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# ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, I, Karl Reinitz, have invented certain new and useful improvements disclosed in an application for United States Letters Patent titled Surgical Suturing Apparatus and executed by me on November 22, 2003;

AND WHEREAS Medical Devices, Incorporated, a Maryland corporation (hereafter, together with any successors, legal representatives of assign thereof, called "Assignee"), wants to acquire the entire right, title, and interest in and to said improvements and application;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I do hereby sell, assign, transfer, and set over to Assignee the entire and exclusive right, title, and interest to said invention in the United States, and the entire and exclusive right, title, and interest to all United States Patents which may be granted thereon. I hereby authorize and request the Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office to issue said United States Patents for said improvements to Assignee, of the entire right, title, and interest in and to the same, for the sole use and benefit of Assignee, and for the sole use and benefit of the legal representatives of Assignee, to the end of the term for which said Patent may be granted.

EXECUTED this 24 day of November, 2003

Karl Reinitz

Signature



STATE OF MARYLAND )  
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On November 24, 2003, before the undersigned, a Notary Public for the State and County aforesaid, personally appeared Karl Reinitz, known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person whose name is subscribed to the above assignment, and acknowledged that he executed the same.

Susan E. Martone

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