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**PATENT ASSIGNMENT**

WHEREAS, WE, MARCUS LEE SCOTT, a citizen of the United States, residing at 1595 Forrest Avenue, Memphis, Tennessee 38112, and SHILESH CHANDRAKANT JANI, a citizen of Tanzania, residing at 7075 Vineyard Way, Germantown, Tennessee 38138 (herein called "Assignors"), are the inventors and owners of a certain new and useful Invention(s) (herein "Invention") and improvement(s) entitled CROSS-LINKED ULTRA-HIGH MOLECULAR WEIGHT POLYETHYLENE FOR MEDICAL IMPLANT USE; and

WHEREAS, SMITH & NEPHEW, INC., a corporation duly organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Delaware, and having a principal place of business at 1450 Brooks Road, Memphis Tennessee 38116-1892 (herein called "Assignee"), is desirous of acquiring and Assignors are desirous of assigning to Assignee all right, title and interest in and to said Invention, improvement and any patent and patent application thereon in CROSS-LINKED ULTRA-HIGH MOLECULAR WEIGHT POLYETHYLENE FOR MEDICAL IMPLANT USE;

NOW, THEREFORE, Assignors, for and in consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00) cash in hand paid to them and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, do hereby SELL, ASSIGN and CONVEY unto Assignee all right, title, and interest throughout the world in and to:

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2. United States of America patent application on said Invention filed October 16, 2002, under Serial No. 10/272,067;

3. All applications for patent or like protection on said Invention that have now been or may in the future be made by Assignors or their legal representatives, whether in the United States of America or any other country or place anywhere in the world;

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The U.S. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks is hereby requested to issue U.S. Letters Patent in accordance with this Assignment.

EXECUTED on the date indicated below opposite my signature.

Date: 12/15/03

Marcus Lee Scott  
MARCUS LEE SCOTT

Date: 12/15/03

Shilesh Chandrakant Jani  
SHILESH CHANDRAKANT JANI