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WHEREAS:

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hereinafter called ASSIGNOR(S), has (have) made a certain new and useful invention for which application for Letters Patent of the United States of America has been made, said application being identified by:

Title ARRANGEMENT FOR PREVENTING OVERFILL OF ANESTHETIC LIQUID

U.S. Appln. Serial No. 10/654,791

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WHEREAS:

Datex-Ohmeda, Inc.

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a. the invention;

b. the patent application referred to above;

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Inventor



Personally appeared before me this ____ day of _____,
20____, George G. Sansom, known to me to be the persons(s) whose
name(s) is (are) subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and
acknowledged that he (they) signed, sealed and delivered the said
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State of Wisconsin
County of _____

Notary Public:
My Commission Expires:

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