SW, Washington, DC 20019, (hereinafter referred to as the assignee) is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said Invention(s) and any application for Letters Patent of the United States, and in and to any Letters Patent or Patents, United States or foreign to be obtained therefor and thereon:

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of Ten Dollars (\$10.00) and other good and sufficient considerations, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, the said assignor(s) have sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents do sell, assign, transfer and set over, unto the assignee, his successors, legal representatives and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to the above mentioned Invention(s), application for Letters Patent, and any and all Letters Patent or Patents in the United States and any and all foreign countries which may be granted therefor and thereon, and in and to any and all divisions and continuations of said application, or reissues or extensions of said Letters Patent or Patents, the same to be held and enjoyed by the said assignee, for its own use and behoof and the use and behoof of its successors, legal representatives and assigns, to the full end of the term or terms for which Letters Patent or Patents may be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by the assignors, had this sale and assignment not been made.

AND for the same consideration, the said assignor(s) hereby covenant and agree to and with the said assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, that, at the time of execution and delivery of these presents, the said assignors are the sole and lawful owners of the entire right, title and interest in and to the said Invention(s) and the application for Letters Patent above mentioned, and that the same are unencumbered and that the said assignors have good and full right and lawful authority to sell and convey the same in the manner herein set forth.

AND for the same consideration, the said assignor(s) hereby covenant and agree to and with the said assignee, his successors, legal representatives and assigns, that the said assignor(s) will, whenever counsel of the said assignee, or the counsel of his successors, legal representatives and assigns, shall advise that any proceeding in connection with said Invention(s), or said application for letters Patent, or any proceeding in connection with Letters Patent for said Invention(s) in any country, including interference proceedings, is lawful and desirable, or that any division or continuation of any application for Letters Patent, or any reissue or extension of any Letters Patent, to be obtained thereon, is lawful and desirable, sign all papers and documents, take all lawful

oaths, and do all acts necessary or required to be done for the procurement, maintenance, enforcement and defense of Letters Patent for said Invention(s), without charge to the said assignee, his successors, legal representatives and assigns, but at the cost said expense of the said assignee, his successors, legal representatives and assigns.

AND the said assignor(s) hereby request the Commissioner of Patents to issue said Letters Patent of the United States to the said assignee, as the assignee of said Invention(s) and the Letters Patent to be issued thereon for the sole use and behoof of the said assignee, his successors, legal representatives and assigns.

Signed at 516 Glen Allen Rd in the County of \_\_\_\_\_  
in the State of Maryland, this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of September, 2002. TONY R. ROSS  
NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF MARYLAND  
My Commission Expires April 17, 2004

Signed at \_\_\_\_\_ in the County of \_\_\_\_\_,  
in the State of \_\_\_\_\_, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of September, 2002.

Maurice J. Bryant 9/22/02

Tim A. Atwater 9/22/02