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For valuable consideration received or to be received, and hereby acknowledged, Paul O. Zamora of 18321 Winter Park, Gaithersburg, Maryland 20879, (hereinafter referred to as "Inventor"), hereby sells, assigns and transfers unto BioSurface Engineering Technologies, Inc., 387 Technology Drive, Suite 3119, College Park, Maryland 20742-3371, its successors and assigns (hereinafter referred to as "Assignee"), the entire interest for the United States of America and all foreign countries, including all rights of priority under the international conventions and treaties, in and to a certain invention or improvement known as *Cross-Linked Heparin Coatings and Methods*, and described in a patent application filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on December 10, 2003 as Attorney Docket No. 30817-1007, and given U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/733,208 and in all Letters Patent of the United States and all foreign countries which may or shall be granted on said invention, or any parts thereof, or on said application, or on any provisional, utility, divisional, continuing, continuation-in-part, reissue, reexamination or other applications based in whole or in part thereon. And Inventor agrees hereafter to execute all applications, amended specifications, deeds or other instruments, and to do all acts necessary or proper in Assignee's sole discretion to secure to Assignee the grant of Letters Patent in the United States and/or in other countries as Assignee may determine in its sole discretion, with specifications and claims in such form as shall be approved by Assignee's counsel, and to vest and confirm in Assignee the legal and equitable title and full use and benefit of all such patents.

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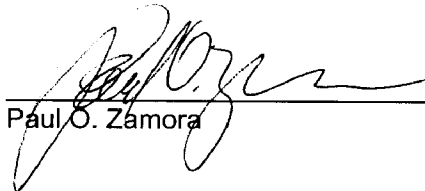
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DATED this 4th day of December, 2003.



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