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SERIAL No.

29/125,045 June 17, 2000

FILING DATE: June GROUP ART UNIT 2911

TITLE:

Hernia Belt

Dear Sir:

Please record the attached original document on which the particulars are:

Assignors: E. G. Slautterback

Nicole D. Greene

Rhonda M. Machin

Assignee: FLA Orthodpedics, Inc.

2881 Corporate Way

Miramar, FL 33025

Execution Date: August 17, 2000

A Transmittal Form, Fee Transmittal and check in the amount of forty dollars (\$40.00) are enclosed herewith.

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## **ASSIGNMENT**

WHEREAS, E.G. Slautterback, having a principal residence at	
1880 Merion have Coral Springs FL	and
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Nicole D. Greene, having a principal residence at	
Nicole D. Greene, having a principal residence at 1640 Sapplies Drive, Weston FL	and
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Rhonda M. Machin, having a principal residence at	

(hereinafter, collectively, "the undersigned") have made an invention and which is described in an application for Letters Patent of the United States of America for the invention entitled:

**HERNIA BELT** 

which application was filed June 17, 2000 and was accorded Application Serial No. 29/125,045;

WHEREAS, FLA Orthopedics, Inc. is a corporation of the state of Florida, having its principal place of business at 2881 Corporate Way, Miramar, FL 33025, (hereinafter, "Assignee");

Now, therefore, for good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is acknowledged, the undersigned have agreed to assign and transfer and do hereby assign and transfer unto Assignee, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to all inventions disclosed in the above identified application, and in and to any division, continuation or continuation-in-part, of said application, and in and to any and all Letters Patent and reissues and extensions thereof, of the United States of America and countries foreign thereto (including the right to apply for Letters Patent in foreign countries in its own name and to claim any priority rights for such foreign applications to which such applications are entitled under international conventions, treaties or otherwise), which have been or may be granted on any of the foregoing to be held and enjoyed as fully and exclusively as they would have been by the undersigned had this assignment and transfer not been made;

The undersigned do further agree for themselves and for their heirs, executors and administrators, to execute and deliver without further consideration any further applications, assignments and documents, and to perform such other acts as may be deemed necessary by said Assignee, its successors, assigns, and nominees, fully to secure its interest as aforesaid and to obtain or maintain Letters Patent in any and all countries;

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## State of <u>FLORIDA</u> County of <u>DADE</u>

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me the undersigned notary on this 27th day of July, 2000, by Rhonda M. Machin. She is personally known to me or produced <u>Herself</u> as identification.

Notary: Jumes & Name: Jeanner Sap

My Commission Expires: 12/17/2003



And the undersigned do hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents to issue any and all Letters Patent which may be granted upon any of the said applications, to the said Assignee, as the assignee of the entire interest herein.

The undersigned hereby authorize Robert E. LeBlanc, Esquire, having a business address of 9301 Burning Tree Road, Bethesda, Md. 20817, to insert hereon any further identification necessary or desirable for recordation of this document.

In witness whereof, the undersigned have hereunto signed their names on the day and yearset forth below.

E.G. Slautterback

Nicole D. Greene

State of <u>FLORIDA</u> County of DADE

Rhonda M. Machin

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me the undersigned notary on this <u>Tho</u> day of July, 2000 by E.G. <u>Slautterback</u>. He is personally known to me or produced <u>Himself</u> as identification.

Notary: Jeanne S. py Name: Jeanne Sapp My Commission Expires: 12/11/003

State of <u>FLORIDA</u> County of <u>DADE</u>

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me the undersigned notary on this 27th day of July, 2000, by Nicole D. Greene. She is personally known to me or produced Herself as identification.

Notary: <u>Alam Suppl</u> Name: <u>Jeanne</u>

My Commission Expires: 12/17 003

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