

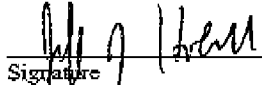
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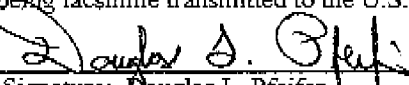
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### ASSIGNMENT

**WHEREAS**, American Medical Systems Inc., 1 0700 Bren Road West, Minnetonka, MN 55343 (hereinafter referred to as **ASSIGNOR**), owns a right, title and interest to inventions and improvements embodied in U.S. Pat. No. 4,597,765 hereinafter referred to as **THE PATENT RIGHTS**) as recorded in the U.S. Patent & Trademark Office at Reel 4358, Frame 0422.

**WHEREAS**, AMS Research Corporation, 10700 Bren Road West, Minnetonka, MN 55343, (hereinafter referred to as **ASSIGNEE**), is desirous of acquiring **ASSIGNOR**'s right, title and interest in **THE PATENT RIGHTS**;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, in consideration of good and valuable consideration described in an agreement between the **ASSIGNOR** and **ASSIGNEE** effective November 16, 2001, the receipt of which consideration is hereby acknowledged, **ASSIGNOR** hereby sells, assigns, transfers and sets to **ASSIGNEE** its entire right, title and interest in and to **THE PATENT RIGHTS** in all countries, including all divisions, substitutes and continuations thereof, and all United States Letters Patents which may be granted thereon and all reissues and extensions thereof, and all priority rights under the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property for every member country, and all applications for patents (including related rights such as utility-model registrations, inventor's certificates, and the like) heretofore or hereafter filed for said inventions and improvements in any foreign countries, and all patents (including all extensions, reexaminations, renewals and reissues thereof) granted for said inventions and improvements in any foreign countries; and authorizes and requests the United States Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, and any officials of foreign countries whose duty is to issue patents on applications as aforesaid, to issue all patents for said inventions and improvements to **ASSIGNEE** in accordance with the terms of this assignment;

**ASSIGNOR** covenants to promptly execute and deliver to **ASSIGNEE** or its legal representatives any and all papers, instruments, documents or affidavits required to apply for, obtain, maintain, and issue said **PATENT RIGHTS**, and said reissues, reexaminations, improvements, continuations and divisions thereof in any foreign country which may be necessary or desirable.

**THIS ENTIRE ASSIGNMENT** inures to the benefit of **ASSIGNEE**, its successors and assigns, and is binding upon **ASSIGNOR**, any successors, legal representatives or assigns.

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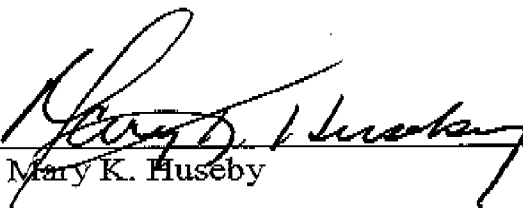
IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand as of the date indicated below.

American Medical Systems Inc.


d: July 24, 2003

  
Name: M. James Call  
Title: Executive Vice President and  
Chief Financial Officer

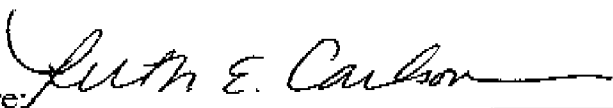
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Name: Mary K. Huseby

We accept the Assignment  
AMS Research Corporation

Signature:   
Name: Ross A. Longhini  
Title: Executive Vice President and Chief  
Technology Officer

Witnessed:

Signature:   
Name: Ruth E. Carlson