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Additional name of conveying party(ies) attached? Yes No

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2. Name and address of receiving party(ies)

Name: Smith & Nephew, Inc.

Internal Address:

Street Address: 1450 Brooks Road

City: Memphis State: Tennessee Zip: 38116

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10/238,953

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Name: Chief Patent Counsel

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Street Address: 1450 Brooks Road

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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, we, Leo ArieH PINCZEWSKI, Stephen John PARKER, Greg MARIK and Richard A. ROCCO have invented certain improvements in "*Method of Arthroplasty on a Knee Joint and Apparatus for Use in Same*" for which a utility application was filed in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on September 10, 2002 and assigned U.S. Serial No. 10/238,953; and

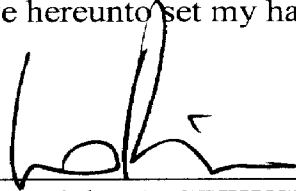
WHEREAS, Smith & Nephew, Inc., a Delaware corporation having an office at 1450 Brooks Road, Memphis, Tennessee 38116, desires to purchase same;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration paid by Smith & Nephew, Inc., the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, we have sold, assigned, transferred and conveyed and by these presents do hereby sell, assign, transfer and convey unto Smith & Nephew, Inc., in and for the United States and its territories and foreign countries, the entire right, title and interest in and to said utility application, in and to the invention therein set forth, in and to any application and national phase application claiming priority thereto, and in and to any patent which may issue on said utility application, national phase application or any reissue, renewal, divisional, or continuation thereof; and we hereby bind ourselves, our heirs, legal representatives, administrators and assigns properly to execute without further consideration, any and all applications, petitions, oaths and assignments or other papers and instruments which may be necessary in order to carry into full force and effect the sale, assignment, transfer and conveyance hereby made or intended to be made.

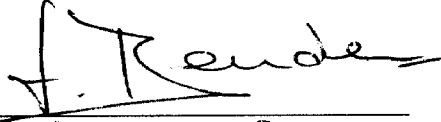
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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 26 day of

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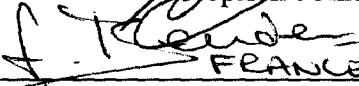
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